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OF THE
COMMON COUNCIL
OF THE
CITY OF PHILADELPHIA

Monday, December 4, 1911.

This being the day fixed by Acts of Assembly for the Organization of Councils of cities of the first class, and apparently a quorum of members being present, the Chief Clerk, William H. Felton, called the Chamber to order.

The wards being called in numerical order, the following certificates of election were presented:

CITY AND COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA.

Philadelphia, November 20, 1911.

W. EDWIN BONNICK.

SIR:—At an election held November 7, 1911, you were duly elected a member of Common Council from the First Ward.

SOLOMON RAINS,

Pro Prothonotary.

[SEAL]

CITY AND COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA.

Philadelphia, November 20, 1911.

JOHN H. STUEBING.

SIR:—At an election held November 7, 1911, you were duly elected a member of Common Council from the First Ward.

SOLOMON RAINS,

[SEAL]

Pro Prothonotary.

CITY AND COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA.

Philadelphia, November 20, 1911.

JOHN G. VOIGT, JR.

SIR:—At an election held November 7, 1911, you were duly elected a member of Common Council from the Second Ward.

SOLOMON RAINS,

[SEAL]

Pro Prothonotary.

CITY AND COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA.

Philadelphia, November 20, 1911.

ROBERT LOMBARDI.

SIR:—At an election held November 7, 1911, you were duly elected a member of Common Council from the Third Ward.

SOLOMON RAINS,

[SEAL]

Pro Prothonotary.

CITY AND COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA.

Philadelphia, November 20, 1911.

DANIEL CAHILL.

SIR:—At an election held November 7, 1911, you were duly elected a member of Common Council from the Fourth Ward.

SOLOMON RAINS,

[SEAL]

Pro Prothonotary.

CITY AND COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA.

Philadelphia, November 20, 1911.

ISAAC DEUTSCH.

SIR:—At an election held November 7, 1911, you were duly elected a member of Common Council from the Fifth Ward.

SOLOMON RAINS,

[SEAL]

Pro Prothonotary.

CITY AND COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA.

Philadelphia, November 20, 1911.

THOMAS J. MCGINNIS.

SIR:—At an election held November 7, 1911, you were duly elected a member of Common Council from the Sixth Ward.

SOLOMON RAINS,

[SEAL]

Pro Prothonotary.

CITY AND COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA.

Philadelphia, November 20, 1911.

RICHARD A. COOPER.

SIR:—At an election held November 7, 1911, you were duly elected a member of Common Council from the Seventh Ward.

SOLOMON RAINS,
Pro Prothonotary.

[SEAL]

CITY AND COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA.

Philadelphia, November 20, 1911.

JAMES WARD.

SIR:—At an election held November 7, 1911, you were duly elected a member of Common Council from the Seventh Ward.

SOLOMON RAINS,
Pro Prothonotary.

[SEAL]

CITY AND COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA.

Philadelphia, November 20, 1911.

MORRIS E. CONN.

SIR:—At an election held November 7, 1911, you were duly elected a member of Common Council from the Eighth Ward.

SOLOMON RAINS,
Pro Prothonotary.

[SEAL]

CITY AND COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA.

Philadelphia, November 20, 1911.

E. B. GLEASON.

SIR:—At an election held November 7, 1911, you were duly elected a member of Common Council from the Ninth Ward.

SOLOMON RAINS,

[SEAL]

Pro Prothonotary.

CITY AND COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA.

Philadelphia, November 20, 1911.

GEORGE McCURDY.

SIR:—At an election held November 7, 1911, you were duly elected a member of Common Council from the Tenth Ward.

SOLOMON RAINS,

[SEAL]

Pro Prothonotary.

CITY AND COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA.

Philadelphia, November 20, 1911.

JOHN P. CONNELLY.

SIR:—At an election held November 7, 1911, you were duly elected a member of Common Council from the Eleventh Ward.

SOLOMON RAINS,

[SEAL]

Pro Prothonotary.

CITY AND COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA.

Philadelphia, November 20, 1911.

RICHARD D. BURKE.

SIR:—At an election held November 7, 1911, you were duly elected a member of Common Council from the Twelfth Ward.

SOLOMON RAINS,
Pro Prothonotary.

[SEAL]

CITY AND COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA.

Philadelphia, November 20, 1911.

RUDOLPH RUEDINGER.

SIR:—At an election held November 7, 1911, you were duly elected a member of Common Council from the Thirteenth Ward.

SOLOMON RAINS,
Pro Prothonotary.

[SEAL]

CITY AND COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA.

Philadelphia, November 20, 1911.

TIMOTHY J. MCCARTHY.

SIR:—At an election held November 7, 1911, you were duly elected a member of Common Council from the Fourteenth Ward.

SOLOMON RAINS,
Pro Prothonotary.

[SEAL]

CITY AND COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA.

Philadelphia, November 20, 1911.

JAMES FINNESEY.

SIR:—At an election held November 7, 1911, you were duly elected a member of Common Council from the Fifteenth Ward.

SOLOMON RAINS,

[SEAL]

Pro Prothonotary.

CITY AND COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA.

Philadelphia, November 20, 1911.

SAMUEL McQUADE.

SIR:—At an election held November 7, 1911, you were duly elected a member of Common Council from the Fifteenth Ward.

SOLOMON RAINS,

[SEAL]

Pro Prothonotary.

CITY AND COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA.

Philadelphia, November 20, 1911.

WILLIAM J. McCLOSKEY.

SIR:—At an election held November 7, 1911, you were duly elected a member of Common Council from the Sixteenth Ward.

SOLOMON RAINS,

[SEAL]

Pro Prothonotary.

CITY AND COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA.

Philadelphia, November 20, 1911.

THOMAS F. McTEAR.

SIR:—At an election held November 7, 1911, you were duly elected a member of Common Council from the Seventeenth Ward.

SOLOMON RAINS,

[SEAL]

Pro Prothonotary.

CITY AND COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA.

Philadelphia, November 20, 1911.

WILLIAM C. WILLIAMS.

SIR:—At an election held November 7, 1911, you were duly elected a member of Common Council from the Eighteenth Ward.

SOLOMON RAINS,

[SEAL]

Pro Prothonotary.

CITY AND COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA.

Philadelphia, November 20, 1911.

JOHN W. WHITAKER.

SIR:—At an election held November 7, 1911, you were duly elected a member of Common Council from the Nineteenth Ward.

SOLOMON RAINS,

[SEAL]

Pro Prothonotary.

CITY AND COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA.

Philadelphia, November 20, 1911.

HARRY KEENE.

SIR:—At an election held November 7, 1911, you were duly elected a member of Common Council from the Nineteenth Ward.

SOLOMON RAINS,
Pro Prothonotary.

[SEAL]

CITY AND COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA.

Philadelphia, November 20, 1911.

JAMES H. MCGURK.

SIR:—At an election held November 7, 1911, you were duly elected a member of Common Council from the Nineteenth Ward.

SOLOMON RAINS,
Pro Prothonotary.

[SEAL]

CITY AND COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA.

Philadelphia, November 20, 1911.

THOMAS J. MORTON.

SIR:—At an election held November 7, 1911, you were duly elected a member of Common Council from the Twentieth Ward.

SOLOMON RAINS,
Pro Prothonotary.

[SEAL]

CITY AND COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA.

Philadelphia, November 20, 1911.

WILMER W. TRINKLE.

SIR:—At an election held November 7, 1911, you were duly elected a member of Common Council from the Twentieth Ward.

SOLOMON RAINS,

[SEAL]

Pro Prothonotary.

CITY AND COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA.

Philadelphia, November 20, 1911.

SIMON WALTER:

SIR:—At an election held November 7, 1911, you were duly elected a member of Common Council from the Twentieth Ward.

SOLOMON RAINS,

[SEAL]

Pro Prothonotary.

CITY AND COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA.

Philadelphia, November 20, 1911.

CHARLES C. COX.

SIR:—At an election held November 7, 1911, you were duly elected a member of Common Council from the Twenty-first Ward.

SOLOMON RAINS,

[SEAL]

Pro Prothonotary.

CITY AND COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA.

Philadelphia, November 20, 1911.

GEORGE E. DORWART.

SIR:—At an election held November 7, 1911, you were duly elected a member of Common Council from the Twenty-first Ward.

SOLOMON RAINS,

[SEAL]

Pro Prothonotary.

CITY AND COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA.

Philadelphia, November 20, 1911.

GEORGE P. DARROW.

SIR:—At an election held November 7, 1911, you were duly elected a member of Common Council from the Twenty-second Ward.

SOLOMON RAINS,

[SEAL]

Pro Prothonotary.

CITY AND COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA.

Philadelphia, November 20, 1911.

ROBERT D. DRIPPS.

SIR:—At an election held November 7, 1911, you were duly elected a member of Common Council from the Twenty-second Ward.

SOLOMON RAINS,

[SEAL]

Pro Prothonotary.

CITY AND COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA.

Philadelphia, November 20, 1911.

EDWARD B. HOWARD.

SIR:—At an election held November 7, 1911, you were duly elected a member of Common Council from the Twenty-second Ward.

SOLOMON RAINS,

[SEAL]

Pro Prothonotary.

CITY AND COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA.

Philadelphia, November 20, 1911.

JOHN R. MINEHART.

SIR:—At an election held November 7, 1911, you were duly elected a member of Common Council from the Twenty-second Ward.

SOLOMON RAINS,

[SEAL]

Pro Prothonotary.

CITY AND COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA.

Philadelphia, November 20, 1911.

GEORGE A. GILSON.

SIR:—At an election held November 7, 1911, you were duly elected a member of Common Council from the Twenty-third Ward.

SOLOMON RAINS,

[SEAL]

Pro Prothonotary.

CITY AND COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA.

Philadelphia, November 20, 1911.

WILLIAM R. HORN.

SIR:—At an election held November 7, 1911, you were duly elected a member of Common Council from the Twenty-third Ward.

SOLOMON RAINS,

[SEAL]

Pro Prothonotary.

CITY AND COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA.

Philadelphia, November 20, 1911.

WILLIAM H. CROSS.

SIR:—At an election held November 7, 1911, you were duly elected a member of Common Council from the Twenty-fourth Ward.

SOLOMON RAINS,

[SEAL]

Pro Prothonotary.

CITY AND COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA.

Philadelphia, November 20, 1911.

GEORGE C. PARRY.

SIR:—At an election held November 7, 1911, you were duly elected a member of Common Council from the Twenty-fourth Ward.

SOLOMON RAINS,

[SEAL]

Pro Prothonotary.

CITY AND COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA.

Philadelphia, November 20, 1911.

STACY H. WHITE.

SIR:—At an election held November 7, 1911, you were duly elected a member of Common Council from the Twenty-fourth Ward.

SOLOMON RAINS,
Pro Prothonotary.

[SEAL]

CITY AND COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA.

Philadelphia, November 20, 1911.

JOSEPH GUBBINS.

SIR:—At an election held November 7, 1911, you were duly elected a member of Common Council from the Twenty-fifth Ward.

SOLOMON RAINS,
Pro Prothonotary.

[SEAL]

CITY AND COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA.

Philadelphia, November 20, 1911.

BERNARD J. MCGUIGAN.

SIR:—At an election held November 7, 1911, you were duly elected a member of Common Council from the Twenty-fifth Ward.

SOLOMON RAINS,
Pro Prothonotary.

[SEAL]

CITY AND COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA.

Philadelphia, November 20, 1911.

CHARLES A. GILLINGHAM.

SIR:—At an election held November 7, 1911, you were duly elected a member of Common Council from the Twenty-sixth Ward.

SOLOMON RAINS,

[SEAL]

Pro Prothonotary.

CITY AND COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA.

Philadelphia, November 20, 1911.

GEORGE H. KELLEY.

SIR:—At an election held November 7, 1911, you were duly elected a member of Common Council from the Twenty-sixth Ward.

SOLOMON RAINS,

[SEAL]

Pro Prothonotary.

CITY AND COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA.

Philadelphia, November 20, 1911.

WILLIAM F. MORRISON.

SIR:—At an election held November 7, 1911, you were duly elected a member of Common Council from the Twenty-sixth Ward.

SOLOMON RAINS,

[SEAL]

Pro Prothonotary.

CITY AND COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA.

Philadelphia, November 20, 1911.

GEORGE J. VAN HOUTEN.

SIR:—At an election held November 7, 1911, you were duly elected a member of Common Council from the Twenty-seventh Ward.

SOLOMON RAINS,

[SEAL]

Pro Prothonotary.

CITY AND COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA.

Philadelphia, November 20, 1911.

CLARENCE S. ELDREDGE.

SIR:—At an election held November 7, 1911, you were duly elected a member of Common Council from the Twenty-eighth Ward.

SOLOMON RAINS,

[SEAL]

Pro Prothonotary.

CITY AND COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA.

Philadelphia, November 20, 1911.

ALEXIS J. LIMEBURNER.

SIR:—At an election held November 7, 1911, you were duly elected a member of Common Council from the Twenty-eighth Ward.

SOLOMON RAINS,

[SEAL]

Pro Prothonotary.

CITY AND COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA.

Philadelphia, November 20, 1911.

JAMES SIMMINGTON.

SIR:—At an election held November 7, 1911, you were duly elected a member of Common Council from the Twenty-eighth Ward.

SOLOMON RAINS,

[SEAL]

Pro Prothonotary.

CITY AND COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA.

Philadelphia, November 20, 1911.

JAMES A. HUMPHRYS.

SIR:—At an election held November 7, 1911, you were duly elected a member of Common Council from the Twenty-ninth Ward.

SOLOMON RAINS,

[SEAL]

Pro Prothonotary.

CITY AND COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA.

Philadelphia, November 20, 1911.

RICHARD WEGLEIN.

SIR:—At an election held November 7, 1911, you were duly elected a member of Common Council from the Twenty-ninth Ward.

SOLOMON RAINS,

[SEAL]

Pro Prothonotary.

CITY AND COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA.

Philadelphia, November 20, 1911.

T. CRAWFORD COOK.

SIR:—At an election held November 7, 1911, you were duly elected a member of Common Council from the Thirtieth Ward.

SOLOMON RAINS,

[SEAL]

Pro Prothonotary.

CITY AND COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA.

Philadelphia, November 20, 1911.

ROBERT S. McELROY.

SIR:—At an election held November 7, 1911, you were duly elected a member of Common Council from the Thirtieth Ward.

SOLOMON RAINS,

[SEAL]

Pro Prothonotary.

CITY AND COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA.

Philadelphia, November 20, 1911.

JAMES GOURIE.

SIR:—At an election held November 7, 1911, you were duly elected a member of Common Council from the Thirty-first Ward.

SOLOMON RAINS,

[SEAL]

Pro Prothonotary.

CITY AND COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA.

Philadelphia, November 20, 1911.

DAVID H. ROSS.

SIR:—At an election held November 7, 1911, you were duly elected a member of Common Council from the Thirty-first Ward.

SOLOMON RAINS,

[SEAL]

Pro Prothonotary.

CITY AND COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA.

Philadelphia, November 20, 1911.

E. T. KREIDER, JR.

SIR:—At an election held November 7, 1911, you were duly elected a member of Common Council from the Thirty-second Ward.

SOLOMON RAINS,

[SEAL]

Pro Prothonotary.

CITY AND COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA.

Philadelphia, November 20, 1911.

JACOB M. STAUFFER.

SIR:—At an election held November 7, 1911, you were duly elected a member of Common Council from the Thirty-second Ward.

SOLOMON RAINS,

[SEAL]

Pro Prothonotary.

CITY AND COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA.

Philadelphia, November 20, 1911.

WILLIAM BURKE.

SIR:—At an election held November 7, 1911, you were duly elected a member of Common Council from the Thirty-third Ward.

SOLOMON RAINS,

[SEAL]

Pro Prothonotary.

CITY AND COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA.

Philadelphia, November 20, 1911.

EDWARD P. GALLAGHER.

SIR:—At an election held November 7, 1911, you were duly elected a member of Common Council from the Thirty-third Ward.

SOLOMON RAINS,

[SEAL]

Pro Prothonotary.

CITY AND COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA.

Philadelphia, November 20, 1911.

JOHN S. McQUADE.

SIR:—At an election held November 7, 1911, you were duly elected a member of Common Council from the Thirty-fourth Ward.

SOLOMON RAINS,

[SEAL]

Pro Prothonotary.

CITY AND COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA.

Philadelphia, November 20, 1911.

EVAN T. PENNOCK.

SIR:—At an election held November 7, 1911, you were duly elected a member of Common Council from the Thirty-fourth Ward.

SOLOMON RAINS,

[SEAL]

Pro Prothonotary.

CITY AND COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA.

Philadelphia, November 20, 1911.

JOHN UMSTEAD.

SIR:—At an election held November 7, 1911, you were duly elected a member of Common Council from the Thirty-fourth Ward.

SOLOMON RAINS,

[SEAL]

Pro Prothonotary.

CITY AND COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA.

Philadelphia, November 20, 1911.

GEORGE D. WOODHILL.

SIR:—At an election held November 7, 1911, you were duly elected a member of Common Council from the Thirty-fifth Ward.

SOLOMON RAINS,

[SEAL]

Pro Prothonotary.

CITY AND COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA.

Philadelphia, November 20, 1911.

JOHN BETHKE.

SIR:—At an election held November 7, 1911, you were duly elected a member of Common Council from the Thirty-sixth Ward.

SOLOMON RAINS,

[SEAL]

Pro Prothonotary.

· CITY AND COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA.

Philadelphia, November 20, 1911.

JOHN H. HAHN.

SIR:—At an election held November 7, 1911, you were duly elected a member of Common Council from the Thirty-sixth Ward.

SOLOMON RAINS,

[SEAL]

Pro Prothonotary.

CITY AND COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA.

Philadelphia, November 20, 1911.

ROBERT SMITH.

SIR:—At an election held November 7, 1911, you were duly elected a member of Common Council from the Thirty-sixth Ward.

SOLOMON RAINS,

[SEAL]

Pro Prothonotary.

CITY AND COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA.

Philadelphia, November 20, 1911.

P. OLIVER DERR.

SIR:—At an election held November 7, 1911, you were duly elected a member of Common Council from the Thirty-seventh Ward.

SOLOMON RAINS,

[SEAL]

Pro Prothonotary.

CITY AND COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA.

Philadelphia, November 20, 1911.

HENRY C. KLINE.

SIR:—At an election held November 7, 1911, you were duly elected a member of Common Council from the Thirty-eighth Ward.

SOLOMON RAINS,

[SEAL]

Pro Prothonotary.

CITY AND COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA.

Philadelphia, November 20, 1911.

WILLIAM MOHR.

SIR:—At an election held November 7, 1911, you were duly elected a member of Common Council from the Thirty-eighth Ward.

SOLOMON RAINS,

[SEAL]

Pro Prothonotary.

CITY AND COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA.

Philadelphia, November 20, 1911.

JOHN E. SMITHIES.

SIR:—At an election held November 7, 1911, you were duly elected a member of Common Council from the Thirty-eighth Ward.

SOLOMON RAINS,

[SEAL]

Pro Prothonotary.

CITY AND COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA.

Philadelphia, November 20, 1911.

JOHN H. BAIZLEY.

SIR:—At an election held November 7, 1911, you were duly elected a member of Common Council from the Thirty-ninth Ward.

SOLOMON RAINS,

[SEAL]

Pro Prothonotary.

CITY AND COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA.

Philadelphia, November 20, 1911.

JOHN M. FLYNN.

SIR:—At an election held November 7, 1911, you were duly elected a member of Common Council from the Thirty-ninth Ward.

SOLOMON RAINS,

[SEAL]

Pro Prothonotary.

CITY AND COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA.

Philadelphia, November 20, 1911.

WILLIAM A. MILLER.

SIR:—At an election held November 7, 1911, you were duly elected a member of Common Council from the Thirty-ninth Ward.

SOLOMON RAINS,

Pro Prothonotary.

[SEAL]

CITY AND COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA.

Philadelphia, November 20, 1911.

JOHN W. CAMAC.

SIR:—At an election held November 7, 1911, you were duly elected a member of Common Council from the Fortieth Ward.

SOLOMON RAINS,

Pro Prothonotary.

[SEAL]

CITY AND COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA.

Philadelphia, November 20, 1911.

BENJAMIN H. RENSHAW.

SIR:—At an election held November 7, 1911, you were duly elected a member of Common Council from the Fortieth Ward.

SOLOMON RAINS,

Pro Prothonotary.

[SEAL]

CITY AND COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA.

Philadelphia, November 20, 1911.

PETER E. COSTELLO.

SIR:—At an election held November 7, 1911, you were duly elected a member of Common Council from the Forty-first Ward.

SOLOMON RAINS,

[SEAL]

Pro Prothonotary.

CITY AND COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA.

Philadelphia, November 20, 1911.

LEWIS F. WALTON.

SIR:—At an election held November 7, 1911, you were duly elected a member of Common Council from the Forty-second Ward.

SOLOMON RAINS,

[SEAL]

Pro Prothonotary.

CITY AND COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA.

Philadelphia, November 20, 1911.

GEORGE D. COX.

SIR:—At an election held November 7, 1911, you were duly elected a member of Common Council from the Forty-third Ward.

SOLOMON RAINS,

[SEAL]

Pro Prothonotary.

CITY AND COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA.

Philadelphia, November 20, 1911.

JOHN H. DIAMOND.

SIR:—At an election held November 7, 1911, you were duly elected a member of Common Council from the Forty-third Ward.

SOLOMON RAINS,

[SEAL]

Pro Prothonotary.

CITY AND COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA.

Philadelphia, November 20, 1911.

DAVID G. FRANKENFIELD.

SIR:—At an election held November 7, 1911, you were duly elected a member of Common Council from the Forty-fourth Ward.

SOLOMON RAINS,

[SEAL]

Pro Prothonotary.

CITY AND COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA.

Philadelphia, November 20, 1911.

J. FRED'K JENKINSON.

SIR:—At an election held November 7, 1911, you were duly elected a member of Common Council from the Forty-fourth Ward.

SOLOMON RAINS,

[SEAL]

Pro Prothonotary.

CITY AND COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA.

Philadelphia, November 20, 1911.

FRED. SCHWARZ, JR.

SIR:—At an election held November 7, 1911, you were duly elected a member of Common Council from the Forty-fifth Ward.

SOLOMON RAINS,

[SEAL]

Pro Prothonotary.

CITY AND COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA.

Philadelphia, November 20, 1911.

JOHN T. DORMAN.

SIR:—At an election held November 7, 1911, you were duly elected a member of Common Council from the Forty-sixth Ward.

SOLOMON RAINS,

[SEAL]

Pro Prothonotary.

CITY AND COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA.

Philadelphia, November 20, 1911.

FRANKLIN A. SMITH, JR.

SIR:—At an election held November 7, 1911, you were duly elected a member of Common Council from the Forty-sixth Ward.

SOLOMON RAINS,

[SEAL]

Pro Prothonotary.

CITY AND COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA.

Philadelphia, November 20, 1911.

FRANK HARDART.

SIR:—At an election held November 7, 1911, you were duly elected a member of Common Council from the Forty-seventh Ward.

SOLOMON RAINS,

Pro Prothonotary.

[SEAL]

CITY AND COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA.

Philadelphia, November 20, 1911.

JAMES J. RAGAN.

SIR:—At an election held November 7, 1911, you were duly elected a member of Common Council from the Forty-seventh Ward.

SOLOMON RAINS,

Pro Prothonotary.

[SEAL]

The newly elected members appeared before the Clerk's desk, when the oath of office was administered to them by Hon. Charles Y. Audenried, Judge of Court of Common Pleas No. 4.

The roll of members was called, the following being present:

Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, D. R. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Cross, Darrow, Derr Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Finnesey, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Humphrys, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Kreider,

Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McCurdy, McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morrison, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill.

The Chief Clerk declared nominations to be in order for President of Common Council.

Mr. Connelly nominated George McCurdy, Esq.

Mr. Howard nominated Robert D. Dripps, Esq.

Mr. Baizley moved that the nominations close.

Which was agreed to.

The Chief Clerk requested Messrs. Gillingham and Parry to act as Tellers.

The Tellers reported that Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, Cahill, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, Cross, Deutsch, Finnesey, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gillingham, Gleason, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Humphrys, Keene, Kelley, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGuigan, McGurk, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Morrison, Morton, Ragan, Ruedinger, Schwarz, R. Smith, Trinkle, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams—47, had voted for George McCurdy, Esq.

Messrs. W. Burke, Camac, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Darrow, Derr, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Eldredge, Gilson, Gourie, Horn, Howard, Jenkinson, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, McGinnis, J. S. McQuade, Minehart, Mohr, Parry, Pennock, Renshaw, Ross, Simmington, F. A. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Umstead, Walter, Woodill—34, had voted for Robert D. Dripps, Esq.

Mr. McCurdy was thereupon declared elected President of Common Council for the ensuing term.

Mr. Dripps moved that the election of Mr. McCurdy be made unanimous.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Morton conducted the President to the Chair and administered the oath of office to him.

The President then delivered an appropriate address.

Mr. Connelly moved to proceed to the nomination and election of a Chief Clerk of Common Council for the ensuing term.

Which was agreed to.

Also, nominated Mr. Wm. H. Felton.

Mr. Cross moved that he be elected by acclamation.

Which was unanimously agreed to.

And Mr. Wm. H. Felton was declared unanimously elected Chief Clerk of Common Council for the ensuing term.

Mr. Connelly moved to proceed to the nomination and election of Assistant Clerk and Journal Clerk of Common Council for the ensuing term.

Which was agreed to.

Also, nominated Mr. Gavin Neilson.

Mr. Darrow moved that he be elected by acclamation.

Which was unanimously agreed to.

And Mr. Gavin Neilson was declared unanimously elected Assistant Clerk and Journal Clerk of Common Council for the ensuing term.

Mr. Connelly moved to proceed to the nomination and election of Assistant Journal and Index Clerk of Common Council for the ensuing term.

Which was agreed to.

Also, nominated Mr. Charles B. Quigley.

Mr. J. S. McQuade nominated Mr. A. D. Calvert.

The President appointed Messrs. Connelly and McQuade as Tellers.

The Tellers reported that Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, Cahill, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, Cross, Deutsch, Finnesey, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gillingham, Gleason, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Humphrys, Keene, Kelley, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGuigan, McGurk, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Morrison, Morton, Ragan, Ruedinger, Schwarz, R. Smith, Trinkle, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, McCurdy, *Pres't*—48, had voted for Mr. Quigley.

Messrs. W. Burke, Camac, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Derr, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Gallagher, Gilson, Gourie, Horn, Howard, Jenkinson, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, McGinnis, J. S. McQuade, Minehart, Mohr, Parry, Pennock, Renshaw, Ross, Simmington, F. A. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Umstead, Walton, Woodill—35, had voted for Mr. Calvert.

And Mr. Chas. B. Quigley was declared elected Assistant Journal and Index Clerk of Common Council.

Mr. Connelly moved to proceed to the nomination and election of Committee Clerk of Common Council for the ensuing term.

Which was agreed to.

Also, nominated Mr. George W. Kochersperger.

Mr. Gallagher nominated Mr. Thomas Hollingsworth.

The President appointed Messrs. Morton and Gallagher Tellers.

The Tellers reported that Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, D. R. Burke, Cahill, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, Cross, Deutsch, Finnesey, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gillingham, Gleason, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Humphrys, Keene, Kelley, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGuigan, McGurk, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Morrison, Morton, Ragan, Ruedinger, Schwarz, R. Smith, Trinkle, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, McCurdy, *Pres't*—48, had voted for Mr. Kochersperger.

Messrs. W. Burke, Camac, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Derr, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Gallagher, Gilson, Gourie, Horn, Howard, Jenkinson, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, McGinnis, J. S. McQuade, Minehart, Mohr, Parry, Pennock, Renshaw, Ross, Simmington, F. A. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Umstead, Walton, Woodill—34, had voted for Mr. Hollingsworth.

And Mr. George W. Kochersperger was declared elected Committee Clerk of Common Council for the ensuing term.

Mr. Connelly moved to proceed to the nomination and election of Sergeant-at-Arms of Common Council for the ensuing term.

Which was agreed to.

Also, nominated Mr. Charles B. Hall.

Mr. F. A. Smith nominated Mr. Charles A. Selheimer.

The President appointed Messrs. F. A. Smith and Hardart as Tellers.

The Tellers reported that Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, Cahill, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, Cross, Deutsch, Finnesey, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gillingham, Gleason, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Humphrys, Keene, Kelley, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGuigan, McGurk, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Morrison, Morton, Ragan, Reudinger, Schwarz, R. Smith, Stuebing, Trinkle, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, McCurdy, *Pres't*—49, had voted for Mr. Hall.

Messrs. W. Burke, Camac, C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Derr, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Gallagher, Gilson, Gourie, Horn, Howard, Jenkinson, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, McGinnis, J. S. McQuade, Minehart, Mohr, Parry, Pennock, Renshaw, Ross, Simmington, F. A. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Umstead, Walton, Woodill—34 had voted for Mr. Selheimer.

And Mr. Chas. B. Hall was declared elected Sergeant-at-Arms of Common Council for the ensuing term.

Messrs. Felton, Neilson, Quigley and Hall appeared before the Clerk's desk, when the oath of office was administered to them by the President.

The President announced the following appointments: William H. Lelar, Stenographer and Typewriter; Frank Hemberger, Assistant Stenographer and Typewriter; William W. Felton, Typewriter and Assistant to Committee Clerk; Edgar Forrest, Doorkeeper; Louis L. Warrick, Page; Chas. Seger Jackson, Page.

The President then introduced the Rev. Frank De Witt Talmage, who read a passage from the Scripture and made an appropriate prayer.

Messrs. Trainer, Dillworth and Seger, a Committee from Select Council, were announced, and informed Common Council that Select Council had organized by the election of Harry C. Ransley, President; William J. Miligan, Chief Clerk; Daniel V. Masterson, Assistant Clerk, and Harry Wittig, Sergeant-at-Arms, and was ready for business.

Mr. Connelly offered the following, to wit:

RESOLUTION

In reference to the adoption of the rules.

Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of Philadelphia, That the rules and regulations of the late Council be adopted by this Council for the present.

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was twice read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Mr. Morton moved that a Committee of three be appointed to notify Select Council that Common Council had organized and was ready for business.

Which was agreed to.

And the President appointed Messrs. Morton, Whitaker and R. Smith the Committee.

Mr. Bonnick offered the following, to wit:

RESOLUTION

Of thanks to the Rev. Frank De Witt Talmage.

Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of Philadelphia, That the thanks of Common Council are due and are hereby tendered to the Rev. Frank De Witt Talmage for his kindness in assisting the formation of the incoming Council with appropriate religious services.

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was twice read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Mr. Connelly offered the following, to wit:

RESOLUTION

Of thanks to the Hon. Chas. Y. Audenried, Judge of Court of Common Pleas No. 4.

Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of Philadelphia, That the thanks of this Council be, and they are hereby tendered to the Hon. Chas. Y. Audenried, Judge of Court of Common Pleas No. 4, for his kindness in administering the oath of office to the newly elected members of this Chamber.

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was twice read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Select Council informed Common Council that they had passed resolution entitled "Resolution to meet in Joint Convention to participate in the inauguration of Hon. Rudolph Blankenburg as Mayor of the City of Philadelphia."

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was twice read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred.

Select Council informed Common Council that they had passed resolution entitled "Resolution to appoint a Joint Special Committee to inform the Mayor that Councils are organized and ready to receive any communication he may have to make," and had appointed Messrs. Shoch, Kucker and Davis the Committee on the part of Select Council.

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was twice read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred.

The President appointed Messrs. Connelly, Cross and Darrow the Committee on the part of Common Council.

Select Council informed Common Council that they had passed resolution entitled "Resolution adopting Joint Rules of the late Select and Common Councils."

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred.

The Secretary to the Mayor was introduced, when he presented a message, in writing, from the Mayor, giving a Resume of Philadelphia's Municipal Improvements and Progress, 1907 to 1911. (*Appendix No. 1.*)

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance, when appointed.

JOINT CONVENTION.

Select Council being introduced, and Select and Common Council being assembled in Joint Convention, the President of Select Council, Mr. Ransley, in the Chair,

who announced that Select and Common Councils had assembled in conformity with law for the purpose of inaugurating the Mayor-elect.

Mr. Rosengarten (of Select Council), Chairman of the Joint Committee to make arrangements for the inauguration, reported that the Committee had attended to the duty assigned them, and that the Hon. John E. Reyburn, Mayor, and Hon. Rudolph Blankenburg, Mayor-elect, were now present, with the Hon. Robert N. Willson, President Judge of Court of Common Pleas No. 4, and the Rev. Cooper Ferris.

The Mayor and Mayor-elect were escorted to the President's platform, when the oath of office was administered to the Mayor-elect by the Hon. Robert N. Willson.

The Rev. Cooper Ferris read a passage of the Scripture and made an appropriate prayer.

After which, the Hon. Rudolph Blankenburg, Mayor, delivered an address. (See Select Council Journal.)

Mr. Patton (of Select Council) offered the following, to wit:

RESOLUTION

Of thanks to the Rev. Cooper Ferris and Hon. Robert N. Willson.

Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, in Joint Convention assembled, That the thanks of Councils are due, and are hereby tendered to the Rev. Cooper Ferris and the Hon. Robert N. Willson, for their courtesy in officiating on the occasion of the inauguration of Rudolph Blankenburg as Mayor of the City of Philadelphia, December 4, 1911.

The Convention proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was twice read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The purpose for which the Convention had assembled being accomplished, Select Council retired.

Mr. McCurdy, in the Chair, called Common Council to order.

Mr. Cross moved that Common Council do now adjourn.

Which was agreed to.

So Common Council adjourned.

Thursday, December 7, 1911.

Common Council met. Members present:

Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Cross, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Finnesey, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Humphrys, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morrison, Parry, Pennock, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*.

Mr. Miller moved that the Journal of the last meeting be approved.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Connelly offered the following, to wit:

RESOLUTION

To Draw Seats.

Resolved. By the Common Council of the City of Philadelphia, That the members retire to the Finance Committee room, and when their names are drawn to return to the Common Council Chamber and select their seats and deposit their cards in same, and the President shall announce the name; that the Assistant Clerk shall number each member's name when called, and no more names shall be called until the one previously called shall have

chosen and taken his seat; reserving and excepting, however, the seats occupied by all Chairmen of the Joint Standing Committees, who shall be permitted to retain their old seats or select others.

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was twice read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The President thereupon drew slips containing the names of the members, and as he announced their names they selected their seats.

The President announced the appointment of the following Standing Committees for the ensuing term.

Finance.—Messrs. Connelly (*Ch'n*), Morton, Hahn, Costello, Gillingham, Gleason, Bonnick, Baizley, McCloskey, Weglein, Darrow, and McElroy.

Highways.—Messrs. R. Smith (*Ch'n*), Costello, Schwarz, Miller, Gillingham, Gubbins, Morton, Whitaker, Cross, Frankenfield, Eldredge, and Finnesey.

Surveys.—Messrs. Gillingham (*Ch'n*), Connelly, Trinkle, Costello, Howard, McGurk, Schwarz, Bonnick, Cahill, Humphrys, White, and Kelley.

Electrical.—Messrs. Connelly, Cahill, Whitaker, Cooper, McCloskey, Kelley, Baizley, Schwarz, Deutsch, Conn, Voigt, and Renshaw.

Gas.—Messrs. Morton (*Ch'n*), Cahill, Kelley, McElroy, Williams, McCloskey, McTear, Cross, Miller, Finnesey, Kreider, and Conn.

Law.—Messrs. Connelly, Bethke, McElroy, Dripps, Van Houten, Ward, R. D. Burke, Flynn, S. McQuade, Renshaw, Walter, and Gallagher.

Health and Charities.—Messrs. Trinkle (*Ch'n*), Bethke, Deutsch, Gleason, Morrison, R. D. Burke, Van Houten, Weglein, Frankenfield, Stuebing, Hardart, and Williams.

Fourth of July.—Messrs. Baizley (*Ch'n*), Morton, Gubbins, McElroy, Morrison, Lombardi, McCloskey, Humphrys, Ragan, McGinnis, Ruedinger, and C. C. Cox.

City Property.—Messrs. Hahn, Miller, Limeburner, Deutsch, Keene, Lombardi, Mohr, Ruedinger, McCarthy, Camac, Dripps, and Jenkinson.

Fairmount Park.—Messrs. Whitaker (*Ch'n*), Frankenhof, Minehart, Cross, Humphrys, Cook, Umstead, Keene, Walter, McGuigan, Ragan, and McCarthy.

Commerce and Navigation.—Messrs. McGurk, Hardart, Finnesey, McTear, Howard, Renshaw, Williams, Bonnick, Keene, S. McQuade, McGuigan, and Bethke.

Municipal Government.—Cross (*Ch'n*), Cooper, Frankenhof, Cook, Ragan, McTear, Stauffer, Pennock, Conn, Williams, Woodill, and Simmington.

Police and Fire.—Messrs. Miller (*Ch'n*), Cooper, Hardart, Weglein, Bonnick, Lombardi, Walter, Voigt, Ward, Ross, J. S. McQuade, and Ruedinger.

Schools.—Messrs. White, C. C. Cox, Walton, Dorman, Parry, Gourie, Stuebing, G. D. Cox, Stauffer, Smithies, Dorwart, and McGinnis.

Prisons and Corrections.—Williams (*Ch'n*), Cahill, Flynn, S. McQuade, Morrison, Voigt, Horn, Keene, Stuebing, Deutsch, Trinkle, and Kline.

Soldiers' Monument.—Messrs. Hahn (*Ch'n*), Darrow, F. A. Smith, McGuigan, Kline, Bethke, S. McQuade, Gilson, Parry, Minehart, Derr, and Gourie.

Steam Railroads.—R. Smith, Hardart, Gubbins, Cooper, Humphrys, Morrison, White, Ward, McGinnis, Limeburner, F. A. Smith, and Derr.

Public Libraries and Museums.—Messrs. Van Houten (*Ch'n*), Dorwart, Limeburner, Ross, Gleason, Darrow, Walton, Diamond, C. C. Cox, Hahn, Simmington, and Ward.

Street Railways.—Messrs. Trinkle, Flynn, Bethke, McGurk, Lombardi, Schwarz, McGinnis, Horn, R. D. Burke, Diamond, Gillingham, and Jenkinson.

Street Cleaning.—Messrs. Cook (*Ch'n*), Darrow, Hahn, McTear, Horn, Derr, Voigt, Dorwart, Kelly, Weglein, G. D. Cox, and Stuebing.

To Verify Cash Accounts of City Treasurer.—Messrs. Femmoch, Woodill, Kline, Dorwart, Minehart, Gilson, Parry, Eldredge, Simmington, Ross, Stauffer, and W. Burke.

Public Buildings.—Messrs. Howard, Cahill, Kline, G. D. Cox, Flynn, Smithies, W. Burke, Kreider, J. S. McQuade, Ruedinger, McCarthy, and Dorman.

Water.—Messrs. White, R. Smith, Gilson, Van Houten, Kreider, W. Burke, Gallagher, Pennock, Umstead, Woodill, Dripps, and Darrow.

Printing and Supplies.—Messrs. Gleason, R. Smith, Howard, Horn, Walter, Kreider, J. S. McQuade, Derr, Umstead, Smithies, Camac, and Diamond.

Election Divisions.—Messrs. McGurk (*Ch'n*), F. A. Smith, Jenkinson, Diamond, Camac, Smithies, Woodill, Umstead, Gallagher, Kreider, Limeburner and Gilson.

Boiler Inspection.—Messrs. Baizley, Mohr, Renshaw, Camac, Walton, Diamond, G. D. Cox, Dorwart, Eldredge, Simmington, Ross and Gourie.

Compare Bills.—Messrs. Ward (*Ch'n*), Van Houten, Dorman, McElroy, Eldredge, Jenkinson, Parry, Gourie, Mohr, Walton, W. Burke, and Stauffer.

Select Council informed Common Council that the President of Select Council had announced the following Standing Committees for the ensuing term:

Finance.—Messrs. Patton, Trainer Ryan, Seger, Buchholz, Kucker, Hutt, Upperman, Crossan, D'Autrechy, Finley, and Flaherty.

Highways.—Messrs. Trainer, Harrington, Seger, Boal, Patton, McKinley, Crossan, Lennon, Shoch, Finley, Jones, and Bacon.

Surveys.—Messrs. Trainer, De Prefontaine, Spielberger, D'Autrechy, Shoch, Harrington, Neely, Lennon, Cummiskey, Finley, Bacon, and Klos.

Electrical.—Messrs. Kucker (*Ch'n*), Harrington, Seger, Buchholz, Patton, Neely, Finley, Ryan, Abrams, Adamson, Crawford, and McKinley.

Gas.—Messrs. Harrington, D'Autrechy, Buchholz, Kucker, Hoy, Murphy, Spielberger, Abrams, Fitzgerald, Harrigan, Finley, and Garman.

Law.—Messrs. Hutt (*Ch'n*), Harrington, Neely, Crawford, Rosengarten, Spielberger, Lennon, Adamson, Klos, Pommer, Reuter, and Potter.

Health and Charities.—Messrs. Trainer, Harrigan, Davis, Ryan, Hoy, Crossan, Rosengarten, Huston, Klos, Cummiskey, Bacon, and Greenwood.

Fourth of July.—Messrs. Harrington, Reuter, Rosengarten, Crawford, Upperman, McKinley, Boal, Adamson, Harrigan, Abrams, Rieber, and Neely.

City Property.—Messrs. Harrington (*Ch'n*), Crawford, D'Autrechy, Cummiskey, Murphy, De Prefontaine, Reuter, Rosengarten, Abrams, Neely, Rieber, and Flaherty.

Fairmount Park.—Messrs. Kucker, Byram, Lennon, Spielberger, Murphy, Millick, Boal, Cummiskey, Kennedy, Fitzgerald, Harrigan, and Reuter.

Commerce and Navigation.—Messrs. Trainer (*Ch'n*), Ryan, Quigley, Byram, McKinley, Bacon, Pommer, Flaherty, Kennedy, Lennon, Jones, and Cummiskey.

Municipal Government.—Messrs. Hutt, Kennedy, Boal, Bacon, Adamson, Millick, Quigley, Greenwood, Garman, Flaherty, Hoy, and Dilworth.

Police and Fire.—Messrs. Neely, Davis, D'Autrechy, Kucker, Rosengarten, Quigley, De Prefontaine, Jones, Boal, Adamson, Shoch, and Potter.

Schools.—Messrs. Buchholz (*Ch'n*), Potter, Byram, Quigley, Supplee, Flaherty, Fitzgerald, Davis, Dilworth, Rieber, Garman, and Huston.

Prisons and Correction. Messrs. D'Autrechy, Byram, Rosengarten, Crossan, Boal, Bacon, Huston, Potter, Kennedy, Hoy, Pommer, Supplee.

Soldiers' Monuments.—Messrs. Buchholz, Byram, Crawford, Murphy, Crossan, De Prefontaine, Adamson, Klos, Abrams, Potter, Millick, and McKinley.

Steam Railroads.—Messrs. Patton (*Ch'n*), Trainer, Harrigan, Ryan, Seger, Neely, Spielberger, DePrefontaine, D'Autrechy, Cummiskey, Reuter, and Millick.

Public Libraries and Museums.—Messrs. Patton, Rosengarten, Murphy, Potter, Huston, Shoch, Supplee, Finley, Davis, Dilworth, Abrams, and Greenwood.

Street Railways.—Messrs. Upperman (*Ch'n*), Ryan, Seger, Buchholz, Kucker, Hutt, Crawford, Bacon, Fitzgerald, Abrams, Finley, and Quigley.

Street Cleaning.—Messrs. Trainer, Reuter, Byram, Upperman, Murphy, Quigley, Crossan, Millick, Pommer, Shoch, Flaherty, and Jones.

Verify Cash Accounts.—Messrs. McKinley (*Ch'n*), Ryan, Lennon, Patton, Garman, Millick, Huston, Klos, Hoy, Greenwood, Kennedy, and Pommer.

Public Buildings.—Messrs. Crawford (*Ch'n*), Hoy, Rieber, Pommer, Kennedy, McKinley, Crossan, Fitzgerald, Shoch, Huston, Garman, and Supplee.

Water.—Messrs. Byram (*Ch'n*), Harrigan, Spielberger, Crawford, Shoch, Cummiskey, Fitzgerald, Reuter, Boal, Klos, Lennon, and Garman.

Printing and Supplies.—Messrs. Millick (*Ch'n*), Hutt, Upperman, Adamson, Flaherty, Dilworth, Davis, Jones, Pommer, Rieber, Hoy, and Greenwood.

Election Divisions.—Messrs. Seger, Buchholz, Garman, Patton, Shoch, Davis, Rieber, Supplee, Potter, Greenwood, Jones, and Dilworth.

Boiler Inspection.—Messrs. Quigley (*Ch'n*), Harrigan, Seger, Dilworth, Hutt, Murphy, De Prefontaine, Spielberger, Upperman, Jones, Klos, and Supplee.

Compare Bills.—Messrs. Kucker, Hutt, Huston, De Prefontaine, Fitzgerald, Upperman, Greenwood, Supplee, Davis, Rieber, Dilworth, and Kennedy.

The President (by request) presented a communication from the Board of Recreation, concerning the tender by the Playgrounds Association of Philadelphia to the Board of Recreation of the Happy Hollow Playground.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also (by request), presented "Resolution in reference to the Volunteer Firemen's Collection of Relics."

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also (by request), presented "An Ordinance to authorize certain transfers in the annual appropriation to the Board of Recreation, for the year 1911."

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also (by request), presented "An Ordinance to make an appropriation out of loan approved June 9, 1911, to the Board of Recreation (Department of Recreation)."

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also (by request), presented "An Ordinance to authorize the Board of Recreation to conduct social center activities in public schools, halls or buildings, and to enter into contracts, agreements, etc., for such buildings."

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the Philadelphia Pediatric Society, recommending the establishment of an adequate corps of visiting municipal nurses to be under the direction of the Department of Public Health and Charities.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the Philadelphia Coal Exchange, requesting that an appropriation be made

to the Highway Bureau for the graveling of the approaches to the various bridges.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also (by request), presented "An Ordinance to authorize the City Solicitor to take title to lot of ground situate on the south side of Ann street, between Janney and Tulip streets, in the Twenty-fifth Ward, for a recreation center and playground for children."

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the Northwest Business Men's Association, relative to the erection of the Convention Hall site at "The Cliffs."

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Bonnick read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to change the location of an electric light from south side of Mifflin street, between Fifth and Sixth streets, to southwest corner of Sixth and Sigel streets."

Which was referred to the Electrical Committee.

Mr. Gleason read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the repaving of Twenty-third street, from Ranstead to Chestnut street, with wood block, and work contingent therewith."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Connelly presented estimates of the expenses of the various Departments, for the year 1912, and referred as follows:

Mayor, Committee on Finance.

Law, Committee on Finance.

Commissioners of Fairmount Park, Committee on Finance.

Board of Recreation, Committee on Finance.

Department of Public Safety:

Director's Office, Committee on Finance.

Bureau of Police, Committee on Finance.

Bureau of Fire, Committee on Finance.

Electrical Bureau, Committee on Finance.

Bureau of Building Inspection, Committee on Finance.

Bureau of Correction, Committee on Finance.

Bureau of Inspection of Passenger and Freight Elevators, Committee on Finance.

Department of Public Works:

Director's Office, Committee on Finance.

City Ice Boats, Committee on Finance.

Bureau of Gas, Committee on Finance.

Bureau of Highways, Committee on Finance.

Bureau of Lighting, Committee on Finance.

Bureau of Surveys, Committee on Finance.

Bureau of Water, Committee on Finance.

Department of Public Health and Charities:

Director's Office, Committee on Finance.

Bureau of Health, Committee on Finance.

Bureau of Charities, Committee on Finance.

Department of Supplies, Committee on Finance.

Department of Wharves, Docks and Ferries, Committee on Finance.

Also (by request), read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of Wharves, Docks and Ferries, for the year 1912."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also (by request), presented a communication from the Director of the Department of Public Health and Charities, requesting certain transfers in the annual appropriation to said Department, for the year 1911."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also (by request), read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize certain transfers in the annual ap-

propriation to the Department of Wharves, Docks and Ferries, for the year 1911."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also (by request), read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize certain transfers in the annual appropriation to the Mayor, for the year 1911."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Darrow read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the revision of the lines and grades of a portion of City Plan No. 214, bounded by Greene street, Carpenter street, Wissahickon avenue and Allen's lane, in the Twenty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the revision of the lines and grades of Huron and Telner street, and the intersection of Huron street, Telner street and St. Martin's lane, in the Twenty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Gilson read in place bills to construct sewers in the following streets in the Twenty-third Ward: Eadom street, from Bridge to Fraley street; Tacony street, from Kennedy to Fraley street; and Kennedy street, from Tacony to James street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place bills to pave the following streets in the Twenty-third Ward: Eadom street, from Scattergood to Kennedy street; Tacony street, from Kennedy to James street; and Kennedy street, from Tacony to James street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to repave Eadom street, from Scattergood to Bridge street, in the Twenty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Cross read in place bills to repave the following streets in the Twenty-fourth Ward: Thirty-fourth street, from Market to Race street; and from Powelton ave-

nut to bridge over Pennsylvania Railroad; Wallace street, from Preston to Forty-first street; Warren street, from Holly to Forty-second street; and Thirty-eighth street, from Lancaster avenue to Fairmount avenue.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place bills to resurface the following streets in the Twenty-fourth Ward: Thirty-sixth and Thirty-seventh streets, from Powelton avenue to Baring street; Forty-third street, from Aspen street to Lancaster avenue; Pearl street, from Thirty-second to Thirty-third street; Ogden street, from Forty-third street to Lancaster avenue; Wallace street, from Forty-second to Brooklyn street; Preston street, from Powelton avenue to Lancaster avenue; and Mantua avenue, from north center line of Fairmount avenue to Thirty-fourth street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. White read in place bills to repave the following streets in the Twenty-fourth Ward: Thirty-fifth street, from Fairmount avenue to Mantua avenue; Lowber street, from Filbert to Cuthbert street; Cherry street, from Thirty-second to Thirty-fourth street; and Baring street, from Forty-first to Forty-second street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place bills to resurface the following streets in the Twenty-fourth Ward: Thirty-fourth street, from Race street to Powelton avenue; Thirty-eighth street, from Girard avenue to Poplar street; Thirty-ninth street, from Lancaster avenue to Powelton avenue; Mantua avenue, from Thirty-second to Thirty-third street; Thirty-second street, from Powelton avenue to Hamilton street; Powelton avenue, from Thirty-fourth to Thirty-fifth street; Aspen street, from Fortieth street to Lancaster avenue; and Preston street, from Aspen street to Lancaster avenue.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Kelley read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to locate electric lights in front of 1826 S. Chadwick

street and 1826 S. Bancroft street, in the Twenty-sixth Ward."

Which was referred to the Electrical Committee.

Mr. Simmington offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate a gasoline lamp rear of North Penn Bank, 2223 N. Twenty-ninth street, in the Twenty-eighth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Mr. Hahn read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to condemn triangular plot of ground bounded by Morris street, Twenty-third street and Point Breeze avenue, in the Thirty-sixth Ward, for park purposes."

Which was referred to the Committee on City Property.

Mr. Bethke read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Highways), for removing snow."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance selecting and appropriating a certain piece of ground, situate in the Thirty-sixth Ward, for Park and Playground purposes."

Which was referred to the Committee on City Property.

Mr. Miller read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to construct a main sewer in Shunk street, from Fifth to Broad street, in the Thirty-ninth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to resurface Weccacoe avenue, from Snyder avenue to Bigler street, in the Thirty-ninth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Camac read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to construct a main sewer in Fifty-second street, from Paschall avenue to Grays avenue; Grays avenue, from Fifty-first to Fifty-second street; and Fifty-first street,

from Grays avenue to east side of Chester Branch of the Philadelphia and Reading Railway."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Costello read in place bills to macadamize the following streets in the Forty-first Ward: Benner street, from Jackson to Walker street; Montague street, from Conly to Benner street; Gillespie street, from Disston to Longshore street; Friendship street, from Vandike to Hegerman street; Princeton avenue, from Tacony to Milnor street; Edmond street, from Vincent to Cottman street; Friendship street, from Torresdale avenue to Vandike street; Vandike street, from Princeton to Vincent street; and Milnor street above Vincent street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Walton read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to construct a sewer in Ninth street, from Wingohocking street to the Boulevard, in the Forty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. F. A. Smith read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the vacation of Marshall road, from Sixty-first street to the line of property owned by Peter Moran."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to construct a sewer in Sansom street, from Fifty-ninth to Sixtieth street, in the Forty-sixth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to lay water pipe in Sansom street, from Fifty-ninth to Sixtieth street, in the Forty-sixth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Water.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to open Markoe street, from Chestnut to Walnut street, in the Forty-sixth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to

grade Sansom street, from Fifty-ninth to Sixtieth street, in the Forty-sixth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to pave Sansom street, from Fifty-ninth to Sixtieth street, in the Forty-sixth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Hardart read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance fixing the maximum price of gas to consumers from January 1, 1912, to December 31, 1927."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Water), to place meters on certain premises using City water, and charge meter rates for water used on such premises, and repealing all ordinances inconsistent herewith."

Which was referred to the Committee on Water.

Mr. Gilson offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit William and Harvey Rowland to lay a temporary terra cotta drain in Lewis street, from sewer in Tacony street to a point about 125 feet southeast of Tacony street." (*Appendix No. 2.*)

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was twice read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Mr. Schwarz offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit George Allen to lay a temporary terra cotta drain in the east side of Thompson street 107 feet south of Ontario street." (*Appendix No. 3.*)

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was twice read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Mr. Baizley offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to appoint a Joint Special Committee of five members from each Chamber to make preparations for an appropriate celebration of the dawn of the year 1912, and to suspend Joint Rule No. 30 of the Select and Common Councils." (*Appendix No. 4.*)

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was twice read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The resolution was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Cahill, Conn, Cooper, C. C. Cox, Cross, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Finnesey, Flynn, Gallagher, Gilson, Gourie, Gubbins, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Humphrys, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelly, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McGinnis, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Morrison, Parry, Pen-nock, Ragan, Reudinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, A. F. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Whitaker, White, Williams, and Woodill—60.

NAYS—Mr. Renshaw—1.

Two-thirds of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the resolution passed.

The President appointed Messrs. Baizley (*Ch'n*), Williams, Cross, Hardart and Howard, the Committee on the part of Common Council.

Select Council informed Common Council that they had passed resolution (*Appendix No. 5*) entitled "Resolution to continue the Joint Special Committee rela-

tive to plans for the abolition of grade crossings in the southern section of the City."

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred.

Select Council informed Common Council that they had passed resolution (Appendix No. 4) entitled "Resolution to appoint a committee of five members from each Chamber to go to Washington to advocate an appropriation for the erection of a modern dock at the Philadelphia Navy Yard, and to suspend Joint Rule No. 30 of the Select and Common Councils."

And the President had appointed Messrs. Lennon, Rensergarten, Potter, Pommer and Upperman, the Committee on the part of Select Council.

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The resolution was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Cross, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Finnesey, Flynn, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Humphrys, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelly, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morrison, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Hou-

ten, Voigt, Walter, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—77.

NAYS—None.

Two-thirds of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the resolution passed.

So Common Council concurred.

The President appointed Messrs. Costello, Hardart, Van Houten, Connelly and Dripps, the Committee on part of Common Council.

Mr. Whitaker moved that Common Council do now adjourn.

Which was agreed to.

So Common Council adjourned.

Thursday, December 14, 1911.

Common Council met. Members present:

Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnicks, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Cross, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morrison, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't.*

Mr. Kelley moved that the Journal of the last meeting be approved.

Which was agreed to.

The President presented the following:

Philadelphia, December 14, 1911.

GEORGE MCCURDY, Esq.,

President of Common Council.

DEAR SIR:—Sickness will prevent me from attending meeting of Common Council to-day. Kindly have me excused. With thanks, I am,

Yours respectfully,

JOHN VOIGT, JR.

Philadelphia, December 12, 1911.

GEORGE McCURDY, Esq.,

President of Common Council.

DEAR SIR:—I beg to be excused from the meeting of December 14th. I find that business engagements will prevent me from being present on that occasion, and hope to be excused.

Very truly yours,

JAMES A. HUMPHRYS.

The President presented a communication from the Director of the Department of Public Safety, requesting an appropriation to pay bill of Charles M. Shedaker for work and materials furnished the Twenty-first District Police Station.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the City Treasurer, accompanied by "An Ordinance directing the City Treasurer to withdraw the Tradesmen's Trust Company deposit from his daily returns."

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the City Treasurer, asking for the immediate passage of "An Ordinance authorizing the transfer of the unexpended balances appropriated for school purposes to the use of the Board of Public Education."

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a further communication from the City Treasurer, requesting an additional appropriation to Item 17, in the amount of \$2,599.77.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the Director of the Department of Public Safety, transmitting letter

from Chief of Bureau of City Property, requesting an appropriation in favor of Andrew F. O'Connell to pay for fine screenings delivered to Clarence H. Clark Park.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the County Commissioners, accompanied by letter from Board of Registration Commissioners, asking for an additional appropriation.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a further communication from the County Commissioners, requesting an additional appropriation of \$600 to pay increase in salary of Clerk to the Board of Jurors, for the year 1912.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a further communication from the County Commissioners, requesting an additional appropriation for the increase of the salaries of three Criers of the Court of Quarter Sessions, for the years 1911 and 1912.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the Director, Department of Supplies, accompanied by "An Ordinance to authorize and direct the Director of the Department of Supplies to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, certain warrants in payment for lumber heretofore furnished for use during the year 1911."

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a further communication from the Director, Department of Supplies, transmitting "An Ordinance to pay for supplies furnished during the year 1911."

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the Board of Public Education, asking that the loan approved April 21, 1911, \$11,500,000, in so far as the amount of \$1,750,000 for the purchase of sites and the erection of buildings for elementary schools be made available for purpose named.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also (by request), presented a communication from J. D. Burk, requesting the introduction of a "Resolution providing that no salary increases be allowed for 1912, pending an investigation concerning the salaries and wages paid to officers and employees of similar grades in the various branches of City government."

Also, directing the Finance Committee of Councils to formulate and submit the budget for 1912 in such a way as to provide for definiteness and uniformity in appropriations.

Also, directing the Finance Committee of Councils to formulate and submit the budget for 1912 in such a way as to provide more securely for economy in departmental appropriations, for sound accounting and administrative control.

Which were read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to construct a sewer in Cherry street, from Twenty-second to Twenty-third street, in the Tenth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to repave Arch street, from Twenty-first to Twenty-third street, in the Tenth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

The Secretary to the Mayor was introduced, when he presented a message, in writing, from the Mayor, calling attention to the important gathering of members of the North-east Saengerbund, in Philadelphia in 1912, for which a large concert hall will be needed; and asking that Councils

make an appropriation of \$50,000 toward the erection of a suitable hall. (*Appendix No. 5.*)

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Connelly presented a communication from the City Controller, requesting that an appropriation of one thousand five hundred (1,500) dollars be granted by Councils in its annual appropriation for the year 1912, for statistical service that will be required in the Controller's office in preparing a monthly analytical report of the expenditures, for the use of the Finance Committee of Councils.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Art Jury, for the year 1912."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation for re-furnishing, re-carpeting, etc., Rooms A and B, Common Pleas Court No. 1."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also (by request), read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation for the construction of a sewer in Eleventh street, from Market to Chestnut street."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to approve the sureties on the official bonds of Michael J. Ryan, City Solicitor; George D. Porter, Director of the Department of Public Safety; George W. Norris, Director of the Department of Wharves, Docks and Ferries; Morris L. Cooke, Director of the Department of Public Works; and Herman Loeb, Director of the Department of Supplies."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the Board of Re-

vision of Taxes, requesting certain transfers in the annual appropriation to said Board, for the year 1911.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize a transfer in the annual appropriation to the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Water), for the year 1911."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also (by request), read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the Director of the Department of Wharves, Docks and Ferries to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant for extra work on office building on Race street pier."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to prevent the merging of certain items in the appropriations to the Departments of Public Works, Public Safety, and Clerks of Councils, for the year 1911."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Cahill read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance designating the open space in the center of Bainbridge street, between Third and Fifth streets, as the 'Edwin Shippen Plaza.'"

Which was referred to the Committee on City Property.

Mr. McCarthy read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to locate an electric light corner of Alder and Wallace streets, in the Fourteenth Ward."

Which was referred to the Electrical Committee.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to repave Melon street, from Tenth to Broad street, in the Fourteenth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. C. C. Cox read in place bills to construct sewers in the following streets in the Twenty-first Ward: Pechin street, from Kinsley to Seville street; and Cresson street, from Roxborough avenue to Rector street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place bills to lay water pipe in the following streets in the Twenty-first Ward: Pechin street, from Kinsley to Seville street; and Cresson street, from Roxborough avenue to Rector street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Water.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to open Monastery avenue, from Manayunk avenue to Pechin street, in the Twenty-first Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place bills to grade the following streets in the Twenty-first Ward: Cresson street, from Roxborough avenue to Rector street; and Manayunk avenue, from Hermitage to Fountain street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place bills to pave the following streets in the Twenty-first Ward: Kingsley street, from Manayunk avenue to Pechin street; Lauriston street, from Righter street to a point 450 feet northeast; Pechin street, from Kingsley to Seville street; Monastery avenue, from Mitchell street to Manayunk avenue; Rector street, from Ridge avenue to Manayunk avenue; Kingsley street, from Manayunk avenue to Pechin street; and Pechin street, from Kingsley to Seville street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to repave Paoli avenue, from Ridge avenue to Umbria street, in the Twenty-first Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Dorwart read in place bills to construct sewers in the following streets in the Twenty-first Ward: Pennsdale street, from Ridge avenue to Mitchell street; and intercepting sewer in Wissahickon avenue, from Walnut lane to Gorgas lane.

Which were referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to lay water pipe in Pennsdale street, from Ridge avenue to Mitchell street, in the Twenty-first Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Water.

Also, read in place bills to open the following streets in the Twenty-first Ward: East side of Ridge avenue, to its full width, from Leverington avenue to Hermitage street; and Harvey street, from Main to Cresson street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place bills to pave the following streets in the Twenty-first Ward: Delmar street, from Ridge avenue to Tibbon street; Tower street, from Jamestown street to Walnut lane; and Pennsdale street, from Ridge avenue to Mitchell street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to locate four electric lights on Walnut lane, from Ridge avenue to Walnut Lane Bridge, in the Twenty-first Ward."

Which was referred to the Electrical Committee.

Mr. Darrow read in place bills to authorize the construction of an extension of the following sewers in the Twenty-second Ward: Wissahickon High Level intercepting sewer, connection on Hartwell lane; East Branch of the Wingohocking main sewer; and Lincoln avenue main intercepting sewer.

Which were referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to place on the City plan Windrim avenue, sixty feet wide, from Twentieth street to Wayne avenue."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Dripps read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to locate five electric lights in the Twenty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Electrical Committee.

Also, read in place bills to construct sewers in the following streets in the Twenty-second Ward: Mermaid lane, from St. Martin's lane to Huron street; Ardleigh street, from Sedgwick to Gorgas street; Anderson street, from Mt. Pleasant avenue to a point about 295 feet northwest of Mt. Pleasant avenue; and Crittenden street, from Mt.

Pleasant avenue to a point about 295 feet northwest of Mt. Pleasant avenue.

Which were referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to lay water pipe in Mermaid lane, from St. Martin's lane to Huron street, in the Twenty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Water.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to open Huron street, from Mermaid lane to St. Martin's lane, in the Twenty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Water.

Mr. Horn read in place bills to open the following streets in the Twenty-third Ward: Wakeling street, from Hawthorne to Charles street; and Mulberry street, from Harrison to Bridge street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Cross offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate a gasoline lamp rear 738 and 740 N. Fortieth street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Mr. Van Houten read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to approve a lot situate at the southwesterly corner of Sixty-fifth street and Girard avenue, in the Thirty-fourth Ward, of the City of Philadelphia, as a site for one of the Branch Library Buildings to be erected by the Trustees of The Free Library of Philadelphia."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. R. Smith read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to lay water pipe in Mifflin street, from Point Breeze avenue to Twenty-fourth street, in the Thirty-sixth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Water.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to open Mifflin street, from Point Breeze avenue to Twenty-fourth street, in the Thirty-sixth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to grade Mifflin street, from Point Breeze avenue to Twenty-fourth street, in the Thirty-sixth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to pave Mifflin street, from Point Breeze avenue to Twenty-fourth street, in the Thirty-sixth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place bills to repave the following streets in the Thirty-sixth Ward: Sigel street, from Twentieth to Twenty-first street; Earp and Sears streets, from Twenty-first to Twenty-third street; Garret and Wilder streets, from Twenty-second to Twenty fourth street; Woodstock and Capitol streets, from Dickinson to Tasker street; and Dickinson street, from Twenty-third to Twenty-fifth street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Smithies read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to locate four electric lights in the Thirty-eighth Ward."

Which was referred to the Electrical Committee.

Also, offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate a gasoline lamp in alley rear of Bowman street to Division street, above Thirty-fifth street, in the Thirty-eighth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Also, read in place bills to construct sewers in the following streets in the Thirty-eighth Ward: Division street, from Thirty-fourth to Thirty-fifth street; Dobson street, from Calumet to Mill street; Fisk avenue, from Cresson to Dobson street; Thirtieth street, from Wishart to Clearfield street; and Calumet street, from Powers to Thirty-fifth street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to grade Blaine street, from Twentieth street to Hunting Park avenue, in the Thirty-eighth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place bills to pave the following streets in the Thirty-eighth Ward: Cresson street, from New Queen to Mill street; Ainslie street, from Thirty-fourth to Thirty-fifth street; Calumet street, from Cresson to Powers street; and Allegheny avenue, from Hunting Park avenue to Ridge avenue.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Miller read in place bills to construct sewers in the following streets in the Thirty-ninth Ward: Tree street, from Moyamensing avenue to Seventh street, from Second to Eighth street, and from Ninth street to 150 feet east of Thirteenth street; Reese and Fairhill streets, from Wolf to Tree street; Daly street, from Seventh to Eleventh street, and from Second to Fifth street; Hancock street, from Snyder avenue to Jackson street; and Cantrell street, from Third to Fourth street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Renshaw read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to construct a sewer in Fifty-eighth street, from Ashland avenue to Hoffman avenue, in the Fortieth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place bills to pave the following streets in the Fortieth Ward: Eighty-sixth street, from Lyons avenue to Holstein avenue; Holstein avenue, from Eighty-sixth to Ninetieth street; Lyons avenue, from Eighty-fourth to Eighty-seventh street; and Fifty-eighth street, from Ashland avenue to Hoffman avenue.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Costello read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance fixing the maximum price of gas to consumers supplied from the House of Correction Gas Works."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also (by request), read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance giving into the charge of the Department of Public Health and Charities the grounds and improvements thereon belonging to the City of Philadelphia, situate at Essington and commonly known as the 'Orchard,' for

the purpose of using the same as a sanatorium for the temporary care of debilitated children, and providing for the appointment of a commission to take charge of the said sanatorium and receive funds.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to repave Twelfth street, from Market to Walnut street, in the Eighth and Ninth Wards."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Diamond read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to pay for construction of sewers in Allegheny avenue, west of Third street, under the road bed of the North Pennsylvania Railroad."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Schwarz read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Water), to pay certain bills."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place bills to pave the following streets in the Forty-fifth Ward: Salmon street, from Eddington street to Cemetery; Eddington and Croydon streets, from Richmond to Edgemont street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Dorman read in place bills to construct sewers in the following streets in the Forty-sixth Ward: Walnut and Sansom streets, from Sixty-second street to Cobb's Creek Parkway; Forty-eighth street, from Walnut to Larchwood street; Fiftieth street, from Spruce to Locust street; Catharine street, from Sixty-first to Sixty-third street; Spruce street, from Sixty-second to Sixty-third street; Walton avenue, from Sixty-first to Sixty-second street; Fifty-fourth street, from Larchwood to Cedar street; and Ludlow street, from Forty-sixth to Markoe street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place bills to lay water pipe in the following streets in the Forty-sixth Ward: Walnut and San-

som streets, from Sixty-second street to Cobb's Creek Parkway; Forty-eighth street, from Walnut to Larchwood street; Fifty-fourth street, from Larchwood to Cedar avenue; and Spruce street, from Sixty-second to Sixty-third street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Water.

Also, read in place bills to grade the following streets in the Forty-sixth Ward: Catharine and Spruce streets, from Sixty-second to Sixty-third street; Forty-eighth street, from Walnut to Larchwood street; Fiftieth street, from Spruce to Locust street; Fifty-fourth street, from Larchwood to Cedar avenue; and Chancellor street, from Fifty-fourth to Fifty-fifth street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Darrow offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit the General Construction Company to lay a temporary vitrified pipe in Quincy street and Emlen street." (*Appendix No. 6.*)

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was twice read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Mr. Dorman offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit Armstrong & Wiley to lay a temporary drain in the south side of Sansom street, from Fifty-sixth street east about 125 feet." (*Appendix No. 7.*)

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was twice read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Mr. McGurk offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of request to the Committee on Commerce and Navigation to investigate the charges that the mud was returning

to the Delaware river after being dredged.” (*Appendix No. 8.*)

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was twice read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Mr. Mohr offered the following, to wit: “Resolution requesting the Director of the Department of Public Safety to advertise for a lot, for fire and police purposes, in the vicinity of Nineteenth street and Hunting Park avenue, Thirty-eighth Ward.” (*Appendix No. 9.*)

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was twice read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Select Council informed Common Council that they had concurred in the following, to wit:

“Resolution to appoint a Joint Special Committee of five members from each Chamber, to make preparation for an appropriate celebration of the dawn of the year 1912, and to suspend Joint Rule No. 30 of the Select and Common Councils (*Appendix No. 4*), and had appointed Messrs. Harrington, Nealy, D’Autrechy, Dilworth, and Crawford, the Committee on part of Select Council.”

“Resolution requesting the Director of the Department of Public Safety to advertise for a lot, for fire and police purposes, in the vicinity of Nineteenth street and Hunting Park avenue, Thirty-eighth Ward.” (*Appendix No. 9.*)

The President announced the death of Mr. Geo. W. Kochersperger, late Chief Clerk of Common Council.

Mr. Morton moved that out of respect to our late Chief Clerk, Common Council do now adjourn.

Which was agreed to.

So Common Council adjourned.

Thursday, December 21, 1911.

Common Council met. Members present.

Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Cross, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Finnesey, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Humphrys, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morrison, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*.

Mr. Whitaker moved that the Journal of the last meeting be approved.

Which was agreed to.

The President presented a communication from the Director of the Department of Public Safety, relative to injury received by Edward Hilt, employed as a steam fitter in the Bureau of City Property, and asking that some provision be made by an appropriation providing either for wages, or provide him with a pension

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the Business Men's Association, to advocate improvements to League Island.

Which was read.

Mr. Connelly (by request) presented a communication from the Director of the Department of Supplies, asking for an appropriation to pay for goods furnished the said Department.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also (by request), read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation of nine thousand and eighty-four (9,084) dollars and five (5) cents to the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Water), and to authorize and direct the Director of the Department of Public Works to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant for the above amount in favor of Stuart Wood, for extra work and materials furnished in connection with his contract No. 35, for the installation of pumping machinery at the Torresdale Station."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Finnesey read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to repave Taney street, from Brown to the south side of Poplar street, in the Fifteenth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. McCloskey offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate gasoline lamp rear of alley between 983 and 985 N. Fifth street, in the Sixteenth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Mr. McGurk offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate three gasoline lamps in the Nineteenth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Mr. Darrow read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to construct a sewer in Magnolia street, from Johnson street to Cliveden avenue, in the Twenty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to grade McMahon avenue, from Woodlawn street to Locust avenue, in the Twenty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to

pave Magnolia street, from Johnson street to Cliveden avenue, in the Twenty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Cross offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate a gasoline lamp rear 721 N. Thirty-fifth street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Mr. Gubbins read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to construct a sewer in Emery street, from Clearfield street to Allegheny avenue, in the Twenty-fifth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place bills to repave the following streets in the Twenty-fifth Ward: Emery street, from Clearfield street to Allegheny avenue; and Martha street, from Somerset to Seltzer street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Humphrys read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to repave Taney street, from Poplar to Thompson street, in the Twenty-ninth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Umstead read in place bills to construct sewers in the following streets in the Thirty-fourth Ward: Edgewood and Robinson streets, from Haddington to Jefferson street.

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place bills to grade the following streets in the Thirty-fourth Ward: Edgewood, Redfield and Robinson streets, from Haddington to Jefferson street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Pennock read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to grade Frazier street, from Westminster avenue to Vine street, in the Thirty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to pave Frazier street, from Westminster avenue to Vine street, in the Thirty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. J. S. McQuade offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate three gasoline lamps in the Thirty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Also, read in place bills to open the following streets in the Thirty-fourth Ward: Sixty-sixth, Sixty-seventh, Sixty-eighth and Sixty-ninth, from Callowhill to Race street; Sixty-fourth street, from Lansdowne avenue to Haverford avenue; Callowhill street, from Sixty-fifth to Sixty-ninth street; Race street, from Sixty-fifth to Sixty-ninth street; Sixty-seventh street, from Race to Sixty-sixth street and elevated railroad; Daggett street, from Vine to Callowhill street; and Vine street, from Daggett to Sixty-ninth street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place bills to grade the following streets in the Thirty-fourth Ward: Sixty-sixth, Sixty-seventh, Sixty-eighth and Sixty-ninth streets, from Callowhill to Race street; Sixty-seventh street, from Race to Sixty-sixth street and elevated railroad; Race street, from Sixty-fifth to Sixty-ninth street; Callowhill street, from Sixty-fifth to Sixty-ninth street; Sixty-fourth street, from Lansdowne avenue to Haverford avenue; Daggett street, from Vine to Callowhill street; and Vine street, from Daggett to Sixty-ninth street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to pave Race street, from Salford to Sixtieth street, in the Thirty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Woodill read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to pave Craig street, from Rhawn to Solly street, in the Thirty-fifth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place bills to surface the following streets in the Thirty-fifth Ward: Solly street, from Rowland avenue to Frankford avenue; Palmetto street, from Cottman to Shelmire street; Rising Sun avenue, from Oxford

avenue to Bleigh street; and Rowland avenue, from Rhawn to Solly street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Smithies read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to open Commissioner street, from Thirty-fifth street to Ridge avenue, in the Thirty-eighth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Kline read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to pave Bambrey street, from Allegheny avenue to Willard street, in the Thirty-eighth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Renshaw read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to permit the Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington Railroad Company (Central Division) to lay a siding on the southeast side of said railroad, southeast of Hoffman avenue.

Which was referred to the Committee on Steam Railroads.

Mr. Walton read in place bills to construct sewers in the following streets in the Forty-second Ward: Sydenham street, from Rockland to Loudon street; and Rockland street, from Windrim avenue to Fifteenth street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place bills to lay water pipe in the following streets in the Forty-second Ward: Sydenham street, from Rockland to Loudon street; and Rockland street, from Windrim avenue to Fifteenth street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Water.

Also, read in place bills to grade the following streets in the Forty-second Ward: Sydenham street, from Rockland to Loudon street; and Rockland street, from Fifteenth street to Windrim avenue.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place bills to pave the following streets in the Forty-second Ward: Sydenham street, from Rockland to Loudon street; Rockland street, from Windrim avenue to Fifteenth street; and Wyoming avenue, from Belfield avenue to Sixteenth street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. G. D. Cox read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to grade Eighth street, from Ontario to Tioga street, in the Forty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to pave Ontario street, from Seventh to Ninth street, in the Forty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. F. A. Smith offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate three gasoline lamps in the Forty-sixth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Mr. Dorman read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to construct a sewer in Locust street, from Forty-seventh to Forty-eighth street, in the Forty-sixth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place bills to grade the following streets in the Forty-sixth Ward: Spruce street, from Sixty-second to Sixty-third street; and Locust street, from Forty-seventh to Forty-eighth street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place bills to pave the following streets in the Forty-sixth Ward: Spruce street, from Sixty-second to Sixty-third street; and Locust street, from Forty-seventh to Forty-eighth street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Hardart read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to amend ordinance approved April 15, 1908, entitled 'An Ordinance to provide for a Bureau of Inspection of Passenger and Freight Elevators.'"

Which was referred to the Committee on City Property.

Mr. Connelly, Chairman of the Committee on Finance, presented a report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to approve the sureties on the official bonds of Michael J. Ryan, City Solicitor; George D. Porter, Director of the Department of Public Safety; George W. Norris, Director of the Department of Wharves, Docks

and Ferries; Morris L. Cooke, Director of the Department of Public Works; Herman Loeb, Director of the Department of Supplies; and John D. Powers and Frank J. Gorman, County Commissioners." (*Appendix No. 10.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance directing the City Treasurer to withdraw the Tradesmen's Trust Company deposit from his daily returns." (*Appendix No. 11.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to provide for the transfer of unexpended balances appropriated or borrowed for school purposes to the use of the school authorities of the School District of Philadelphia, and authorizing the drawing and countersigning of a warrant or warrants for said purpose." (*Appendix No. 12.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Law Department, for the year 1912." (*Appendix No. 13.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Commissioners of Fairmount Park, for the year 1912." (*Appendix No. 14.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Mayor, for the year 1912." (*Appendix No. 15.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize certain transfers in the annual appropriation to

the various Bureaus in the Departments of Public Safety, Public Works, Public Health and Charities, Wharves, Docks and Ferries, Mayor, Board of Recreation, City Controller, Board of Revision of Taxes and City Treasurer, for the year 1911." (*Appendix No. 16.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance directing that balances in certain items in the annual appropriation for the year 1911, to the various Bureaus in the Departments of Public Safety, Public Works, Mayor, Board of Recreation, Clerks of Councils and Commissioners of Fairmount Park and Board of Revision of Taxes, shall not merge December 31, 1911." (*Appendix No. 17.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Board of Recreation, for the year 1912." (*Appendix No. 18.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of Wharves, Docks and Ferries, for the year 1912." (*Appendix No. 19.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of Supplies, for the year 1912." (*Appendix No. 20.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of Public Works, for the year 1912." (*Appendix No. 21.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to make

an appropriation to the Department of Public Safety, for the year 1912." (*Appendix No. 22.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of Public Health and Charities, for the year 1912." (*Appendix No. 23.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Mr. Connelly offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to appoint a Joint Special Committee of five members from each Chamber to act in conjunction with the Business Men's Association of the City of Philadelphia, with a view to keep before the people and advocate improvements at League Island and a deeper channel for the Delaware river." (*Appendix No. 24.*)

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was twice read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The President appointed Messrs. Connelly, Whitaker, C. C. Cox, Umstead and Miller, the Committee on the part of Common Councils.

Mr. Connelly moved to proceed to the nomination and election of a Committee Clerk, for unexpired term of George W. Kochersperger, deceased.

Which was agreed to.

Also, nominated Joseph Marcus.

Mr. Darrow moved that he be elected by acclamation.

Which was unanimously agreed to.

And Joseph Marcus was declared unanimously elected Committee Clerk, for the unexpired term of George W. Kochersperger, deceased.

Select Council informed Common Council that they had passed resolution (*Appendix No. 7*) entitled "Resolution of request to the Director of the Department of

Public Safety to furnish Councils with information relative to the furnishing of fire nets to police patrol wagons."

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred.

Also, informed Common Council that they had concurred in the following, to wit:

"Resolution of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit William and Harvey Rowland to lay a temporary terra cotta drain in Lewis street, from sewer in Tacony street to a point about 125 feet southeast of Tacony street." (Appendix No. 2.)

"Resolution of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit George Allen to lay a temporary terra cotta drain in the east side of Thompson street, 107 feet south of Ontario street." (Appendix No. 3.)

Mr. Whitaker moved that Common Council do now adjourn.

Which was agreed to.

So Common Council adjourned.

Thursday, December 28, 1911.

A Special Meeting of Common Council was held this day, pursuant to the following call:

Philadelphia, December 22, 1911.

MR. WILLIAM H. FELTON,
Chief Clerk of Common Council.

DEAR SIR:—Kindly call a Special Meeting of Common Council for Thursday, December 28, 1911, at 1.30 P. M., for the transaction of general business.

Very respectfully yours,

GEORGE McCURDY,
President.

Members present:

Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankfield, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morrison, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't.*

Mr. Van Houten moved that the Journal of the last meeting be approved.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Joseph Marcus appeared before the Clerk's desk, where the oath of office as Committee Clerk was administered to him by the President.

The President presented a communication from the Permanent International Association of Navigation Congresses, transmitting a copy of bill entitled "An Ordinance providing for an appropriation of \$50,000 to be applied to the purpose of the Twelfth International Congresses of Navigation to be held in Philadelphia."

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented the following:

Philadelphia, December 26, 1911.

GEORGE McCURDY, Esq.,

President of Common Council.

DEAR SIR:—I hope Councils will make no change in the appropriation bill limiting employment in the Department of Public Works to residents of Philadelphia.

There is no talent in the country better than can be had right here in Philadelphia.

It is an outrage to bring would-be experts into Philadelphia. This has been one of the curses of the Republican Party, and I hope it will not continue.

Yours very truly,

DAVIS E. SUPPLEE.

Which was read, and laid on the table for the present.

Also, presented a communication from the Director of the Department of Public Safety, forwarding a communication from the Superintendent of Police, requesting an appropriation for repairs necessary to place the Police Boats Samuel H. Ashbridge, William S. Stokley, Samuel G. King and the Fire Boat Edwin S. Stuart in good condition.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the Director of the Department of Public Safety, relative to a systematic electrical inspection of the moving picture shows in the City.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Ward offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate two gasoline lamps in the Seventh Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Mr. Connelly presented a communication from the Director of the Department of Public Safety, requesting an appropriation for installing a new police and fire alarm cable in the Fourteenth District Police Station.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from J. Washington Logue, Esq., Attorney-at-Law, requesting an appropriation to reimburse the Catholic Union for the restoration of the Father Mathew statue in Fairmount Park.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the City Treasurer, relative to repairs to the vault doors, bronze grill work and office furnishing in said office.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also (by request), read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to reimburse David McMahon for constructing sewer in Dorsett street, from Anderson street to Stenton avenue, and transmittal of bills to the City Solicitor for collection."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also (by request), read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Director of the Department of Public Works to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, certain warrants in payment for work heretofore done and materials heretofore furnished during the year 1911."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also (by request), read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to approve the surety of Andrew Stephen Murphy, Assistant Director of the Department of Public Safety."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Darrow read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to open Cresheim road, from Carpenter street to Mt. Pleasant avenue, in the Twenty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place bills to grade the following streets in the Twenty-second Ward: Stenton avenue, from Washington lane to Cheltenham avenue; and Cresheim road, from Carpenter street to Mt. Pleasant avenue.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Morrison read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the City Commissioners, for the purpose of defraying expenses of the Second Troop, P. C. C., N. G. P., Squadron 'A.'"

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the City Commissioners, for the maintenance of the Veteran Corps of the Second Troop, P. C. C., N. G. P."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Limeburner offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate a gasoline lamp in front of 2301 Opal street, in the Twenty-eighth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Mr. J. S. McQuade read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to open Sixty-fifth street, from Haverford avenue to Lansdowne avenue, in the Thirty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to grade Sixty-fifth street, from Haverford avenue to Lansdowne avenue, in the Thirty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. R. Smith (by request) read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to pay the Estate of Thomas Cunningham

for expenses incurred in executing contract for paving Fifth street, from Luzerne street to Wingohocking street, and for expenses incurred and loss sustained by them."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Walton read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to construct a sewer in Limekiln pike, from Sixty-fifth avenue north to Sixty-sixth avenue north, in the Forty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to lay water pipe in Marvine street, from Rockland to Ruscomb street, in the Forty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Water.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to open Stenton avenue, from Limekiln pike to Eastburn street, in the Forty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place bills to grade the following streets in the Forty-second Ward: Twentieth street, from Stenton avenue to Chelton avenue; Eleventh street, from Rockland to Loudon street; Camac street, from Wyoming avenue to Loudon street; Lindley avenue, from Windrim to Eleventh street; Marvine street, from Rockland to Ruscomb street; and Second street, from Tabor to Chew street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place bills to pave the following streets in the Forty-second Ward: Second street, from Tabor to Chew street; Marvine street, from Rockland to Ruscomb street; Camac street, from Wyoming avenue to Loudon street; Ruscomb street, from east side of Eleventh to west side of Twelfth street; and Eleventh street, from Loudon to Rockland street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to macadamize Camac street, from Wagner to Fisher's avenue, in the Forty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. G. D. Cox read in place bills to locate electric lights in the Forty-third ward.

Which were referred to the Electrical Committee.

Also, offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate gasoline lamps in the Forty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the completion of the main sewer in Indiana avenue, from Mutter to Twelfth street, in the Thirty-third and Forty-third Wards."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place bills to pave the following streets in the Forty-third Ward: Fifth street, from Luzerne to Wingohocking street; and Lycoming street, from Marshall to Sixth street, in the Forty-third Ward.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Frankenfield read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to locate three electrical lights in the Forty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Electrical Committee.

Mr. F. A. Smith read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to grade Chancellor street, from Fifty-ninth to Sixtieth street, in the Forty-sixth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to pave Chancellor street, from Fifty-ninth to Sixtieth street, in the Forty-sixth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to place Hanson street, from Walnut to Locust street, in the Forty-sixth Ward, on the City plan."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Dorman read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to locate two electric lights in the Forty-sixth Ward."

Which was referred to the Electrical Committee.

Mr. Connelly moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 10) entitled "An

Ordinance to approve the sureties on the official bonds of Michael J. Ryan, City Solicitor; George D. Porter, Director of the Department of Public Safety; George W. Norris, Director of the Department of Wharves, Docks and Ferries; Morris L. Cooke, Director of the Department of Public Works; Herman Loeb, Director of the Department of Supplies; and John D. Powers and Frank J. Gorman, County Commissioners."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Darrow, Derr, Diamond, Dorman, Dewart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gourie, Gubbins, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Jenkinson, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, McCarthy, McCloskey, McGinnis, J. S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morrison, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walton, Whitaker, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—62.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 11) entitled "An Ordinance directing the City Treasurer to withdraw the Tradesmen's Trust Company deposit from his daily returns."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Darrow, Derr, Diamond, Dorman, Dewart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gourie, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Jenkinson, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan, J. S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morrison, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Whitaker, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—67.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 15) entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Mayor, for the year 1912."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dor-

man, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Halm, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan, J. S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morrison, Parry, Pennock, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—69.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Mr. Dripps presented the following:

I vote "AYE" on Section 1 of "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Mayor, for the year 1912." (Appendix 15), while objecting to Item 16 on the ground that it is contrary to law, in the belief that the defect as to this one item can and will be most effectually overcome by the veto of the Mayor.

ROBERT D. DRIPPS.

Mr. Burke presented the following:

I vote "AYE" because the appropriation for 1912 must be made at once, although sufficient time for proper consideration of the ordinances has not been given.

WILLIAM BURKE.

Mr. Jenkinson presented the following:

I vote "Aye" because the appropriations for 1912 must be made at once, although time for adequate consideration has not been given.

J. FRED'K JENKINSON.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 13) entitled "An Ordinance

to make an appropriation to the Law Department, for the year 1912."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gallagher, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McGinnis, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morrison, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—70.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 14) entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Commissioners of Fairmount Park, for the year 1912."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cabill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frank-enfield, Gallagher, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Hahn, Hard-art, Horn, Howard, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Lime-burner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morrison, Pennock, Ragan, Ren-shaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy.
Pres't—73.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved that Common Council do now adjourn.

Which was agreed to.

So Common Council adjourned.

Thursday, December 28, 1911.

Common Council met. Members present.

Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankenhof, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarty, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morrison, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*.

Mr. Flynn moved that the Journal of the last meeting be approved.

Which was agreed to.

The Secretary to the Mayor was introduced, when he presented a message, in writing, from the Mayor, calling attention to a clause appearing in the annual appropriations, relative to the appointments of employees in the different Departments. (*Appendix No. 25.*)

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Connelly moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (*Appendix No. 18*) entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Board of Recreation, for the year 1912."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankenfeld, Gillingham, Gilson, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan, J. S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Morrison, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—71.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 19) entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of Wharves, Docks and Ferries, for the year 1912."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Paizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Darrow, Derr,

Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morrison, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Rutdinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—78.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 20) entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of Supplies, for the year 1912."

Which was agreed to.

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

The second section was again read, and agreed to.

The third section was again read, and agreed to.

The fourth section was again read, and agreed to.

The fifth section was again read, and agreed to.

The sixth section was again read, and agreed to.

The seventh section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Darrow, Derr,

Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Krieder, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morrison, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill and McCurdy, *Pres't*—78.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 23) entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of Public Health and Charities, for the year 1912."

Which was agreed to.

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

The second section was again read.

Mr. Morrison moved to amend Item 10, by striking out the words and figures "six thousand (6,000) dollars."

Which was not agreed to.

The question being on agreeing to the section,

It was agreed to.

The third section was read.

Mr. Horn moved to amend by striking out the following: "Item 3, wages on petty pay roll, thirteen thousand (13,000) dollars."

Which was not agreed to.

The question being on agreeing to the section,

It was agreed to.

The fourth section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gillingham, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Morrison, Morton, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stuebing, Trinkle, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—69.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 21) entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of Public Works, for the year 1912."

Which was agreed to.

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

The second section was again read, and agreed to.

The third section was again read, and agreed to.

The fourth section was again read, and agreed to.

The fifth section was again read, and agreed to.

The sixth section was again read, and agreed to.

The seventh section was again read, and agreed to.

The eighth section was again read, and agreed to.

The ninth section was again read, and agreed to.

The tenth section was again read.

Mr. Darrow moved to amend next to last paragraph by adding the following: "*Provided, however, This shall not be construed as applying to the employment of technical experts.*"

Which was agreed to.

The section as amended was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The amendments having been printed, by unanimous consent.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Humphrys, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morrison, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Unstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—77.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 22) entitled "An Ordi-

nance to make an appropriation to the Department of Public Safety, for the year 1912."

Which was agreed to.

The first section was again read, and agreed to:

The second section was again read, and agreed to.

The third section was again read, and agreed to.

The fourth section was again read, and agreed to.

The fifth section was again read.

Also, moved to amend Section 5 (Electrical Bureau), by striking out the words and figures "one million six hundred and seventy-six thousand seven hundred and seventy-one (1,676,771) dollars and seventy-one (71) cents," and inserting the words and figures: "one million six hundred and twenty-six thousand seven hundred and seventy-one (1,626,771) dollars and seventy-one (71) cents."

Amend Item 9 by striking out the words and figures "one million three hundred and thirty-six thousand two hundred and eighty-seven (1,336,287) dollars and ninety-six (96) cents," and inserting the words and figures: "one million two hundred and eighty-six thousand two hundred and eighty-seven (1,286,287) dollars and ninety-six (96) cents."

Amend the total of the appropriation accordingly.

Which was agreed to.

The section as amended was agreed to.

The sixth section was again read, and agreed to.

The seventh section was again read, and agreed to.

The eighth section was again read, and agreed to.

The ninth section was again read, and agreed to.

The tenth section was again read, and agreed to.

The eleventh section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The amendments having been printed, by unanimous consent,

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Coun, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morrison, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—77.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 17) entitled "An Ordinance directing that balances in the annual appropriations for the year 1911, to the various Bureaus in the Departments of Public Safety, Public Works, Mayor, Board of Recreation, Clerks of Councils, Commissioners of Fairmount Park and Board of Revision of Taxes, shall not merge December 31, 1911."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minhart, Mohr, Morrison, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill and McCurdy, *Pres't*—78.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 16) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize certain transfers in the annual appropriations to the various Bureaus in the Departments of Public Safety, Public Works, Public Health and Charities, Wharves, Docks and Ferries, Mayor, Board of Recreation, City Controller, Board of Revision of Taxes and City Treasurer, for the year 1911."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, W. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Darrow, Derr,

Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Kreider Limeburner, Lombardi, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morrison, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—77.

NAYS—None.

Two-thirds of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Select Council informed Common Council that they had passed resolution (Appendix No. 9) entitled "Resolution of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit Folwell Brothers to lay a temporary terra cotta drain under sidewalk in the west side of American street, from Cambria street southward."

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred.

Also, informed Common Council that they had passed resolution (Appendix No. 10) entitled "Resolution of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit George T. Sale to lay a temporary terra cotta drain in Oxford avenue, from four feet north of the north curb line of Frankford avenue to about seventy-four feet north of Frankford avenue."

Also, informed Common Council that they had passed resolution (Appendix No. 11) entitled "Resolution of

request to the Philadelphia Rapid Transit Company relative to tracks on Sedgley avenue."

Also, informed Common Council that they had passed resolution (Appendix No. 12) entitled "Resolution of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit Charles Schilling to lay a temporary terra cotta drain in Ruscomb street, about 200 feet west of A street."

Also, informed Common Council that they had passed resolution (Appendix No. 15) entitled "Resolution of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit the General Construction Company to lay a temporary vitrified pipe drain in Quincy and Emlen streets."

Also, informed Common Council that they had concurred in the following, to wit:

"An Ordinance to approve the sureties on the official bonds of Michael J. Ryan, City Solicitor; George D. Porter, Director of the Department of Public Safety; George W. Norris, Director of the Department of Wharves, Docks and Ferries; Morris L. Cooke, Director of the Department of Public Works; Herman Loeb, Director of the Department of Supplies; and John D. Powers and Frank J. Gorman, County Commissioners." (Appendix No. 10.)

"An Ordinance directing the City Treasurer to withdraw the Tradesmen's Trust Company deposit from his daily returns." (Appendix No. 11.)

"An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Law Department, for the year 1912." (Appendix No. 13.)

"An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Commissioners of Fairmount Park, for the year 1912." (Appendix No. 14.)

"An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Mayor, for the year 1912." (Appendix No. 15.)

"An Ordinance to authorize certain transfers in the annual appropriations to the various Bureaus in the Departments of Public Safety, Public Works, Public Health and Charities, Wharves, Docks and Ferries, Mayor, Board

of Recreation, City Controller, Board of Revision of Taxes and City Treasurer, for the year 1911." (Appendix No. 16.)

"An Ordinance directing that balances in the annual appropriations for the year 1911, to the various Bureaus in the Departments of Public Safety, Public Works, Mayor, Board of Recreation, Clerks of Councils, Commissioners of Fairmount Park and Board of Revision of Taxes, shall not merge December 31, 1911." (Appendix No. 17.)

"An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Board of Recreation, for the year 1912." (Appendix No. 18.)

"An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of Wharves, Docks and Ferries, for the year 1912." (Appendix No. 19.)

"An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of Supplies, for the year 1912." (Appendix No. 20.)

"An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of Public Works, for the year 1912." (Appendix No. 21.)

"An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of Public Safety, for the year 1912." (Appendix No. 22.)

"An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of Public Health and Charities, for the year 1912." (Appendix No. 23.)

Mr. J. S. McQuade moved that Common Council do now adjourn.

Which was agreed to.

So Common Council adjourned.

Thursday, January 4, 1912.

Common Council met. Members present:

Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Cross, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Jenkinson Keene, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Lineburner, McCarthy, McElroy, McGinnis, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Walter, Walton, Ward, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't.*

Mr. Conn moved that the Journal of the last meeting be approved.

Which was agreed to.

The Secretary to the Mayor was introduced, when he presented a message from the Mayor, informing Councils that he had approved Common Council bill (Appendix No. 15) entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Mayor, for the year 1912," excepting Item 16, for Committee of Comprehensive Plans. (*Appendix No. 26.*)

The message was read.

The question being, shall the Item pass notwithstanding the objection of the Mayor?

Mr. Connelly moved that the message be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Which was agreed to.

Also, presented a further message, transmitting two ordinances making appropriations for the Public Aquarium and Art Jury. (*Appendix No. 27.*)

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a further message, enclosing paper referring to the work done by the Manufacturers' Appraisal Company. (*Appendix No. 28.*)

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

The President presented a communication from Messrs. Ehrlich & Archbald, Attorneys-at-Law, enclosing "An Ordinance granting permission to William J. Bradley, Receiver and Ancillary Receiver of the Gloucester Ferry Co., to sell and assign a certain lease for South Street Wharf."

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the Director of the Department of Public Safety, relative to the use of life nets on patrol wagons, truck and engine companies.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Conn read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the resurfacing with asphalt of Walnut street, between Twenty-third and Thirty-third streets."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Connelly read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay for paving on Fountain street, between Ridge avenue and Sheldon street."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also (by request), read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize payment to the Barber Asphalt Paving Company, for resurfacing Broad street, from South Penn Square to Chestnut street."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to

place Upshur street, from New Market street east to dead end, in the Eleventh Ward, on the City plan."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Darrow read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation for improving Lincoln drive, from Carpenter street to Allens lane, in the Twenty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to locate an electric light on the north side of Chelton avenue, one hundred and ninety feet west of Baynton street, in the Twenty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Electrical Committee.

Mr. Dripps read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to construct a sewer in Mermaid lane, from Cherokee to Huron street, in the Twenty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to lay water pipe in Mermaid lane, from Cherokee street to St. Martins lane, in the Twenty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Water.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to macadamize Mermaid lane, from Cherokee street to St. Martins lane, in the Twenty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. White offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate a gasoline lamp in rear 3705 Haverford street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Mr. Gillingham offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate a gasoline lamp in alleyway on the north side of the Alhambra Theatre, at Twelfth and Passyunk avenue, in the Twenty-sixth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Mr. W. Burke read in place bills to grade the following streets in the Thirty-third Ward: Venango street, from

Front to Kip street; and K street, from Old Front road to York road.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Pennock read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to pave Edgewood street, from Race to Vine street, in the Thirty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. J. S. McQuade read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to revise the boundaries of Morris Park, in the Thirty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the construction of a bridge on the line of City avenue over Indian Run west of Sixty-sixth street, in the Thirty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the revision of the grade of City avenue, from Lancaster avenue to Haverford street, and of the streets adjacent thereto, in the Thirty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Woodill read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to grade Welsh road, from Verree road to County line, in the Thirty-fifth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to surface Welsh road, from Verree road to County line, in the Thirty-fifth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. R. Smith read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to place Lambert street, from Porter to Shunk street, in the Thirty-sixth Ward, on the City plan."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Smithies offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate gasoline lamps in the Thirty-eighth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to grade Scotts lane, from Queen lane to Cresson street, in the Thirty-eighth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to pave Midvale avenue, from Conrad street to Reading Railroad bridge, in the Thirty-eighth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Mohr offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate gasoline lamps in the Thirty-eighth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Mr. Kline offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate gasoline lamps in the Thirty-eighth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Mr. Renshaw read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to grade Frazier street, from Greenway avenue to Kingessing avenue, in the Fortieth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Walton read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to construct a sewer in Twelfth street, from Lindley avenue to Duncannon avenue, in the Forty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place bills to place the following streets in the Forty-second Ward on the City plan: Seventh street, from Sheel street to Duncannon avenue; and Duncannon avenue, from Eighth to Seventh street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to grade Twelfth street, from Lindley avenue to Duncannon avenue, in the Forty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to pave Twelfth street, from Lindley avenue to Duncannon avenue, in the Forty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. G. D. Cox read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to grade Twelfth street, from Lindley avenue to Duncannon avenue, in the Forty-second Ward."

nance to open Sixteenth street, from Jerome to Hunting Park avenue, in the Forty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Schwarz read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to purchase lot of ground bounded by Buckins, Richmond, Jenks and Bath streets, for park purposes."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the condemnation of property on Kensington avenue, from Schiller to Tioga street, in the Forty-fifth Ward, for park purposes."

Which was referred to the Committee on City Property.

Mr. Connelly offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to amend Rule 9 of the Joint Rules of the Select and Common Councils, relative to Regular Meetings of Councils." (*Appendix No. 29.*)

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was twice read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The yeas and nays were required, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Cross, Darrow, Derr, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McElroy, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minchart, Mohr, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Walter, Walton, Ward, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—72.

NAYS—None.

Two-thirds of the members present having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,
And the resolution passed.

Also, offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to appoint a Special Committee of five members of Common Council to revise the rules of Common Council." (*Appendix No. 30.*)

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was twice read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The President appointed Messrs. Connelly, Dripps, Costello, Limeburner, and Conn the Committee.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 12) entitled "An Ordinance to provide for the transfer of unexpended balances appropriated or borrowed for school purposes to the use of the school authorities of the School District of Philadelphia, and authorizing the drawing and countersigning of a warrant or warrants for said purpose."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The preamble was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Cross, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankenhof, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Horn, Howard, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kline Kreider, Limeburner, McCarthy, McElroy, McGinnis, McGurk,

S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Umstead, Van Houten, Walter, Walton, Ward, Whitaker, White, Williams, Wood-ill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—69.

NAYS—Mr. J. S. McQuade—1.

Two-thirds of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Select Council informed Common Council that they had received a report from the Committee on City Property, with bill (Appendix No. 16) annexed entitled "An Ordinance to transfer the control and custody of Weccacoe Square playground, and certain employees from the Bureau of City Property (Department of Public Safety) to the Board of Recreation."

Which they had passed.

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the bill.

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

The second section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Cross, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, McElroy, McGinnis, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Minehart, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A.

Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Steubing Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Walter, Walton, Ward, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—66.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Also, informed Common Council that they had received a report from the same Committee, with bill (Appendix No. 17) annexed entitled "An Ordinance designating the open space in the center of Bainbridge street, between Third and Fifth streets, as the Edwin Shippen Plaza."

Which they had passed.

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the bill.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Cross, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dowman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn Frankenfield, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, McCarthy, McElroy, McGinnis, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Walter, Walton, Ward, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—72.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Also, informed Common Council that they had received a report from the same Committee, with bill (Appendix No. 18) annexed entitled "An Ordinance designating plot of ground bounded by Germantown avenue, Broad street, and Butler street as Sergeant Hamilton Fish Plaza, and permitting the erection of a monument, flag pole and guns."

Which they had passed.

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the bill.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Cross, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dowman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, McCarthy, McElroy, McGinknis, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minchart, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Umstead, Van Houten, Walter, Walton, Ward, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—72.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Also, informed Common Council that they had passed resolution (Appendix No. 20) entitled "Resolution of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit Dr. T. Gilchrist to lay a temporary terra cotta drain in B street, 70 feet north of Tioga street."

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred.

Common Council proceeded to second reading of Select Council resolution (Appendix No. 11) entitled "Resolution of request to the Philadelphia Rapid Transit Company, relative to tracks on Sedgley avenue."

The resolution was again read, and agreed to.

The preamble was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred.

Also, proceeded to second reading of Select Council resolution (Appendix No. 12) entitled "Resolution of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit Charles Schilling to lay a temporary terra cotta drain in Ruscomb street, about 200 feet west of A street."

The resolution was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred.

Also, proceeded to second reading of Select Council resolution (Appendix No. 15) entitled "Resolution of re-

quest to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit the General Construction Company to lay a temporary vitrified pipe drain in Quincy and Elmen streets."

The resolution was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred .

Select Council informed Common Council that they had concurred in the following, to wit:

"An Ordinance to provide for the transfer of unexpended balances appropriated or borrowed for school purposes to the use of the school authorities of the School District of Philadelphia, and authorizing the drawing and countersigning of a warrant or warrants for said purpose." (Appendix No. 12.)

"Resolution to amend Rule No. 9 of the Joint Rules of the Select and Common Councils, relative to Regular Meetings of Councils." (Appendix No. 29.)

Mr. Kreider moved that Common Council do now adjourn.

Which was agreed to.

So Common Council adjourned.

Thursday, January 18, 1912.

Common Council met. Members present:

Messrs. Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gleason, Gubbins, Hahn, Horn, Howard, Humphrys, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*.

Mr. Van Houten moved that the Journal of the last meeting be approved.

Which was agreed to.

The President presented the following:

Pittsburgh, Pa., January 16, 1912.

GEORGE MCCURDY, Esq.,

President of Common Council.

DEAR SIR:—Owing to a business engagement out of the City I will be unable to attend the next session of Council, and will ask to be excused.

Yours very truly,

WM. H. CROSS.

Philadelphia, January 18, 1912.

GEORGE McCURDY, Esq.,

President of Common Council.

DEAR SIR:—It will be impossible for me to attend the meeting of Common Council to-day.

Kindly have me excused.

Very truly yours,

JAMES GOURIE.

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Philadelphia, January 18, 1912.

GEORGE McCURDY, Esq.,

President of Common Council.

DEAR SIR:—Owing to a very imperative business engagement I will be unable to attend the meeting of Common Council to-day.

Very respectfully yours,

JOHN H. BAIZLEY.

Also, presented a communication from the City Controller, with an estimate of cost of providing sufficient office space to accommodate the increased business of the office.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a further communication from the City Controller, notifying Councils that the excess of actual receipts over the estimated receipts for the year 1911 to be \$2,040.427.81. (*Appendix No. 31.*)

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the Northern Liberties Civic League, asking that Councils authorize

the negotiation of the loan of \$1,750,000 for the erection of building for elementary schools.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the Director of the Department of Supplies, relative to the establishment of a central warehouse, lump sum appropriation, and the needs of the Department, the appointment of additional inspectors, accompanied with a bill.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the Director of the Department of Public Safety, calling attention to the fact that the Electrical Bureau had issued permits to the number of 18,882, from which the said Bureau derives no benefit or revenue, and asking a bill be passed fixing fees for said permits.

Which was read, and referred to the Electrical Committee.

Also, presented a communication from the Director of the Department of Supplies, accompanied with a bill to make an appropriation to the Department of Supplies for the Mayor and use of the Art Jury, for the year 1912.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a bill entitled "An Ordinance to repeal an ordinance to place upon the City plan as a public park Whitehall Commons, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of Philadelphia."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also (by request), presented a bill entitled "An Ordinance to repeal portion of ordinance approved December 2, 1911, entitled 'An Ordinance to place on the City plan as a public park certain tracts of land in the Thirty-fourth Ward as additions to Cobbs Creek Park and Morris Park, and to make the necessary revision of lines and grades of streets.'"

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

The Secretary to the Mayor was introduced, when he presented a message from the Mayor, calling attention of Councils to his veto of the appropriation for expenses of the Committee on Comprehensive Plans and requesting the passage of two ordinances, one providing for the repeal of the ordinance of July 11, 1911, and the other providing for the creation of a Committee on Comprehensive Plans, for an appropriation for the expenses of the work. (*Appendix No. 32.*)

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a further message from the Mayor, transmitting a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the laying of a temporary terra cotta stormwater drain in Twelfth street and in Sixty-fifth avenue north, to Eleventh and Warnock streets." (*Appendix No. 33.*)

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Stuebing read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of Public Safety (Bureau of City Property), for alterations and repairs to the Twenty-fifth District Police Station."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Conn read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to resurface Ninth street, from Chestnut to Walnut street, in the Eighth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Gleason read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to repave Thirteenth street, from Market to Arch street, in the Ninth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Connelly presented a communication from the Recorder of Deeds, requesting an appropriation for altering and refurnishing rooms for the use of said office.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the Director of the Department of Public Safety, requesting an appro-

priation to pay the rental of a property on Second street, above Lehigh avenue, which has been used for fire purposes.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the Director of the Department of Public Safety, requesting appropriations for the improvement of Congress Hall and Independence Square, and for the erection of a Crematorium.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the Director of the Department of Public Health and Charities, requesting an appropriation to defray the cost of an exhibition for Philadelphia at the International Congress on Hygiene and Demography, in Washington, D. C.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the Director of the Department of Public Safety, requesting an appropriation to the Bureau of Police for the establishment of a printing plant.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the Director of the Department of Public Safety, requesting that a position of stenographer and typewriter be created for the Bureau of Fire.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the District Attorney, requesting an increase in salary for two stenographers and typewriters in said office.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the Women's

Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, requesting an additional appropriation for extra water stations.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the Inspectors of the County Prisons, requesting an additional appropriation for supplies, etc., for the Reed Street and Holmesburg Prisons.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the Director of the Department of Public Works, relative to the removal of snow from the business part of the City.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the Director of the Department of Public Safety, relative to the transfer of a certain employee from the Electrical Bureau to the Bureau of Water.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the Director of the Department of Public Safety, requesting an appropriation for an additional Superintendent of Public Baths.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also (by request), read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation for the purchase of a new automobile for the Mayor."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also (by request), read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay for paving Trenton avenue, between Somerset and Cambria streets, and the transmittal of said bills to the City Solicitor for collection."

Which were referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation for the payment of salaries of electrical draw operators and watchmen on Passyunk avenue draw bridge, over the Schuylkill river."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Board of Recreation to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, warrant against Item 15a (loan) in the appropriation to the Board of Recreation, for extra foundation work for recreation building, Fifty-sixth and Christian streets."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place bills to authorize certain transfers in the annual appropriation to the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Highways), for the year 1912.

Which were referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to amend an ordinance entitled 'An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of Public Works, for the year 1912.'"

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also (by request), read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Mayor to enter into a lease with the Board of Managers of the Pennsylvania Museum and School of Industrial Art, for the plot of ground at the northeast corner of Broad street and Allegheny avenue."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also (by request), read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Mayor to enter into a contract for the construction of a temporary Convention Hall on plot of ground at the northeast corner of Broad street and Allegheny avenue."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also (by request), read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance regulating the deposit of City money, fixing the amount of interest to be paid thereon, and requiring certain security.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. S. McQuade read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance directing each and every licensed place of amusement to pay for the services of firemen on duty at each performance."

Which was referred to the Committee on Police and Fire.

Mr. Darrow (by request) read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of Public Safety, for the year 1912, for the purchase of a fire house in the Twenty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the construction of a sewer in the east side of Wayne avenue, between Arbutus and Hortter streets, in the Twenty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the reconstruction of the branch sewer in Apsley street, from Greene street to a point about 170 feet southwestward, and in connection therewith to construct or reconstruct inlets in and repave the intersection of Apsley and Greene streets."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Horn read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to lay water pipe in Adams or Asylum road, from Wyoming to Arrott street, in the Twenty-third and Thirty-fifth Wards."

Which was referred to the Committee on Water.

Mr. Parry read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to locate two electric lights on Girard avenue, between Thirty-eighth and Thirty-ninth streets, in the Twenty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Electrical Committee.

Mr. Gubbins presented a communication from the Members of the Board of School Visitors of the Twenty-fifth Ward, relative to a public playground in said ward.

Which was referred to the Committee on Schools.

Also, presented a communication from the Members of the Board of School Visitors of the Twenty-fifth Ward, relative to paving the streets near their school buildings with some quiet material.

Which was referred to the Committee on Schools.

Mr. Limeburner offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate a gasoline lamp in alley rear 2658 N. Thirty-first street, in the Twenty-eighth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Mr. Simmington offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate a gasoline lamp in alley rear 2527 N. Thirty-second street, in the Twenty-eighth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Also, read in place bills to repave the following streets in the Twenty-eighth Ward: Twenty-ninth street, from York to Cumberland street; and Thirtieth street, from York to Gordon street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Kreider read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to locate two electric lights in the Thirty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Electrical Committee.

Also, read in place bills to repave the following streets in the Thirty-second Ward: Berks street, from Taney street to Glenwood avenue; and Twenty-second street, from Diamond to Norris street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Pennock read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation for the completion of the main sewer in the line of Fifty-seventh street, between Lebanon avenue and a point about 260 feet south."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place bills to construct sewers in the following streets in the Thirty-fourth Ward: South side of Wymefield avenue, from Fifty-fourth to Fifty-sixth street; and Berks street, from Fifty-fourth to Fifty-seventh street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to open Fifty-sixth street, from Vine to Summer street, in the Thirty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Fifty-sixth street, from Vine to Summer street, in the Thirty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the grading and macadamizing of Wynnefield avenue, between Fifty-fourth and Fifty-seventh streets."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Umstead read in place bills to construct sewers in the following streets in the Thirty-fourth Ward: West side of Fifty-fourth street, from Susquehanna avenue to Berks street, and from Berks street to Columbia avenue.

Which were referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to lay water pipe in south side of Wynnefield avenue, from Fifty-fourth to Fifty-sixth street, in the Thirty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Water.

Mr. J. S. McQuade (by request) read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to extend the time within which the beds of Prentice, Daggett, Sixty-fifth, Simpson, Had-dington and Jefferson streets may be dedicated to the City."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to grade Race street, from Salford to Sixtieth street, in the Thirty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Woodill read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to place Welsh road, from Bustleton avenue to County line, in the Thirty-fifth Ward, on the City plan."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Hahn read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of Public

Safety (Bureau of City Property), to pay for repairs to Engine House No. 24."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to refund to the Continental Title and Trust Company the amount paid for water pipe in Fernon and Watkins streets, between Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth streets; and Ringgold street, between Morris and Tasker streets."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. R. Smith read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize payment to James Irwin for resurfacing River road, from Passyunk avenue, in excess of contract."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Klein read in place bills to locate electric lights in the Thirty-eighth Ward.

Which were referred to the Electrical Committee.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to construct a sewer in Garnet street, from Indiana avenue to Clearfield street, in the Thirty-eighth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Mohr read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to amend an ordinance entitled 'An Ordinance to strike from the City plan Blabon street, from Roberts avenue to the Richmond Branch of the Philadelphia and Reading Railway,' approved October 5, 1911."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Smithies offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate gasoline lamps in the Thirty-eighth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to construct a sewer in Ainslie street, from Vaux to Conrad street, in the Thirty-eighth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to lay water pipe in Calumet street, from Thirty-sixth street to Wardens drive, in the Thirty-eighth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Water.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to grade Ainslie street, from Vaux to Conrad street, in the Thirty-eighth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Renshaw read in place bills to pave the following streets in the Fortieth Ward: Belmar and Windsor streets, from Fifty-seventh to Fifty-eighth street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Walton read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to pave Godfrey street, from Stenton avenue to Twenty-first street, in the Forty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. G. D. Cox read in place bills to locate electric lights in the Forty-third Ward.

Which were referred to the Electrical Committee.

Also, offered the following, to wit: "Resolutions to locate gasoline lamps in the Forty-third Ward."

Which were referred to the Committee on Gas.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the construction of a bridge on the line of Thirteenth street, over the Philadelphia and Reading Railway, in the Forty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to construct a sewer in Luzerne street, from Old York road to Thirteenth street; and in Thirteenth street, from Luzerne to Kerbaugh street, in the Forty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to grade Lycoming street (known as Nicetown lane), from Ninth to Twelfth street, in the Forty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to pave Lycoming street (known as Nicetown lane), from Ninth to Twelfth street, in the Forty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place bills to repave the following streets

in the Forty-third Ward: Ontario street, from Eleventh to Twelfth street; Franklin and Reese streets, from Clearfield street to Indiana avenue.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Dorman read in place bills to construct sewers in the following streets in the Forty-sixth Ward: Cecil and Alden streets, from Catharine to Webster street; Hirst and Felton streets, from Spruce to Locust street; Sixty-second street, from Cedar avenue to Catharine street; and Wharton street, from Baltimore avenue to Sixtieth street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place bills to lay water pipe in the following streets in the Forty-sixth Ward: Sixty-second street, from Cedar avenue to Catharine street; and Spruce street, from Sixty-second to Sixty-third street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Water.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to place Carpenter street, from Sixty-second to Sixty-third street, in the Forty-sixth Ward, on the City plan."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to open Webster street, from Sixty-second to Sixty-third street, in the Forty-sixth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place bills to pave the following streets in the Forty-sixth Ward: Alden and Cecil streets, from Christian to Catharine street; Webster, Norfolk and Pine streets, from Fifty-eighth to Fifty-ninth street; Osage avenue and Addison street, from Fifty-fifth to Fifty-sixth street; Carpenter, Christian, Webster and Catharine streets and Washington avenue, from Sixty-first to Sixty-second street; Spruce street, from Sixty-second to Sixty-third street; Wharton street, from Sixtieth to Sixty-first street; Ellsworth street, from Fifty-ninth to Sixtieth street; Sixty-second street, from Cedar avenue to Catharine street; and Larchwood avenue, from Forty-fifth to Forty-sixth street.

• Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Whitaker offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to grant the use of Common Council Chamber to the Commission to Revise and Codify the Election Laws of Pennsylvania." (*Appendix No. 34.*)

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was twice read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Mr. Dorwart offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to confer with the officials of the Philadelphia and Reading Railway Company, relative to the removal of grade crossings between the bridge over Wissahickon creek and Umbria street, in the Twenty-first Ward." (*Appendix No. 35.*)

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was twice read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Select Council informed Common Council that they had received a report from the Committee on Water, with bill (*Appendix No. 21*) annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the laying of water pipe in Fifty-fourth, Forty-eighth, McKean, Pennsdale, Sansom, Sydenham, Twenty-third and Walnut streets; Snyder and Torresdale avenues; Mermaid lane and Pine road," which they had passed.

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the bill.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper,

C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gleason, Gubbins, Hahn, Horn, Howard, Humphrys, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Lineburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—72.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Also, informed Common Council that they had received a report from the Committee on Steam Railroads, with bill (Appendix No. 22) annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Pennsylvania Railroad Company to construct, operate and maintain a turnout or siding on the north side of Jefferson street, from the west side of Thirty-first street to fifty feet east of Thirtieth street, connecting with siding now on Jefferson street at Thirty-first street, in the Twenty-ninth Ward," which they had passed.

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the bill.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, C. C. Cox,

G. D. Cox, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Gillingham, Gleason, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Humphrys, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, Me-Tear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morton, Parry, Pennoek, Ragan, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—72.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Also, informed Common Council that they had passed resolution (Appendix No. 26) entitled "Resolution of instruction to the Finance Committee and the City Treasurer relative to interest on the deposits of the City's funds."

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred.

Also, informed Common Council that they had passed resolution (Appendix No. 27) entitled "Resolution to meet in Joint Convention for the purpose of electing one Director of the Pennsylvania Academy of Fine Arts."

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred.

Also, informed Common Council that they had passed resolution (Appendix No. 28) entitled "Resolution requesting the Director of the Department of Public Safety to investigate ticket scalping."

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred.

Also, informed Common Council that they had passed resolution (Appendix No. 31) entitled "Resolution of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit Dr. T. Gilchrist to lay a temporary terra cotta drain in B street, 120 feet north of Tioga street."

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred.

JOINT CONVENTION.

The members of Select Council being introduced, and Select and Common Councils being assembled in Joint Convention, Mr. Ransley, President of Select Council, in the Chair, who announced that the Convention had assembled for the purpose of electing a Director of the Pennsylvania Academy of Fine Arts, and declared nominations to be in order.

Mr. Supplee (of Select Council) nominated Mr. Frank H. Caven.

Mr. Buchholz (of Select Council) moved that he be elected by acclamation.

Which was unanimously agreed to.

And Mr. Frank H. Caven was declared unanimously elected a Director of the Academy of the Fine Arts for the ensuing term.

The purpose for which the Convention had assembled being accomplished, Select Council retired.

Mr. R. Smith moved that Common Council proceed to the election of a Director of the Pennsylvania Museum and School of Industrial Art.

Which was agreed to.

The President declared nominations to be in order.

Mr. R. Smith nominated Mr. John G. Carruth.

Mr. Whitaker moved he be elected by acclamation.

Which was unanimously agreed to.

And Mr. John G. Carruth was declared elected a Director of the Pennsylvania Museum and School of Industrial Art for the ensuing term.

Mr. R. Smith moved that Common Council proceed to the election of a member of the Board of Trustees of the Free Library of Philadelphia.

Which was agreed to.

The President declared nominations to be in order.

Mr. R. Smith nominated Dr. J. Leslie Davis.

Mr. Whitaker moved that he be elected by acclamation.

Which was unanimously agreed to.

And Dr. J. Leslie Davis was declared elected a member of the Board of Trustees of the Free Library of Philadelphia for the ensuing term.

Select Council informed Common Council that they had concurred in the following, to wit:

“Resolution of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit Armstrong & Wiley to lay a temporary terra cotta drain in the south side of Sansom street, from Fifty-sixth street east about 125 feet.” (Appendix No. 7.)

“Resolution of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to confer with the officials of the Philadelphia and Reading Railway Company relative

to the removal of grade crossings between the bridge over Wissahickon creek and Umbria street, in the Twenty-first Ward." (Appendix No. 35.)

Mr. Whitaker moved that Common Council do now adjourn.

Which was agreed to.

So Common Council adjourned.

Thursday, February 1, 1912.

Common Council met. Members present:

Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, G. D. Cox, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldridge, Finnesey, Flynn, Frankensfield, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Humphrys, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McElroy, McGinnis, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Mohr, Morrison, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*.

Mr. Whitaker moved that the Journal of the last meeting be approved.

Which was agreed to.

The President presented the following:

Philadelphia, February 1, 1912.

GEORGE MCCURDY, ESQ.,

President of Common Council.

DEAR SIR:—Please have me excused from attending to-day's session, as I am confined to my home suffering from severe cold.

Very respectfully yours,

L. McCARTHY.

Philadelphia, February 1, 1912.

GEORGE McCURDY, Esq.,

President of Common Council.

DEAR SIR:—Illness will prevent me from attending meeting of Common Council to-day. Kindly have me excused. Thanking you, I am,

Yours respectfully,

CHAS. C. COX.

Philadelphia, February 1, 1912.

GEORGE McCURDY, Esq.,

President of Common Council.

DEAR SIR:—Owing to an urgent professional engagement, it will be impossible for me to attend the meeting of Common Council to-day. Kindly have me excused.

Very truly yours,

JOHN R. MINEHART, M. D.

Philadelphia, February 1, 1912.

GEORGE McCURDY, Esq.,

President of Common Council.

DEAR SIR:—Owing to serious illness in my family I have been unable to attend the three last meetings of the session of Council, and as I am not well myself I hope you will excuse my absence.

Will attend as soon as health will permit me.

Very respectfully yours,

GEORGE A. GILSON.

Philadelphia, January 27, 1912.

GEORGE McCURDY, Esq.,

President of Common Council.

DEAR SIR:—I am in receipt of a notice from Wm. H. Felton, Chief Clerk, that at a meeting of Common Council, held January 18, I was elected a Trustee of the Free Library for the ensuing term, an honor which I am pleased to accept, and for which I beg to express grateful appreciation.

During the past few months that I have had the pleasure of filling the unexpired term of Mr. Joseph G. Rosengarten, resigned, I have grown intensely interested in the work of the Library, and through further familiarity with its management shall hope to become more useful as a member of the Board. I am,

Very truly yours,

J. LESLIE DAVIS.

Also, presented the Fifty-eighth Annual Report of the City Controller. (*Appendix No. 36.*)

Also, presented a communication from the Director of the Department of Public Safety, in reply to resolution of Councils relative to ticket scalping. (*Appendix No. 37.*)

The Secretary to the Mayor was introduced, when he presented a message from the Mayor, transmitting a communication from the Director of the Department of Public Health and Charities; also, a letter from Dr. S. W. Newmayer, in relation to his work in child hygiene. (*Appendix No. 38.*)

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Stuebing read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to repave Watkins street, from Eighth to Tenth street, in the First Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Cooper offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate gasoline lamps in the Seventh Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Mr. Conn read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to remove and prohibit the erection of poles and wires for telegraph, telephone and electric light purposes."

Which was referred to the Electrical Committee.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to regulate the installation, maintenance, inspection and licensing of automatic public pay station telephones within the corporate limits of the City of Philadelphia, and to regulate the installation, maintenance and inspection of party wire telephones within the said limits of said City, and providing for charges for inspection; also, providing for certain regulations of telephones maintained within the limits of said City."

Which was referred to the Electrical Committee.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance supplemental to an ordinance entitled 'An Ordinance to regulate the introduction and use of underground conduits, wires and cables for electrical conductors in the streets of the City of Philadelphia, and to provide for charges for underground, overground or overhead wires, approved March 30, 1883,' approved the eighteenth day of July, A. D. 1885."

Which was referred to the Electrical Committee.

Mr. Connelly (by request) presented a communication from the Director of the Department of Public Safety, relative to the purchase of triangular lot of ground at Fifty-fifth and Pine streets.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a further communication from the Director of the Department of Public Safety, requesting an additional appropriation to certain items in the Department of Supplies.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the Director of the Department of Public Health and Charities, requesting an appropriation to the Divisions of Disinfection and Vital Statistics.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a further communication from the Director of the Department of Public Health and Charities, relative to an estimate for buildings for the insane at Byberry.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a further communication from the Director of the Department of Public Health and Charities, relative to the condition of certain emergency items in said Department.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a further communication from the Director of the Department of Public Health and Charities, requesting an appropriation to Item 2, Bureau of Charities, to increase the salaries of the messengers.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a further communication from the Director of the Department of Public Health and Charities, relative to changing the phraseology of Item 2, Bureau of Charities, in regard to messengers.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the Director of the Department of Supplies, forwarding "An Ordinance to rearrange salaries, and authorizing certain new positions in the Department of Supplies, for the year 1912, and to make an appropriation therefor."

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the Prothonotary

of the Courts of Common Pleas, requesting an appropriation for rebinding, stationery, etc.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the Mayor, enclosing a communication from John R. Witzeman, Assistant Concertmaster of the Philadelphia Orchestra, relative to music on the City Hall Plaza.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also (by request), presented a communication from the Coroner, relative to the employees of the City Morgue coming under the jurisdiction of the Coroner.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the Board of Registration Commissioners, requesting an appropriation for filing cases.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the Superintendent of the House of Detention, requesting an appropriation to pay the salaries of mental and physical examiners.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also (by request), read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay for the construction of sewer in Wilder street, east of Fifth street, in front of property of Mt. Sinai Hospital."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also (by request), read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Clerks of Councils to pay The Press Company for advertising proposals for the year 1911."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also (by request), read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance making an additional appropriation to various

items in the annual appropriation to the Department of Wharves, Docks and Ferries, for the year 1912."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to amend an ordinance approved December 29, 1911, entitled 'An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of Supplies, for the year 1912.'"

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to rearrange salaries and authorizing certain new positions in the Department of Supplies, for the year 1912, and to make an appropriation therefor."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also (by request), read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to grade Ogontz avenue, from Spencer street to Olney avenue, in the Forty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Dorwart read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to strike from the City plan Daniel street, from Kingsley street to Washington lane, in the Twenty-first Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Dripps read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to locate electric lights on Wissahickon avenue, about one thousand (1,000) feet north of Carpenter street; Mannheim street at Schuyler street; Cheltenham avenue at its intersection with the Pennsylvania Railroad, between Pulaski avenue and Morris street, in the Twenty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Electrical Committee.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to open the east side of Germantown avenue, to its full width, between Germantown Railroad station on the Trenton Cut-off Branch of the Pennsylvania Railroad to Roumford avenue, in the Twenty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place bills to grade the following streets in the Twenty-second Ward: Willow Grove avenue, from

Germantown avenue to Norwood street; east side of Germantown avenue, between Germantown Railroad station on the Trenton Cut-off Branch of the Pennsylvania Railroad and Roumford avenue; Abington avenue, from Norwood street to Germantown avenue.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to macadamize the south side of Highland avenue, from Germantown avenue about 250 feet southeast of Germantown avenue, in the Twenty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Darrow read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to construct sewer in Crowson street, from Hortter street to Phillellena street, in the Twenty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Simmington offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate gasoline lamp rear 2619 W. Dauphin street, in the Twenty-eighth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Mr. Limeburner read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to pave Colorado street, from Cumberland street to Huntingdon street, in the Twenty-eighth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Humphrys read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to locate electric light southwest corner Glenwood avenue and Hollywood street, in the Twenty-ninth Ward."

Which was referred to the Electrical Committee.

Mr. Kreider read in place bills to open the following streets in the Thirty-second Ward: Twenty-sixth street, from Ridge avenue to Glenwood avenue; Glenwood avenue, from Ridge avenue to Twenty-fifth street; Twenty-seventh street, from Ridge avenue to Glenwood avenue."

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Stauffer (by request) read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to widen Callowhill street, from Fourth street to the Delaware river."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. J. S. McQuade read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation for placing cement sidewalks around Carroll Park, in the Thirty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to locate electric lights northwest corner Sixtieth street and Lansdowne avenue; south side of Vine street, midway between Fifty-ninth and Sixtieth streets."

Which was referred to the Electrical Committee.

Mr. Pennock read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to grade Edgewood street, from Race to Vine street, in the Thirty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Hahn read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the purchase of a History of Philadelphia Soldiers and Sailors engaged in the Civil War, and to authorize a transfer from the appropriation to the Mayor to the Clerks of Councils to pay for the same."

Which was referred to Committee on Soldiers' Monument.

Mr. R. Smith read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to condemn the plot of ground bounded by Nineteenth and Twentieth streets and McKean street and Snyder avenue, in the Thirty-sixth Ward, for a children's playground."

Which was referred to the Committee on City Property.

Also, read in place bills to lay water pipe in the following streets in the Thirty-sixth Ward: Twenty-second street, from Jackson street to Passyunk avenue; Wolf street, from Passyunk avenue to Twenty-third street; Hemberger street, from Jackson street to Passyunk avenue; Croskey street, from Jackson street to Passyunk avenue; Twenty-third street, from Jackson to Wolf street; Beechwood street, from Jackson street to Passyunk avenue."

Which were referred to the Committee on Water.

Also, read in place bills to place on the City plan the

following streets in the Thirty-sixth Ward: Croskey street, from Jackson street to Passyunk avenue; Hemberger street, from Jackson street to Passyunk avenue; Beechwood street, from Jackson street to Wolf street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place bills to construct sewers in the following streets in the Thirty-sixth Ward: Wolf street, from Passyunk avenue to Twenty-third street; Twenty-third street, from Jackson street to Wolf street; Wolf street, from Twenty-third street to Twenty-fourth street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also (by request), read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to strike from the City plan Hegerman street and Gregg street and to revise the grades of Torresdale avenue."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place bills to grade the following streets in the Thirty-sixth Ward: Twenty-third street, from Jackson street to Wolf street; Beechwood street, from Jackson street to Wolf street; Wolf street, from Passyunk avenue to Twenty-third street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also (by request), read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to grade Torresdale avenue, from Blakeston street to Linden avenue, in the Forty-first Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place bills to pave the following streets in the Thirty-sixth Ward: Beechwood street, from Jackson street to Wolf street; Hemberger street, from Jackson street to Passyunk avenue; Croskey street, from Jackson street to Passyunk avenue; Wolf street, from Passyunk avenue to Twenty-third street; Twenty-third street, from Jackson street to Wolf street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to repave Twenty-first street, from Point Breeze avenue to Siegel street."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also (by request), read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to resurface Torresdale avenue, between Blakes-ton street and Linden avenue."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Smithies read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation of ninety (90) dollars and thirty-five (35) cents to refund the Evangelical Lutheran Church of the Redeemer for money expended for curbing in front of said church."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate gasoline lamps in the Thirty-eighth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to construct a sewer in Ridge avenue, from Midvale avenue to Ferry road, in the Thirty-eighth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to place Cresson street, from Scotts lane to Hunting Park avenue, in the Thirty-eighth Ward, on the City plan."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to open Scotts lane, to its full width, from Cresson street to Queen lane, in the Thirty-eighth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Mohr read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the reconstruction of a foot bridge, and the work appurtenant thereto, on the line of Blabon street, over the Richmond Branch of the Philadelphia and Reading Railway, and providing for carrying into effect such authority."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Renshaw read in place bills to pave the following streets in the Fortieth Ward: Whitby avenue, from line of West Chester Railroad to Fifty-fourth street; and Fifty-fourth street, from Whitby avenue to Thomas avenue.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Camac read in place bills to construct sewers in the following streets in the Fortieth Ward: Kingessing avenue, from Sixty-second to Sixty-fifth street; and Warrington avenue, from Fifty-seventh to Fifty-ninth street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to lay water pipe in Warrington avenue, from Fifty-seventh to Fifty-ninth street, in the Fortieth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Water.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to grade Fifty-fourth street, from Thomas avenue to Whitby avenue, in the Fortieth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to pave Warrington avenue, from Fifty-seventh to Fifty-ninth street, in the Fortieth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Walton read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to locate an electric light in the Forty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Electrical Committee.

Also, offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate gasoline lamps in the Forty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to open Ruscomb street, from Twelfth to Thirteenth street, in the Forty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Diamond read in place bills to locate electric lights in the Forty-third Ward.

Which were referred to the Electrical Committee.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to repave Lycoming street, from Germantown avenue to Elser street, in the Forty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Schwarz read in place bills to construct sewers in the following streets in the Forty-fifth Ward: Mercer

street, from Buckius to Lefevre street; and Almond street, from Orthodox street to Holy Redeemer Cemetery.

Which were referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Dorman read in place bills to lay water pipe in the following streets in the Forty-sixth Ward: Wharton street, from Baltimore avenue to Sixtieth street; and Larchwood avenue, from Forty-fifth street to Forty-sixth street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Water.

Also, offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to authorize the location of gasoline lamps in the Forty-sixth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to locate an electric light Fifty-ninth and Catharine street."

Which was referred to the Electrical Committee.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to place Webster street, from Sixty-second street to Sixty-third street, in the Forty-sixth Ward, on the City plan."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place bills to construct sewers in the following streets in the Forty-sixth Ward: Manning street, from Fifty-ninth to Sixtieth street; Irving street, from Fifty-ninth to Sixtieth street; Locust street, from Fifty-ninth to Sixtieth street; Chancellor street, from Fifty-ninth to Sixtieth street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to open Locust street, from Fifty-eighth to Fifty-ninth street, in the Forty-sixth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place bills to grade the following streets in the Forty-sixth Ward: Felton street, from Spruce to Locust street; Cecil street, from Catharine to Christian street; Alden street, from Catharine to Christian street; Spruce street, from Sixty-second to Sixty-third street; Hirst street, from Spruce to Locust street; Millick street, from Baltimore avenue to Wharton street; Sixty-second

street, from Catharine street to Washington avenue; Sixty-second street, from Cedar avenue to Catharine street; Edgemont street, from Baltimore avenue to Wharton street; intersection of Baltimore avenue, Sixtieth and Wharton streets.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Connelly, Chairman of the Committee on Finance, presented a report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Mayor to enter into a lease with the Board of Managers of the Pennsylvania Museum and School of Industrial Art for plot of ground at the northeast corner of Broad street and Allegheny avenue, and to make an appropriation to pay the rental of said lot for the year 1912." (*Appendix No. 39.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to repeal ordinance entitled 'An Ordinance making it the duty of the Mayor to supervise and carry into effect Comprehensive Plans for the future development of the City of Philadelphia, providing for the appointment and regulating the powers, duties and procedure of a Permanent Committee to advise, assist and co-operate with him therein, and making an appropriation therefor,' approved July 11, 1911." (*Appendix No. 40.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance making it the duty of the Director of the Department of Public Works to study and develop Comprehensive Plans for the future development of the City of Philadelphia, providing for the appointment and regulating the powers, duties and procedure of a Permanent Committee on Comprehensive Plans to advise, assist and co-operate with the Director of the said Department, and making an appropriation for the payment of the salaries of employees and the maintenance of said Committee." (*Appendix No. 41.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to make additional appropriations to the various Bureaus in the Departments of Public Safety, Public Health and Charities, Mayor, City Controller, Inspectors of County Prisons, Recorder of Deeds and City Treasurer, for the year 1912." (*Appendix No. 42.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Commissioners of Fairmount Park, for the construction and maintenance of a Public Aquarium in Fairmount Park, for the year 1912." (*Appendix No. 43.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Mayor to enter into a contract for the erection of a temporary frame Convention Hall on the lot of ground at the northeast corner of Broad street and Allegheny avenue, making an additional appropriation for the erection of said Hall and authorizing the leasing thereof when completed." (*Appendix No. 44.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Mr. Gillingham, Chairman of the Committee on Surveys, presented a report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to place on the City plan Delaware avenue, from Washington avenue to Snyder avenue, of the width of one hundred and fifty feet." (*Appendix No. 45.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the construction of a new foot bridge on the line of Montgomery street west of Second street, over American street and the tracks of the North Pennsylvania Railroad, and the work appurtenant thereto, setting aside money to pay the cost thereof, and providing for carrying into effect such authority." (*Appendix No. 46.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to strike from the City plan Rhawn street, from State road to Delaware river, and Wissinoming, Milnor and Eugene streets, from Holmesburg avenue southward." (*Appendix No. 47.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Mr. Miller offered the following, to wit: "Resolution granting permission to the Philadelphia Society for Promoting Agriculture to use Common Council Chamber for the meeting of their Conference, on March 14, 15 and 16, 1912." (*Appendix No. 48.*)

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was twice read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Select Council informed Common Council that they had passed resolution (*Appendix No. 40*) entitled "Resolution of request to His Honor, the Mayor, to return to Select Council Select Council bill (*Appendix No. 22*) entitled 'An Ordinance to authorize the Pennsylvania Railroad Company to construct, operate and maintain a turn-out or siding on the north side of Jefferson street, from the west side of Thirty-first street to fifty feet east of Thirtieth street, connecting with siding now on Jefferson street, at Thirty-first street, in the Twenty-ninth Ward.'"

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred.

Mr. Keene moved that Common Council do now adjourn.

Which was agreed to.

So Common Council adjourned.

Thursday, February 15, 1912.

Common Council met. Members present.

Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Humphrys, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morrison, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't.*

Mr. Keene moved that the Journal of the last meeting be approved.

Which was agreed to.

The President presented the following:

Syracuse, N. Y., February 14, 1912.

MR. GEORGE MCCURDY,

President of Common Council.

DEAR SIR:—Owing to a business engagement at this point, I will be unable to attend next session of Council, February 15, 1912, and will ask to be excused.

Yours very truly,

WM. H. CROSS.

Also, presented a communication from the T Square Club, relative to the use of the cleared Parkway sites.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on City Property.

Also, presented a communication from the Board of Public Education, relative to paving streets with wood blocks and asphalt around school buildings.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, presented a communication from the Fairmount Park Art Association, relative to resolution for leasing property on line of Parkway.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on City Property.

Also, presented a communication from the Board of Supervisors of San Francisco, Cal., requesting that the Liberty Bell be sent to the Panama Pacific Exposition.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also presented a communication from the Director of the Department of Supplies, requesting certain transfers.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from Willis E. Morgan, requesting the City to purchase Whitehall Commons, in the Twenty-third Ward.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, presented a communication from the Bureau of Municipal Research, suggesting a financial program for the year 1912.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

The Secretary of the Mayor was introduced, when he presented a message from the Mayor, asking for an appropriation to pay for expert accountants. (*Appendix No. 49.*)

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Connelly presented a communication from the City Controller, requesting an appropriation to pay bill of the Statistical Service Company, for the compilation of data incorporated in the City Controller's Fifty-eighth Annual Report to Councils, for the year 1911.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the Director of the Department of Public Works, requesting an appropriation to pay the Filbert Paving and Construction Company for repaving Vine street, from Front to Third street.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the Secretary to the Mayor, requesting that the following ordinances be introduced in Councils:

"An Ordinance to amend ordinance approved December 29, 1911, entitled 'An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of Supplies, for the year 1912,' by adding to Mayor's office, Item 1, for stationery, printing and supplies the words: 'and Automobile supplies.'"

"An Ordinance authorizing the City Controller to make certain transfers from the Mayor's Office to the Department of Supplies (Mayor's Office), for stationery, printing and supplies."

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Water), to pay balance due extra clerks for writing water register books for the year 1912."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an additional appropriation to the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Highways), for the year 1912."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also (by request), read in place a bill entitled "An

Ordinance to make an additional appropriation to the Department of Public Health and Charities, for the year 1912."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay bill of The Vacuum Carpet and House Cleaning Company, for cleaning rooms Nos. 230-238, inclusive, and room 543, City Hall."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay for services of office boys, Clerks of Councils."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also (by request), read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an additional appropriation to the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Highways), for the year 1912, for maintenance of macadam roads."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation for extending water main on Penrose Ferry road, from Twentieth street southwestward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation for improving the water courses in the Twenty-sixth, Thirty-sixth, Thirty-ninth and Fortieth Wards."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Director of the Department of Public Works to appoint Stop Attendant in the Bureau of Water, and to provide for the payment of the salary of same."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also (by request), read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance authorizing and directing settlement of the claim of the Filbert Paving and Construction Company against the City for the annulment of the contract for a bulkhead on the Schuylkill river in front of Bartram

Park, by payment to said company of the sum of ten thousand (10,000) dollars, and appropriating said sum to the Director of the Department of Wharves, Docks and Ferries, for payment of the same."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize certain transfers in the annual appropriation to the Department of Supplies, for the year 1912."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to construct a sewer in Front street, from Poplar street to Fairmount avenue, in the Eleventh Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. S. McQuade read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation of one hundred thousand (100,000) dollars to the Department of Public Safety (Electrical Bureau), for the purpose of installing underground cables."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Dripps (by request) read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance declaring it unlawful and making it a nuisance to keep or store manure or stable refuse, or to build or maintain manure pits in the built-up portions of the City; or, except under permit from and in the manner provided by rules and regulations to be adopted by the Board of Health, to keep or store such manure or stable refuse, or build or maintain such manure pits in any part of the City, or remove or transport such manure or stable refuse through the streets."

Which was referred to the Committee on Law.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to construct a sewer in Mermaid lane, from Germantown avenue to Ardleigh street, in the Twenty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Darrow read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to lay water pipe in Evergreen avenue, from Shawnee street to Germantown avenue, in the Twenty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Water.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to open Magnolia street, from Johnson to Cliveden street, in the Twenty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to grade Bellfield avenue, from Stenton avenue to Penn street, in the Twenty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to repave the intersection of Germantown and Cheltenham avenues, in the Twenty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place bills to resurface with broken stone the following streets in the Twenty-second Ward: Pulaski avenue, from Berkley to Manheim street; and West Logan street, from Morris street to Pulaski avenue.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Howard read in place bills to pave the following streets in the Twenty-second Ward: Ardleigh and Sprague streets, from Cheltenham avenue to Price street; and Price street, from Sprague to Ardleigh street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Horn offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate gasoline lamps in the Twenty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to locate an electric light corner of Ruan and Orchard streets, in the Twenty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Electrical Committee.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to pave Harrison street, from Oxford pike to Castor road, in the Twenty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Gillingham read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation for repairing and refurnishing Fire Engine House on Snyder avenue, west of Fifteenth street, in the Twenty-sixth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Simmington read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to open York street, from Thirty-third street to Ridge avenue, in the Twenty-eighth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to pave Harold street, from Thirty-third to Thirty-fourth street, in the Twenty-eighth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place bills to repave the following streets in the Twenty-eighth Ward: Twenty-first street, from Susquehanna avenue to York street; and Twenty-second street, from Susquehanna avenue to Lehigh avenue.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Limeburner read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the Director of the Department of Public Works to investigate the cost and most advanced methods of the disposal of City waste, and making an appropriation for such investigation."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to construct a sewer in Garnet street, from Indiana avenue southward, in the Thirty-eighth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Humphrys read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to install a water meter in premises No. 2826 Girard avenue."

Which was referred to the Committee on Water.

Mr. Gourie offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate a gasoline lamp in alley rear 2562 Emerald street, in the Thirty-first Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Mr. Kreider offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate a gasoline lamp rear 1862 Taney street, in the Thirty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to repave Van Pelt street, from Diamond street to Susquehanna avenue, in the Thirty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Gallagher offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate three gasoline lamps in alley between H and Rand streets, and Westmoreland and Ontario streets, in the Thirty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Mr. J. S. McQuade read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to locate an electric light at the northeast corner of Sixty-fifth and Race streets, in the Thirty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Electrical Committee.

Also, offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate gasoline lamps in the Thirty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to lay water pipe in Nassau street, from Sixty-first to Sixty-third street, in the Thirty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Water.

Also, read in place bills to pave the following streets in the Thirty-fourth Ward: Nassau street, from Sixty-first to Sixty-third street; and Malvern street, from Sixty-third to Gross street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Woodill read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance authorizing and directing the City Solicitor to strike from his books all claims or liens for the laying of water pipe in Magee street, south of Rising Sun avenue, in front of the property of the Bethanien Evangelical German Reformed Church."

Which was referred to the Committee on Law.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance directing the re-location of railway tracks on Rising Sun avenue, between Comly street and Parrys lane, in the Thirty-fifth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Street Railways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to construct a sewer in Lawndale street, from Levick to Hellerman street, in the Thirty-fifth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to macadamize Lawndale street, from Levick to Hellerman street, in the Thirty-fifth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. R. Smith (by request) read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance repealing a portion of the ordinance approved July 21, 1909, authorizing the opening of Castor avenue, to its full width, from Oxford avenue to Bustleton avenue."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to change the character of paving authorized to be laid on Garnet and Opal streets, from Snyder avenue to Jackson street, in the Thirty-sixth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to grade Blaine street, from Twentieth street to Hunting Park avenue."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also (by request), read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to grade Third street, from Tabor street to Philadelphia and Reading Railway, in the Forty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Bethke read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to construct a sewer in Taylor and Ringgold streets, from Wharton to Reed street, in the Thirty-sixth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to lay water pipe in Taylor and Ringgold streets, from Wharton to Reed street, in the Thirty-sixth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Water.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to grade Taylor and Ringgold streets, from Wharton to Reed street, in the Thirty-sixth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to

pave Taylor and Ringgold streets, from Wharton to Reed street, in the Thirty-sixth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to repeal an ordinance of March 12, 1901, authorizing and requesting the Department of Public Safety (Bureau of City Property), to set apart a site in Logan Square, for the purpose of locating a monument in memory of the Soldiers, Sailors and Marines who served in the War of the Rebellion."

Which was referred to the Committee on Soldiers' Monument.

Mr. Mohr offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate gasoline lamps in the Thirty-eighth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Mr. Baizley read in place bills to construct sewers in the following streets in the Thirty-ninth Ward: Fitzgerald, Durfor and Ritner streets, from Front to Second street; Second street, from Ritner to Shunk street; and Front street, from Wolf to Shunk street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place bills to lay water pipe in the following streets in the Thirty-ninth Ward: Front street, from Wolf to Shunk street; Second street, from Ritner to Shunk street; Ritner, Durfor and Fitzgerald streets, from Front to Second street; Porter and Shunk streets, from Front to Fifth street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Water.

Also, read in place bills to place the following streets in the Thirty-ninth Ward, on the City plan: Durfor and Fitzgerald streets, from Front to Second street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place bills to grade the following streets in the Thirty-ninth Ward: Front street, from Wolf to Shunk street; Second street, from Ritner to Shunk street; Ritner street, from Front to Second street; Porter and Shunk streets, from Front to Fifth street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place bills to pave the following streets in the Thirty-ninth Ward: Ritner street, from Front to Second street; Ritner street, from Second to Third street; Second street, from Ritner to Shunk street; Front street, from Wolf to Shunk street; Porter and Shunk streets, from Front to Fifth street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Renshaw read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to locate five electric lights in the Fortieth Ward."

Which was referred to the Electrical Committee.

Mr. Walton read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the construction of bridges on the line of Tenth street and the work appurtenant thereto, providing for carrying into effect such authority and authorizing the Mayor to enter security for damages to private property."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. G. D. Cox read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to locate an electric light corner of Fairhill street and Indiana avenue, in the Forty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Electrical Committee.

Also, offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate gasoline lamps in the Forty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Also, read in place bills to construct sewers in the following streets in the Forty-third Ward: Franklin street, from Hunting Park avenue to Lycoming street; Fairhill street, from Glenwood avenue northward to Pennsylvania Railroad; Randolph street, from Glenwood avenue northward to Pennsylvania Railroad; and Reese street, from Glenwood avenue northward to Pennsylvania Railroad.

Which were referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to lay water pipe in Franklin street, from Hunting Park avenue to Lycoming street, in the Forty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Water.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to pave Franklin street, from Hunting Park avenue to Locoming street, in the Forty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Diamond read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the construction of a bridge on the line of Glenwood avenue under the Richmond Branch of the Philadelphia and Reading Railway."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Hardart read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to locate an electric light on south side of Thompson street, between Seventeenth and Eighteenth streets, in the Forty-seventh Ward."

Which was referred to the Electrical Committee.

Mr. Gillingham, Chairman of the Committee on Surveys, presented a report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to place upon the City plan Benezet, Blair, Carpenter, Webster, Lambert, Hanson and Upshur streets, and Windrim avenue." (*Appendix No. 50.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the revision of the grade of City avenue, from Lancaster avenue to Haverford street, and of the streets adjacent thereto." (*Appendix No. 51.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the revision of the lines and grades of Huron and Telner streets and the intersection of Huron street, Telner street and St. Martins lane." (*Appendix No. 52.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the revision of the lines and grades of a portion of City plan No. 214, bounded by Greene street,

Carpenter street, Wissahickon avenue and Allens lane.” (*Appendix No. 53.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled “An Ordinance to repeal portion of ordinance approved December 2, 1911, entitled ‘An Ordinance to place on the City plan as a public park certain tracts of land in the Thirty-fourth Ward, as additions to Cobbs Creek Park and Morris Park, and to make the necessary revision of lines and grades of streets.’ ” (*Appendix No. 54.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled “An Ordinance to extend the time within which the beds of Prentice, Daggett, Sixty-fifth, Simpson, Haddington and Jefferson streets may be dedicated to the City.” (*Appendix No. 55.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled “An Ordinance to revise the boundaries of Morris Park.” (*Appendix No. 56.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Mr. Conn offered the following, to wit: “Resolution appointing a Committee of three members of Common Council to investigate the reasonableness of all license fees, and other charges now imposed by ordinance; also, to investigate the exemption from taxation for municipal purposes of the real estate of public service corporations.” (*Appendix No. 57.*)

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was twice read.

Mr. Connelly moved that the resolution be referred to the Committee on Law.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Dripps offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of request to the Board of Public Education to vacate its rooms in City Hall." (*Appendix No. 58.*)

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was twice read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Mr. Connelly moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (*Appendix No. 44*) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Mayor to enter into a contract for the erection of a temporary frame Convention Hall on the lot of ground at the northeast corner of Broad street and Allegheny avenue, making an additional appropriation for the erection of said hall, and authorizing the leasing thereof when completed."

Which was agreed to.

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

The second section was again read.

Also, moved to amend by striking out the words and figures "fifty thousand (50,000)" and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "sixty thousand (60,000)."

Which was agreed to.

The section as amended was agreed to.

The third section was again read, and agreed to.

The fourth section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The amendment having been printed, by unanimous consent,

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn,

Howard, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morrison, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't.*—72.

NAYS—None.

Two-thirds of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 41) entitled "An Ordinance making it the duty of the Director of the Department of Public Works to study and develop Comprehensive Plans for the future development of the City of Philadelphia; providing for the appointment and regulating the powers, duties and procedure of a Permanent Committee on Comprehensive Plans to advise, assist and co-operate with the Director of the said Department, and making an appropriation for the payment of the salaries of the employees and the maintenance of the said Committee."

Which was agreed to.

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

The second section was again read, and agreed to.

The third section was again read, and agreed to.

The fourth section was again read, and agreed to.

The fifth section was again read, and agreed to.

The sixth section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Humphrys, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morrison, Pennock, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—71.

NAYS—Messrs. Parry and Schwarz—2.

Two-thirds of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 42) entitled "An Ordinance to make additional appropriations to the various Bureaus in the Departments of Public Safety, Public Health and Charities, Mayor, City Controller, Inspectors of County Prisons, Recorder of Deeds and City Treasurer, for the year 1912."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read.

Mr. Conn moved to amend by striking out the following: "Recorder of Deeds: To Item 1, so as to provide for three assistant custodians of records, at the rate of nine hundred (900) dollars each per annum, from March 1, two thousand two hundred and fifty (2,250) dollars; to Item 3, for blank books, etc., five thousand (5,000) dollars; to Item 4, for incidentals, seven hundred (700) dollars; to Item 6 (new), for alteration, repairs and equipment of record rooms, twenty-four thousand nine

hundred (24,900) dollars; to Item 7 (new), for painting and finishing, three thousand (3,000) dollars."

Which was not agreed to.

Mr. Horn moved that the bill be recommitted to the Committee on Finance.

Which was not agreed to.

The question being on agreeing to the section,

It was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, Cahill, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gillingham, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Howard, Humphrys, Keene, Kelley, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGuigan, McGurk, S. McQuade, Miller, Morrison, Morton, Ragan, Ruedinger, R. Smith, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, and McCurdy *Pres't*—43

NAYS—Messrs. W. Burke, Conn, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Derr, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Gallagher, Gourie, Horn, Jenkinson, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, J. S. McQuade, Minchart, Mohr, Parry, Pennock, Renshaw, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Umstead, Walton, and Woodill—31.

Less than two-thirds of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was not agreed to,

And the bill fell.

Mr. Jenkinson presented the following:

My objection to the ordinance just offered (Appendix No. 42) is that it embraces too many and varied items of appropriation. That its comprehensive character prevents that specific investigation and discussion that some

of its items demand, and which is absolutely precluded by the limited time of our session.

That it discourages proper scrutiny of its respective items on account of the large number of them included in the ordinance.

That a more judicious and appropriate grouping of these items set forth in separate ordinances would likely give greater special opportunity to different members for the discussion of matters with which they are most familiar.

That such wholesale appropriation ordinances are open to the suspicion of crowded legislation.

J. FRED'K JENKINSON.

Mr. Connelly moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 39) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Mayor to enter into a lease with the Board of Managers of the Pennsylvania Museum and School of Industrial Art for plot of ground at the northeast corner of Broad street and Allegheny avenue, and to make an appropriation to pay the rental of said lot for the year 1912."

Which was agreed to.

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

The second section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Conn, Connelly, Cooper, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Humphrys, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S.

McQuade, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—72.

NAYS—None.

Two-thirds of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 40) entitled "An Ordinance to repeal an ordinance entitled 'An Ordinance making it the duty of the Mayor to supervise and carry into effect Comprehensive Plans for the future development of the City of Philadelphia; providing for the appointment and regulating the powers, duties and procedure of a Permanent Committee to advise, assist and co-operate with him therein, and making an appropriation therefor,' approved July 1, 1911."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The preamble was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Conn, Connelly, Cooper, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gourie, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Humphrys, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Rued-

inger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—68.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 43) entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Commissioners of Fairmount Park, for the construction and maintenance of a Public Aquarium in Fairmount Park, for the year 1912."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Conn, Connelly, Cooper, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Humphrys, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, Miller, Minehart, Mortno, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Reudinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—68.

NAYS—Mr. Gourie—1.

Two-thirds of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Select Council informed Common Council that they had received a report from the Committee on Steam Railroads, with bill (Appendix No. 29) annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Class & Nachod Brewing Company to lay and maintain a railroad siding or turnout, carried by a bridge, across and over Montgomery street, from their property situate at the northeast corner of Tenth and Montgomery streets, to connect with the elevated tracks of the Philadelphia and Reading Railway Company, at a point about seventy-five (75) feet south of the south house line of Montgomery street," which they had passed.

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the bill.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Conn, Connelly, Cooper, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Jenkinson, Kenne, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, Miller, Minehart, Morton, Parry Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—70.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Also, informed Common Council that they had concurred in Common Council bill (Appendix No. 39) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Mayor to enter into a lease with the Board of Managers of the Pennsylvania Museum and School of Industrial Art for plot of ground at the northeast corner of Broad street and Allegheny avenue, and to make an appropriation to pay the rental of said lot for the year 1912," with the following amendments, in which they ask concurrence:

Insert after the word "for" on the fifth line of Section 1 the word "its;" also, strike out the word "at" on the same line and insert the word "adjoining."

The amendment was read,

The question being on concurring in the amendments of Select Council,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Conn, Connelly, Cooper, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gourie, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kline Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, Miller, Minehart, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Wood-ill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—67.

NAYS—None.

Two-thirds of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

So Common Council concurred in the amendments.

Also, informed Common Council that they had received a report from the Committee on Steam Railroads, with bill (Appendix No. 43) annexed entitled "An Ordinance directing the Pennsylvania Railroad Company to erect safety gates at Ashburner street and the Pennsylvania Railroad, and at Linden avenue and the Pennsylvania Railroad, in the Forty-first Ward," which they had passed.

Also, that they had received a further report from the same Committee, with bill (Appendix No. 44) annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Philadelphia and Reading Railway Company to construct, operate and maintain a siding or turnout across Twenty-third street, south of Arch street, in the Ninth Ward," which they had passed.

Also, informed Common Council that they had passed resolution (Appendix No. 45) entitled "Resolution requesting the City Solicitor to report to Councils what action can be taken to expedite the removal of railroad tracks at grade from Oregon avenue, in the Twenty-sixth, Thirty-sixth and Thirty-ninth Wards."

Also, informed Common Council that they had concurred in the following, to wit:

"An Ordinance to repeal an ordinance entitled 'An Ordinance making it the duty of the Mayor to supervise and carry into effect Comprehensive Plans for the future development of the City of Philadelphia; providing for the appointment and regulating the powers, duties and procedure of a Permanent Committee to advise, assist and co-operate with him therein, and making an appropriation therefor,' approved July 11, 1911." (Appendix No. 40.)

"An Ordinance making it the duty of the Director of the Department of Public Works to study and develop

Comprehensive Plans for the future development of the City of Philadelphia; providing for the appointment and regulating the powers, duties and procedure of a Permanent Committee on Comprehensive Plans to advise, assist and co-operate with the Director of the said Department, and making an appropriation for the payment of the salaries of the employees and the maintenance of the said Committee." (Appendix No. 41.)

"An Ordinance to authorize the Mayor to enter into a contract for the erection of a temporary frame Convention Hall on the lot of ground at the northeast corner of Broad street and Allegheny avenue, making an additional appropriation for the erection of said hall, and authorizing the leasing thereof when completed." (Appendix No. 44.)

"Resolution of request to the Board of Public Education to vacate its rooms in City Hall." (Appendix No. 58.)

Mr. McCloskey moved that Common Council do now adjourn.

Which was agreed to.

So Common Council adjourned.

Thursday, February 29, 1912.

Common Council met this day, pursuant to the following call:

Philadelphia, February 26, 1912.

MR. WILLIAM H. FELTON,
Chief Clerk of Common Council.

DEAR SIR:—Kindly call a Special Meeting of Common Council for Thursday, 29th inst., at 3 o'clock P. M., for the transaction of general business.

Very truly yours,

GEORGE McCURDY,
President.

Members present:

Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Cross, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Humphrys, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morrison, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't.*

Mr. Miller moved that the Journal of the last meeting be approved.

Which was agreed to.

The President presented a communication from the Director of the Department of Public Safety, relative to signing of warrants by the Assistant Director.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the Pennsylvania Society to Protect Children from Cruelty, advocating the relocation of certain buildings.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the Society for Organizing Charity, with reference to plans for relocating certain City institutions.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the Director of the Department of Supplies, requesting an additional appropriation.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the American Veterans of Foreign Service, requesting an appropriation of \$5,000.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the Civic Club, requesting the use of Common Council Chamber for meetings.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the Department of Law, requesting the use of Common Council Chamber for the use of the Desertion Court.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from Henry W. Scarborough, relative to the widening of Castor and Bustleton avenues.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, presented a communication from American Institute of Architects, relative to the City's property on the line of the Parkway.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on City Property.

Also, presented a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of the Parkway, from Sixteenth to Seventeenth street."

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Highways.

The Secretary to the Mayor was introduced, when he presented a message from the Mayor, relative to an appropriation for the meeting of the Twelfth International Congress of Navigation. (*Appendix No. 59.*)

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a further message from the Mayor, requesting additional appropriations for the Department of Supplies. (*Appendix No. 60.*)

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a further message from the Mayor, asking for an additional appropriation to the Department of Public Works. (*Appendix No. 61.*)

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a further message from the Mayor, transmitting a letter from Alba B. Johnson, Esq., requesting the improvement of pavilion at Lemon Hill. (*Appendix No. 62.*)

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Bonnick read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to grade Moore street, from Tenth to Eleventh street, in the First Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Conn read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to permit the Manufacturers' Club of Philadelphia to construct vaults under the sidewalks in front of their property on Broad, Walnut and Moravian streets."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Connelly read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay the commission of Carl P. Berger, as architect in preparing the plans, drawings, sketches and specifications for, and supervising the construction of, the temporary Convention Hall."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also (by request), read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of Public Works (Director's Office) to pay the services of a telephone operator."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize an appropriation to the Department of Supplies (Mayor's Office) for the purchase of chairs for the temporary Convention Hall, Broad street and Allegheny avenue."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also (by request), read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an additional appropriation to the Department of Supplies, for the year 1912."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an additional appropriation to the Department of Wharves, Docks and Ferries, for the year 1912."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize certain transfers in the annual appropriation to the Department of Public Health and Charities, for the

year 1912, for the purpose of reorganizing certain branches in said Department."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance designating The Continental-Equitable Title and Trust Company as a depository of the City's money."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the Director of the Department of Public Health and Charities, requesting a change in the phraseology in the appropriation to Item 1, relative to Division of Medical Inspection.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the Director of the Department of Supplies, transmitting list of deficiency bills in said Department, for the year 1911.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Morton read in place bills to repave the following streets in the Twentieth Ward: Diamond street, from Tenth to Eleventh street; and Alder street, from Poplar street to Girard avenue.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Trinkle read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to construct a sewer in Columbia avenue, from Twelfth to Thirtieth street, in the Twentieth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. C. C. Cox read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation of forty-five thousand (45,000) dollars to the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Water), for the purchase and installation of boilers at the Queen Lane Pumping Station."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to grade Kingsley street, from Manayunk avenue to Pechin street, in the Twenty-first Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to pave Dexter street, from Manayunk avenue to Markle street, in the Twenty-first Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to repave Mitchell street, from Roxborough avenue to Martin street, in the Twenty-first Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Dripps read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to locate an electric light corner of Wissahickon avenue and Coulter street, in the Twenty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Electrical Committee.

Also, read in place bills to construct sewers in the following streets in the Twenty-second Ward: Lincoln drive, from end of present sewer near Springfield avenue to Abington avenue; and Willow Grove avenue, from Germantown avenue to Seminole street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place bills to resurface the following streets in the Twenty-second Ward: Willow Grove avenue, from Germantown avenue to Seminole street; and Abington avenue, from Germantown avenue to Roanoke street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Darrow read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the revision of the lines and grades of Penn street, Rubican street and Bringhurst street, in the Twenty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Minehart read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to locate two electric lights in the Twenty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Electrical Committee.

Mr. Horn read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to locate an electric light northeast corner Torresdale avenue and Faust street, in the Twenty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Electrical Committee.

Also, offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate gasoline lamps in the Twenty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Also, read in place bills to open the following streets in the Twenty-third Ward: Faust street, from Torresdale avenue to Edmund street; and Harrison street, from Penn street to Oxford pike, accompanied with a petition.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to grade Faust street, from Torresdale avenue to Edmund street, in the Twenty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place bills to pave the following streets in the Twenty-third Ward: Oakland street from Harrison to Allengrove street; Harrison and Allengrove streets, from Oakland to Horrock street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Gilson presented a communication from the Whitehall Improvement Association, protesting against the passage of an ordinance to strike the Whitehall Commons from the City plan.

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Kelley read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the revision of the lines of Clarion street, from Wharton to Reed street, in the Twenty-sixth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Limeburner (by request) read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to repave Sixth street, from Chestnut to Walnut street, in the Fifth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Simmington read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to locate an electric light at southwest corner of Napa street and Lehigh avenue, in the Twenty-eighth Ward."

Which was referred to the Electrical Committee.

Also, offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate two gasoline lamps in the Twenty-eighth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Mr. Cook read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to construct a sewer in Montrose street, from Fifteenth to Sixteenth street, in the Thirtieth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Pennock read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to locate an electric light on south side of Arch street, between Sixty-first and Sixty-second streets, in the Thirty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Electrical Committee.

Also, offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate a gasoline lamp in alley rear 115 N. Sickie street, in the Thirty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to construct a sewer in Media street, from Sixty-third street to 100 feet west of Simpson street, in the Thirty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. R. Smith read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to change the character of paving authorized to be laid on Moore street, from Twenty-fourth to Twenty-eighth street, in the Thirty-sixth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to locate two electric lights in the Thirty-sixth Ward."

Which was referred to the Electrical Committee.

Also, read in place bills to open the following streets in the Thirty-sixth Ward: Twenty-third street and Beechwood street, from Jackson to Wolf street; Hemberger and Croskey streets, from Jackson street to Passyunk avenue; and Wolf street, from Passyunk avenue to Twenty-third street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place bills to grade the following streets

in the Thirty-sixth Ward: Ringgold and Taylor streets, from Morris to Moore street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place bills to pave the following streets in the Thirty-sixth Ward: Ringgold and Taylor streets, from Morris to Moore street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Smithies read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to locate two electric lights in the Thirty-eighth Ward."

Which was referred to the Electrical Committee.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to pave the intersection of Conrad and Crawford streets, in the Thirty-eighth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to repave and regrade Conrad street, from Crawford street about 166 feet northwest, in the Thirty-eighth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Renshaw read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to construct a sewer in Whitby avenue, from West Chester Railroad to Fifty-fourth street, in the Fortieth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to pave Whitby avenue, from West Chester Railroad to Fifty-fourth street, in the Fortieth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Walton read in place bills to construct sewers in the following streets in the Forty-second Ward: Duncannon avenue, from Eleventh street to Windrim avenue; Marvine and Eleventh streets, from Lindley avenue to Duncannon avenue; Twelfth, Thirteenth and Camac streets, from Windrim avenue to Lindley avenue.

Which were referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place bills to pave the following streets in the Forty-second Ward: Duncannon avenue, from

Eleventh street to Windrim avenue; Marvinne and Eleventh street, from Lindley avenue to Duncannon avenue; Twelfth, Thirteenth and Camac streets, from Windrim avenue to Lindley avenue.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. G. D. Cox offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate two gasoline lamps in the Forty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to lay water pipe in Thirteenth street, from Luzerne to Kerbaugh street, in the Forty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Water.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to grade Thirteenth street, from Luzerne to Kerbaugh street, in the Forty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to pave Thirteenth street, from Luzerne to Kerbaugh street, in the Forty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Jenkinson (by request) read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to lay water pipe in Courtland street, from Fourth to Fifth street, in the Forty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Water.

Mr. Dorman read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to lay water pipe in Delancey street, from Fifty-ninth to Sixtieth street, in the Forty-sixth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Water.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to grade Delancey street, from Fifty-ninth to Sixtieth street, in the Forty-sixth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to pave Delancey street, from Fifty-ninth to Sixtieth street, in the Forty-sixth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Ragan read in place bills to repave the following

streets in the Forty-seventh Ward: Harlan street, from Twenty-first to Twenty-third street; Beechwood street, from Bolton to Oxford street; Bolton street, from Ridge avenue to Twenty-third street; and Croskey street, from Columbia avenue to Montgomery avenue.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Hardart read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance fixing the maximum price of gas to consumers, from January 1, 1913, to December 31, 1927."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Dripps offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to appoint a Special Committee of five members of Select and Common Councils to consider the wisdom of changing the form in which ordinances, and especially those embodying appropriations of the public moneys, are now printed and presented to Councils." (*Appendix No. 63.*)

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was twice read.

Mr. Connelly moved that the resolution be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Dorwart offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to consider the advisability and cost of installing a high pressure fire main system in the mill district of the Twenty-first Ward." (*Appendix No. 64.*)

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was twice read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Mr. Smithies offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to consider the advisability and cost of installing a high pressure fire main system in the mill district of the Thirty-eighth Ward." (*Appendix No. 65.*)

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was twice read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Mr. Gillingham moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 45) entitled "An Ordinance to place on the City plan Delaware avenue, from Washington avenue to Synder avenue, of the width of one hundred and fifty feet."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Conn, Connelly, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Cross, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Humphrys, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minchart, Mohr, Morrison, Morton, Parry, Pennoek, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—76.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 46) entitled "An Ordinance

to authorize the construction of a new foot bridge on the line of Montgomery street, west of Second street, over American street and the tracks of the North Pennsylvania Railroad, and the work appurtenant thereto, setting aside money to pay the cost thereof, and providing for carrying into effect such authority."

Which was agreed to.

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

The second section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Cross, Darrow, Derr, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Humphrys, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morrison, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—79.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 47) entitled "An Ordinance to strike from the City plan Rhawn street, from State

road to Delaware river; and Wissinoming, Milnor and Eugene streets, from Holmesburg avenue southward."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Cross, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Humphrys, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minchart, Mohr, Morrison, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—81.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Select Council informed Common Council that they had passed resolution (Appendix No. 53) entitled "Resolution discharging the Committee on City Property from the further consideration of a resolution entitled 'Resolution authorizing the Department of Public Safety (Bureau of City Property), to offer portions of vacant ground previously acquired for Parkway purposes, for rent, for temporary purposes.' "

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred.

Common Council proceeded to second reading of Select Council resolution (Appendix No. 45) entitled "Resolution requesting the City Solicitor to report to Councils what action can be taken to expedite the removal of railroad tracks at grade from Oregon avenue, in the Twenty-sixth, Thirty-sixth and Thirty-ninth Wards."

The resolution was again read, and agreed to.

The preamble was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred.

Also, proceeded to second reading of Select Council bill (Appendix No. 44) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Philadelphia and Reading Railway Company to construct, operate and maintain a siding or turnout across Twenty-third street, south of Arch street, in the Ninth Ward."

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Cross, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flym, Frankenfield, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Humphrys, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morrison, Morton, Parry, Pennock,

Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy. *Pres't*—81.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Also, proceeded to second reading of Select Council bill (Appendix No. 43) entitled "An Ordinance directing the Pennsylvania Railroad Company to erect safety gates at Ashburner street and the Pennsylvania Railroad, and at Linden avenue and the Pennsylvania Railroad, in the Forty-first Ward."

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The preamble was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Cross, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Humphrys, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morrison, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Walton,

Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—81.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Also, proceeded to second reading of Select Council resolution (Appendix No. 10) entitled "Resolution of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit George T. Sale to lay a temporary terra cotta drain in Oxford avenue, from four feet north of the north curb line of Frankford avenue to about seventy-four feet north of Frankford avenue."

The resolution was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred.

Select Council informed Common Council that they had passed resolution (Appendix No. 54) entitled "Resolution relative to extending an invitation to the Committees on Naval Affairs and Rivers and Harbors of the United States Congress to visit Philadelphia, to examine into the merits of the Philadelphia Navy Yard and the deepening of the channel of the Delaware river, and suspending Joint Rule No. 30 of the Select and Common Councils."

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was again read, and agreed to.

The preamble was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Cross, Darrow, Derr,

Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Humphrys, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minchart, Mohr, Morrison, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—79.

NAYS—None.

Two-thirds of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the resolution passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Mr. Dripps, seconded by Mr. Horn, moved to reconsider the vote by which Common Council bill (Appendix No. 42) entitled "An Ordinance to make additional appropriations to the various Bureaus in the Departments of Public Safety, Public Health and Charities, Mayor, City Controller, Inspectors of County Prisons, Recorder of Deeds and City Treasurer, for the year 1912," was defeated at last meeting of Common Council.

On agreeing to the motion,

The yeas and nays were required, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Cross, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Humphrys, Jenkinson, Hahn, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan, McGurk,

J. S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morrison, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—78.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

The question being on the final passage of the bill.

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gleason, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Humphrys, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McElroy, McGimmis, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Morrison, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, R. Smith, Stauffer, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—67.

NAYS—Messrs. C. C. Cox, Dorwart, Gilson, Gourie, Simmington, F. A. Smith, Smithies, and Stuebing—8.

Two-thirds of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Mr. Dripps presented the following:

We vote "AYE" on Section 1 of this ordinance (Appendix No. 42) despite the facts (1) that it is in form an "omnibus bill;" (2) that it contains one item unin-

telligible as printed; (3) that it contains at least three items which should have been introduced as entirely separate ordinances; (4) that it indiscriminately mingles items of current expense with those of capital outlay; (5) that certain items are so lacking in detail as to make intelligent consideration impossible; our reasons for so voting being (1) that personal investigation leads us to believe that the various items are all individually deserving of passage; and (2) that by further insisting at this time on a presentation to Councils of these items in proper form repairs and improvements greatly needed now will be held back several weeks.

ROBERT D. DRIPPS.

J. FRED'K JENKINSON.

Select Council informed Common Council that they had concurred in the following, to wit:

"An Ordinance to authorize the construction of a new foot bridge on the line of Montgomery street, west of Second street, over American street and the tracks of the North Pennsylvania Railroad and the work appurtenant thereto, setting aside money to pay the cost thereof and providing for carrying into effect such authority." (Appendix No. 46.)

"Resolution of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to consider the advisability and cost of installing a high pressure fire main system in the mill district of the Twenty-first Ward." (Appendix No. 64.)

"Resolution of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to consider the advisability and cost of installing a high pressure fire main system in the mill district of the Thirty-eighth Ward." (Appendix No. 65.)

Mr. Whitaker moved that Common Council do now adjourn.

Which was agreed to.

So Common Council adjourned.

Thursday, March 7, 1912.

Common Council met. Members present:

Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camae, Conn, Connelly Cook, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Cross, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCloskey, McElroy, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morrison, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*.

Mr. Cross moved that the Journal of the last meeting be approved.

Which was agreed to.

The President presented the following:

Philadelphia, March 7, 1912.

GEORGE MCCURDY, Esq.,

President of Common Council.

MY DEAR SIR:—Kindly excuse me from attendance at the meeting this P. M., as it is impossible for me to be present.

Yours very truly,

GEO. J. VAN HOUTEN.

Lansdale, Pa., March 7, 1912.

GEORGE MCCURDY, Esq.,
President of Common Council.

DEAR SIR:—I cannot get in Philadelphia in time to attend to-day's meeting of Council. Please excuse me.

Very truly,

H. C. KLINE.

Philadelphia, March 6, 1912.

GEORGE MCCURDY, Esq.,
President of Common Council.

DEAR SIR:—Beg to advise you that owing to a business engagement will not be possible for me to be present at the meeting to-morrow. I trust, therefore, that I may be excused.

Very truly yours,

JAMES A. HUMPHRYS.

The President presented a communication from the College of Physicians, requesting an appropriation for the erection of a building for a pathological department.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the Junior Civic Club, protesting against the sending of the Liberty Bell to the San Francisco Exposition in 1915.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the South Philadelphia Business Men's Association, relative to a subway on South Broad street.

Which was read, and referred to the Joint Committee of Finance and Street Railroads.

Also, presented a communication from the Philomusian Club, urgently petitioning Councils for the appropriation of \$50,000 for the Shade Tree Commission.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the City Parks Association, protesting against the repeal of certain ordinances.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Highways.

The Secretary to the Mayor was introduced, when he presented a message from the Mayor, requesting an additional appropriation to the Department of Supplies, for the year 1912. (*Appendix No. 66.*)

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a further communication from the Mayor, requesting an additional appropriation to the Civil Service Commission, for the year 1912. (*Appendix No. 67.*)

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Stuebing read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to locate two electric lights in the First Ward."

Which was referred to the Electrical Committee.

Mr. Conn offered the following, to wit: "Resolution appointing a Committee of five members of Common Council to investigate the real estate owned by public service corporations exempt from taxation for municipal purposes, and to prepare a list of such real estate for the use of members of Common Council, and to investigate other real estate exempt from taxation and prepare a list of same."

Which was referred to the Committee on Law.

Mr. Connelly presented a communication from the Director of the Department of Public Works, asking for an appropriation to pay salary of a blue printer in said Department.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the Department of Public Health and Charities, asking for appropriations for the purchase of ice and milk for distribution among the poor during the summer months.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a further communication from the Department of Public Health and Charities, asking for an appropriation for supplies for examiners to carry into effect the Plumbers' Registration Act.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the creation of a loan or loans by the City of Philadelphia in the sum of four million (4,000,000) dollars for general municipal purposes."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the Director of the Department of Public Safety, requesting additional appropriations for the year 1912.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also (by request), read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize certain transfers in the annual appropriation to the Department of Wharves, Docks and Ferries, for the year 1912."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Williams read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to place upon the City plan Sepviva street, from Norris to Berks street, in the Eighteenth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Dorwart read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to construct a sewer in Walnut lane, from Wissahickon intercepting sewer to Houghton street, in the Twenty-first Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Darrow read in place a bill entitled "An Ordi-

nance directing the Department of Public Works to require owners of property abutting on the northwest and southeast sides of Roumfort avenue, Germantown avenue to Boyer street, to set curbs and lay footway pavements on both sides of the said street."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to pave Boyer street, from Cheltenham avenue to 153 feet northwest of Cheltenham avenue, in the Twenty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Dripps (by request) read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the curbing and paving of footway in front of the Happy Hollow Playground, on Wayne avenue, between Seymour street and Wyoming avenue, and to make an appropriation therefor."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Howard read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to construct a sewer in Greene street, from Hutter street to Lincoln drive, in the Twenty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Horn read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the change of names of Franklin, Cedar and Willow streets, in the Twenty-third and Forty-first Wards."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Gilson read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to construct a sewer in Kennedy street, from James to Tacony street, in the Twenty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to open Kennedy street, from James to Tacony street, in the Twenty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to pave Haworth street, from James to Eadom street, in the Twenty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Gillingham (by request) read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the re-construction of the sewer in Twelfth street, from Market to Arch street."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Eldredge read in place bills to repave the following streets in the Twenty-eighth Ward: Nineteenth street, from Diamond street to Glenwood avenue; and Susquehanna avenue, from Broad to Twenty-second street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Kreider read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to repave Taney street, from Montgomery avenue to Berks street, in the Thirty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Gallagher read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the construction of a bridge on the line of Westmoreland street, under the North Pennsylvania Railroad, in the Thirty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to lay water pipe in Rosehill street, from Allegheny avenue to Ontario street, in the Thirty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Water.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to re-grade Rosehill street, from Allegheny avenue to Ontario street, in the Thirty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate lamps in the Thirty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Mr. J. S. McQuade read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of Public Safety (Bureau of City Property) for repairs to station house, Sixty-first and Thompson streets, in the Thirty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to locate two electric lights in the Thirty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Electrical Committee.

Also, offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate gasoline lamps in the Thirty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Mr. Woodill read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to re-surface Levick street, from Second street pike to G street, in the Thirty-fifth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place bills to macadamize the following streets in the Thirty-fifth Ward: H street, from Levick street to Martins Mill road; and Palmetto street, from Levick to Robbins street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. R. Smith read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of Public Health and Charities for the rental of a steamboat, to be used for the purpose of giving free daily (except Sunday) excursions for the children of the Public and Parochial Schools."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also (by request), read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the grading of the east sidewalk of Wissahickon avenue, between the Richmond branch of the Philadelphia and Reading Railway Company and Bristol street, and the removal of the obstructions thereon."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also (by request), read in place bills to pave the following streets in the Forty-second Ward: Thirteenth street, from the Boulevard to Loudon street; and Wyoming avenue, from Twelfth street to York road.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Smithies read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to construct a sewer in Westmoreland street, from Twenty-second to Twenty-third street, in the Thirty-eighth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Baizley read in place a bill entitled "An Ordi-

nance to make an additional appropriation for a proper celebration of the Fourth of July."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place bills to place the following streets in the Thirty-ninth Ward on the City plan: Gladstone and Roseberry streets, from Second to Third street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Renshaw read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to pave Fifty-fourth street from Woodland avenue to Grays avenue, in the Fortieth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Camac read in place bills to pave the following streets in the Fortieth Ward: Sixty-fourth street, from Grays avenue to south side of Buist avenue; Buist avenue, from Sixty-second to Sixty-fourth street; and Sixty-third street, from Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington Railroad to Dicks avenue.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to construct a sewer in Sixty-fourth street, from Elmwood avenue to Buist avenue, in the Fortieth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Costello read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of Public Safety (Bureau of Correction), to extend gas mains from House of Correction on State road to Torresdale."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Diamond read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the construction of a bridge on the line of Fifth street, under the Richmond branch of the Philadelphia and Reading Railway, in the Forty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. G. D. Cox read in place bills to locate electric lights in the Forty-third Ward.

Which was referred to the Electrical Committee.

Also, offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate a gasoline lamp in alley north of the R. L. Wright School, in the Forty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Mr. Jenkinson read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to condemn a lot of ground bounded by Forty-seventh, Forty-eighth, Aspen, and Brown streets, in the Forty-fourth Ward, for a playground and park."

Which was referred to the Committee on City Property.

Also, offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate gasoline lamps in the Forty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Mr. Hardart offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate a gasoline lamp in alley rear 1618 N. Eighteenth street, in the Forty-seventh Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Mr. Ragan read in place bills to repave the following streets in the Forty-seventh Ward: Twenty-second street, from Poplar street to Girard avenue; and Smedley street, from Seybert to Master street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Connelly, Chairman of the Committee on Finance, presented a report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to make additional appropriations to the various Bureaus in the Departments of Public Safety, Public Works, Supplies, Mayor, Clerks of Councils, Coroner, Receiver of Taxes and Register of Wills, for the year 1912." (*Appendix No. 68.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to make additional appropriations to the various Bureaus in the Departments of Public Works, Public Safety, Public Health and Charities, Supplies, City Commissioners, City Controller, Clerks of Councils, Law and Prothonotary, to pay bills for supplies and materials fur-

nished and incurred prior to January 1, 1912." (*Appendix No. 69.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to make an additional appropriation to the Department of Supplies, for the year 1912." (*Appendix No. 70.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to make an additional appropriation to the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Highways), for the year 1912." (*Appendix No. 71.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Mayor and Department of Supplies, for the year 1912." (*Appendix No. 72.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation out of loan approved June 9, 1911 to the Board of Recreation (Department of Recreation)." (*Appendix No. 73.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance making an appropriation to the Mayor towards defraying the expenses of the Twelfth International Congress of Navigation, incident to the meeting of said Congress, to be held in Philadelphia." (*Appendix No. 74.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance transferring the control and custody of the Morgue property from the Department of Public Safety to the Coroner, and authorizing the transfer of certain employees." (*Appendix No. 75.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Board of Recreation to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, warrant against Item 15a, loan, in the appropriation to the Board of Recreation, for extra foundation work for Recreation Building, Fifty-sixth and Christian streets." (*Appendix No. 76.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance designating the Continental-Equitable Title and Trust Company as a depository of the City's money." (*Appendix No. 77.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to amend an ordinance entitled 'An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of Public Health and Charities, for the year 1912.'" (*Appendix No. 78.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Mr. R. Smith, Chairman of the Committee on Highways, presented a report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to amend the ordinance approved April 6, 1911, to authorize the paving of B, Bringham, Casimer, and other streets." (*Appendix No. 79.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to change the character of paving authorized to be laid on Garnet and Opal streets, from Snyder avenue to Jackson street; Moore street, from Twenty-fourth to Twenty-eighth street; and Pratt street, from Frankford avenue to Willow street." (*Appendix No. 80.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with the bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to permit the Simmons Hardware Company to construct a

bridge over and across Appletree street, west of Fourth street." (*Appendix No. 81.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance permitting Geo. B. Newton & Co. to erect an iron stairway connecting their office building with Chestnut street bridge, on the south side of said bridge east of Thirtieth street." (*Appendix No. 82.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to permit John B. Stetson Company to construct an iron bridge over and across Montgomery street, east of Fourth street." (*Appendix No. 83.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to permit John B. Stetson Company to construct and maintain a pipe duct under and across Montgomery street, east of Fourth street." (*Appendix No. 84.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to permit the Manufacturers' Club of Philadelphia to construct vaults under the sidewalks in front of their property on Broad, Walnut and Moravian streets." (*Appendix No. 85.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of the Parkway, from Sixteenth street to Seventeenth street." (*Appendix No. 86.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Delaware avenue, to its full

width, from Christian street to Washington avenue." (*Appendix No. 87.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Mr. Gallagher offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit Kenneth Wilson to lay a temporary terra cotta drain in Front street, north of Tioga street." (*Appendix No. 88.*)

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was twice read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Mr. Smithies offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to confer with the officials of the Philadelphia and Reading Railway Company, relative to the removal of grade crossings between Allegheny avenue and School lane, in the Thirty-eighth Ward." (*Appendix No. 89.*)

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was twice read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Mr. G. D. Cox offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of request to the Mayor to have prepared and furnish to Councils an estimate of the cost of constructing subways in Broad and other streets." (*Appendix No. 90.*)

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was twice read.

Mr. Simmington moved to amend by adding the following: "*Fifth*, a two track subway on Lehigh avenue, from Broad to Thirty-fourth street; thence to Ridge avenue and Dauphin street."

Which was agreed to.

The question being on agreeing to the resolution as amended,

Mr. Horn moved to amend by adding the following: "*Sixth*, a two track subway on Kensington avenue, from Lehigh avenue to Frankford avenue, and on Frankford avenue, from Kensington to Bustleton avenue; also, for an elevated two track road over the same route."

Which was agreed to.

The resolution as amended was agreed to.

The preamble was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Mr. Connelly offered the following, to wit: "Resolution authorizing the Sub-Committee of the Joint Committees on Finance and Street Railways, considering ordinance to authorize the construction of a subway and elevated railroad, to employ a stenographer." (*Appendix No. 91.*)

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was twice read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Mr. Gillingham moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (*Appendix No. 55*) entitled "An Ordinance to extend the time within which the beds of Prentice, Daggett, Sixty-fifth, Simpson, Haddington and Jefferson streets may be dedicated to the City."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The preamble was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, C. C.

Cox, G. D. Cox, Cross, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Jenkinson, Keene, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCloskey, McElroy, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minchart, Mohr, Morrison, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—71.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 54) entitled "An Ordinance to repeal portion of ordinance approved December 2, 1911, entitled 'An Ordinance to place on the City plan as a public park certain tracts of land in the Thirty-fourth Ward, as additions to Cobbs Creek Park and Morris Park, and to make the necessary revision of lines and grades of streets.'"

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Cross, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Horn, Howard, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kreider,

Lineburner, Lombardi, McCloskey, McElroy, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minchart, Mohr, Morrison, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—75.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 56) entitled "An Ordinance to revise the boundaries of Morris Park."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Cross, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Eldredge, Flynn, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kreider, Lombardi, McCloskey, McElroy, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morrison, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy. *Pres't*—73.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 53) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the revision of the lines and grades of a portion of City Plan No. 214, bounded by Greene street, Carpenter street, Wissahickon avenue and Allens lane."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Cross, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCloskey, McElroy, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morrison, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—76.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 50) entitled "An Ordinance

to place on the City plan Benezet, Blair, Carpenter, Webster, Lambert, Hanson and Upshur streets and Windrim avenue."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Cross, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCloskey, McElroy, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Mohr, Morrison, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—76.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Select Council informed Common Council that they had concurred in Common Council bill (Appendix No. 42) entitled "An Ordinance to make additional appropriations to the various Bureaus in the Departments of Public Safety, Public Health and Charities, Mayor, City Controller, Inspectors of County Prisons, Recorder of Deeds and City Treasurer, for the year 1912," with the following amendment: "Amend first and only section by striking out the words and figures "one hundred and

ninety-two thousand two hundred and fifty-five (192,255)" and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "one hundred and eighty-eight thousand five hundred and thirty-five (188,535)," and by striking out the following: "To Item 45 (new), for expenses of the Art Jury, for salaries: assistant secretary, one thousand (1,000) dollars per annum; stenographer and typewriter, seven hundred and twenty (720) dollars per annum; total, one thousand seven hundred and twenty (1,720) dollars; for stationery, printing, postage, transportation, hire of vehicles, traveling and hotel expenses and incidentals, two thousand (2,000) dollars; total, three thousand seven hundred and twenty (3,720) dollars: *Provided*, That no salaries or wages shall be paid except as provided for in this appropriation."

The message was read.

The question being on concurring in the amendments of Select Council,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Cross, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Krieder, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCloskey, McElroy, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morrison, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—76.

NAYS—None.

Two-thirds of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

So Common Council concurred in the amendments.

Also, informed Common Council that they had concurred in the following, to wit:

“An Ordinance to place on the City plan Benezet, Blair Carpenter, Webster, Lambert, Hanson and Upshur streets and Windrim avenue.” (Appendix No. 50.)

“An Ordinance to repeal portion of ordinance approved December 2, 1911, entitled ‘An Ordinance to place on the City plan as a public park certain tracts of land in the Thirty-fourth Ward, as additions to Cobbs Creek Park and Morris Park, and to make the necessary revision of lines and grades of streets.’” (Appendix No. 54.)

“An Ordinance to extend the time within which the beds of Prentice, Daggett, Sixty-fifth, Simpson, Haddington and Jefferson streets may be dedicated to the City.” (Appendix No. 55.)

“An Ordinance to revise the boundaries of Morris Park.” (Appendix No. 56.)

“Resolution authorizing the Sub-Committee of the Joint Committees on Finance and Street Railways, considering ordinance to authorize the construction of a subway and elevated railroad, to employ a stenographer.” (Appendix No. 90.)

Mr. Limeburner moved that Common Council do now adjourn.

Which was agreed to.

So Common Council adjourned.

Thursday, March 21, 1912.

Common Council met. Members present:

Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Cross, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Humphrys, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, MeTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morrison, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*.

Mr. Whitaker moved that the Journal of the last meeting be approved.

Which was agreed to.

The Secretary to the Mayor was introduced, when he presented a message from the Mayor, transmitting letter from the Director of the Department of Public Health and Charities, asking for an appropriation of \$5,000 towards defraying the expenses of the "Baby Saving Show." (*Appendix No. 92.*)

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a further message from the Mayor, asking that an appropriation be made for creating a Bureau of Engineering to consider the question of build-

ing subways and elevated railways. (*Appendix No. 93.*)

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

The President presented the following:

Philadelphia, March 19, 1912.

GEORGE McCURDY, ESQ.,

President of Common Council.

DEAR SIR:—At a quarterly meeting of the Philadelphia Board of Trade held yesterday, the Committee on Municipal Affairs made report indorsing the action of the meeting held at the Mayor's Office, on February 27th last, in relation to the active continuance of work upon the Parkway.

I take pleasure in quoting as follows from the report:

“The Committee believes that it is advisable to follow the suggestions made, and request the Mayor to commence work on the block between Sixteenth and Seventeenth streets, which action should definitely determine the lines to be adopted, and should there be any surplus remaining from the funds in hand, that such amounts should be expended at the west end, in the acquisition and removing of property, this work commencing at the extreme west end, in connection with the improvement of the plot at Twenty-fifth and Spring Garden streets, now being undertaken by the Park Commission.”

Trusting these suggestions may meet with your favor and secure your support and co-operation, I remain,

Very truly,

WM. R. TUCKER,

Secretary.

Philadelphia, March 18, 1912.

GEORGE McCURDY, Esq.,

President of Common Council.

DEAR SIR:—On behalf of the Art Club of Philadelphia, we desire to urge Common Council to pass the ordinance to open the Parkway, between Sixteenth and Seventeenth streets, which has been reported favorably by the Highway Committee.

We believe the Parkway to be one of the most desirable and important works necessary for the advancement of our City, and that the completion of the section stated will be an object lesson of so great an effect as to create a unanimous demand for proper appropriations, from year to year, to keep the work thereon steadily progressing.

Very truly yours,

SAMUEL W. COOPER,

Secretary.

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Philadelphia, March 7, 1912.

GEORGE McCURDY, Esq.,

President of Common Council.

DEAR SIR:—On behalf of the Board of Trustees of the Drexel Institute, I take the liberty of urging upon your Honorable Body the completion of the Parkway, between Sixteenth and Seventeenth streets. I understand that the project was approved at a meeting in the Mayor's Office, February 27, and that the money required is now in the City Treasury and cannot be used for any other purpose.

Very truly yours,

JAMES MACALISTER,

President.

Philadelphia, March 16, 1912.

GEORGE McCURDY, Esq.,

President of Common Council.

DEAR SIR:—At the recent meeting of the Business Men's Association of Germantown, a resolution was passed urging the passage by Councils of the ordinance reported favorably by the Highway Committee, to open the Parkway, between Sixteenth and Seventeenth streets, believing the block should be fully completed, finished and ready for use within a period of six months.

Yours very truly,

JOHN J. COURTNEY,

Secretary.

Philadelphia, March 18, 1912.

GEORGE McCURDY, Esq.,

President of Common Council.

DEAR SIR:—The West Philadelphia Business and Improvement League requests that you do all you can in urging the passage of the ordinance reported favorably by the Highway Committee, to open the Parkway, between Sixteenth and Seventeenth streets.

Yours truly

J. F. NEILL,

Secretary.

Philadelphia, March 20, 1912.

GEORGE McCURDY, Esq.,

President of Common Council.

DEAR SIR:—At the suggestion of the Philadelphia Allied Organizations, I write from the New Century Club to urge the passage of the ordinance to provide for the

opening of the Parkway, between Sixteenth and Seventeenth streets, believing this to be most desirable.

Yours very truly,

HILDA JUSTICE,
Corresponding Secretary.

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Philadelphia, March 21, 1912.

GEORGE McCURDY, Esq.,
President of Common Council.

DEAR SIR:—It is announced that the Highway Committee has favorably reported the ordinance to open the Parkway, between Sixteenth and Seventeenth streets, and that sufficient money is actually in the City Treasury which can be used for no other purpose.

As we are an improvement association, we heartily endorse any public improvement in the entire City, and we do in this case, desiring you to aid the passage of this ordinance, subject to the restriction that we do not desire it at the expense of some more urgently or widely needed improvement.

Trusting you will use your best judgment, *i. e.*, favoring the project if compatible with the best interests of the City, I am,

Yours respectfully,

EMIL LEUTE,
Corresponding Secretary.

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Philadelphia, March 18, 1912.

GEORGE McCURDY, Esq.,
President of Common Council.

DEAR SIR:—Pursuant to instructions from the Executive Committee of the Philadelphia Chapter of the American Institute of Architects, I beg to express to

you the earnest hope of the Chapter that the ordinance authorizing and directing the opening of the Parkway, between Sixteenth and Seventeenth streets, be promptly passed. We feel that this great improvement should at no time be permitted to lag, but, on the contrary that it should proceed as rapidly as is consistent with the resources and interests of the City.

Very sincerely yours,

JOHN HALL RANKIN,

President.

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Philadelphia, March 16, 1912.

GEORGE McCURDY, Esq.,

President of Common Council.

DEAR SIR:—Will you allow me to express as forcibly as I can, the sincere hope which I have that Philadelphia City Councils may, at the earliest possible moment, pass the ordinance which was, I understand, unanimously approved in committee, providing for the opening of the Parkway, between Sixteenth and Seventeenth streets.

To me and to tremendous numbers of those citizens of Philadelphia to whom I have talked, this opening at the earliest possible time is a matter of tremendous importance to the City. Let me, therefore, urge upon you that your personal weight be thrown in favor of the passage of the ordinance referred to.

Yours very truly,

J. E. D. TRASK,

Manager.

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Philadelphia, March 14, 1912.

GEORGE McCURDY, Esq.,

President of Common Council.

DEAR SIR:—At a meeting of the Board of Directors of the Master Builders' Exchange, held on the 12th inst.,

it was the sense of the Board that the Parkway, between Sixteenth and Seventeenth streets, should be opened and completed, and I am directed to communicate this opinion to you and urge upon Councils the passage of the ordinance which has been introduced for this purpose.

We are informed that sufficient money is now in the City Treasury to accomplish this, and we believe that as much of the Parkway as is possible should be completed at once.

Yours respectfully,
CHAS. ELMER SMITH,
Secretary.

Philadelphia, March 12, 1912.

GEORGE McCURDY, Esq.,
President of Common Council.

DEAR SIR:—I have the honor to enclose a copy of a resolution adopted at a regular meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Fairmount Park Art Association, held March 8, 1912. The resolution is sent to you in accordance with the instructions of the Board.

On motion, duly seconded, it was

Resolved, That the Fairmount Park Art Association, believing that it is for the best interests of the City, urges the passage of the ordinance now pending in Councils, to open the Parkway, between Sixteenth and Seventeenth streets.

Yours very respectfully,
LESLIE W. MILLER,
Secretary.

Philadelphia, March 18, 1912.

GEORGE McCURDY, Esq.,
President of Common Council.

MY DEAR MR. McCURDY:—I beg you, in the name of the large constituency which has already urged the meas-

ure which so much good judgment and ability to support in every legitimate way the ordinance to open the Parkway, between Sixteenth and Seventeenth streets, which has been unanimously reported by the Highway Committee, and is likely to come up for passage by Councils at next Thursday's meeting.

I am advising you in this matter with more confidence since your very able and earnest presentation of the case at the meeting in the Mayor's Office, on February 27th. I am deeply sensible of the debt which all friends of the Parkway are under to you in this matter, and I feel confident that your leadership of the movement will bring it to a triumphant conclusion.

Please pardon me for the liberty I am taking in thus addressing you, if you find in my letter anything to forgive.

Yours very respectfully,

LESLIE W. MILLER,

Secretary.

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Philadelphia, March 19, 1912.

GEORGE McCURDY, Esq.,

President of Common Council.

DEAR SIR:—I have the honor to inform you that at the last meeting of the Board of Managers of the City Parks Association of Philadelphia, the following resolution was unanimously adopted:

“Resolved, That the City Parks Association urges the prompt passage of the ordinance to open the Parkway, between Sixteenth and Seventeenth streets.”

Trusting that the provisions of the proposed ordinance will meet with the approval of the Chamber, I am,

Very truly yours,

ELI KIRK PRICE,

President.

Philadelphia, March 18, 1912.

GEORGE McCURDY, Esq.,

President of Common Council.

MY DEAR SIR:—I have just learned with great satisfaction that your bill authorizing the opening of the Parkway, between Sixteenth and Seventeenth streets, will come up for final action at the next meeting of Councils.

I beg leave respectfully to urge very strongly that you will do everything in your power to have it pass both branches of Councils, and also to obtain the Mayor's favorable action upon it.

This block will involve less expenditure, as I understand it, than any other block on the Parkway. In addition to this, if this is exchanged for the present property of the American Philosophical Society, it will give to the City the full ownership of Independence Square, a result highly desirable from a sentimental, and also from a very practical point of view. The building of the American Philosophical Society was erected 125 years ago, is far from fireproof, and is a constant potential menace not only to the old Mayor's Office, at Sixth and Chestnut, but, what is of the greatest moment, to Independence Hall itself. Not only all Philadelphia, but the entire country would be up in arms if anything should happen to those structures, and especially to Independence Hall. Philadelphia would always be pointed at with the finger of scorn if you did not take advantage of such an opportunity as this offers of safeguarding this precious relic of Revolutionary times.

The American Philosophical Society does not come to the City asking for this land as a *gift*, but proposes to *purchase* it from the City by giving it that which is both from the sentimental and practical point of view of far greater value than the site which we seek on the Parkway.

As soon as this matter is definitely settled, we shall immediately take energetic steps to erect upon the site a handsome, ornamental, useful and fireproof building to

house all of our wonderful treasures. We are very desirous of erecting there a Franklin House, suitably to commemorate the memory of Benjamin Franklin, who was the founder of the Society, the earliest steps having been taken by him in 1727. We shall desire to have a museum in which we can display our relics of Washington, Franklin, Jefferson, Rittenhouse and other prominent figures of the Revolutionary period freely to the public. In addition to this, our splendid library, which contains a great many scientific books not found in any other library in this country will be placed at the service of the public freely for consultation.

I have the honor to be,

Very truly yours,
W. W. KEEN.

Bethayres, Pa., March 19, 1912.

GEORGE McCURDY, Esq.,

President of Common Council.

MY DEAR SIR:—May I urge upon you, as no doubt you have been urged by many others, who, like myself, are in favor of the early opening of the Parkway, between Sixteenth and Seventeenth streets, the desirability of the immediate passage of the ordinance now in the City Councils providing for that opening.

With the arguments in favor of this, which seem to me unanswerable, you are no doubt familiar.

Very truly yours,

HENRY McCARTER,

Instructor, Pennsylvania Academy of the Fine Arts.

Philadelphia, March 19, 1912.

GEORGE McCURDY, Esq.,

President of Common Council.

MY DEAR SIR:—I understand that the bill providing for the opening of the Parkway, between Sixteenth and

Seventeenth streets, has been favorably reported to Councils by the Committee, and that it will come before the meeting of Councils held on Thursday next.

This is an improvement of very great interest to all citizens of Philadelphia, and I trust very much that you will do your utmost to urge its passage in Common Council.

Yours truly,

W. L. CLARK.

Philadelphia, March 19, 1912.

GEORGE McCURDY, Esq.,

President of Common Council.

DEAR SIR:—I understand that the ordinance for the opening of the Parkway, between Sixteenth and Seventeenth streets, will come up before Councils for final passage Thursday next, March 21st.

I write personally to thank you for the part you have taken in introducing this ordinance, and it is hoped that you will use your influence to secure the final passage of the bill.

No more important matter has presented itself within recent years. Philadelphia is far behind other cities in the matter of such municipal improvements, and the Parkway, as planned, is such a public improvement.

Very truly yours,

JOHN W. HARSHBERGER.

GEORGE McCURDY, Esq.,

President of Common Council.

DEAR SIR:—I see the ordinance for opening the Parkway, between Sixteenth and Seventeenth streets, has been unanimously passed by Committee. I hope you will use your influence in the immediate passage of the bill.

It is to my mind most important that the City should push work on the Parkway, if only for the betterment artistically.

Yours truly,

FRED WAGNER.

Philadelphia, March 18, 1912.

GEORGE McCURDY, Esq.,

President of Common Council.

DEAR SIR:—I write simply in reference to the pending ordinance providing for the opening of the proposed Parkway, between Sixteenth and Seventeenth streets.

In my estimation, this is among the most important improvements suggested for Philadelphia in recent years, next to the cleaning up of the Administration. As the latter is now so well assured, I trust you will use your influence in favor of the early accomplishment of the former.

Very truly yours,

WM. L. AUSTIN.

Philadelphia, March 18, 1912.

GEORGE McCURDY, Esq.,

President of Common Council.

DEAR MR. McCURDY:—I write to thank you for introducing the ordinance to open the Parkway, between Sixteenth and Seventeenth streets, and beg that you will do whatever else lies in your power to secure the final passage of the ordinance, not only in Common Council, but also in Select.

All of the different signatories to the meeting which was called before the Mayor, and which you were good enough to so eloquently address, have united in requesting the passage of this bill.

The necessary expenditure is well within the unexpended moneys already available for the purpose. There is a total of about \$700,000 now available, and it would take between a half and two-thirds of this to open the Parkway for this block, leaving a large sum to be devoted to the purchase of small houses elsewhere on the line.

Between Sixteenth and Seventeenth streets the houses required for the Parkway are, as a rule, small properties, in bad order, and their acquisition by the City will not entail very much expense.

Finally, these very houses have been increased in assessment in 1912 above the figures of 1911, and this increase will go on year after year, so that every year's delay means that the City will be required to pay a larger price for the properties than if they act promptly.

Opening the Parkway on this block will definitely fix the lines of the entire avenue, and afford a reasonable assurance to the poor people, whose properties are affected by the route selected, that some time or other the work will be carried on; and if the City can include one million dollars in each loan for the next two years, it will be exceedingly easy to open the Parkway, from Sixteenth to Fifteenth streets, and then from Seventeenth to Eighteenth streets, and through Logan Square.

I remain,

Yours very respectfully,

JOHN F. LEWIS.

Philadelphia, March 20, 1912.

GEORGE McCURDY, Esq.,

President of Common Council.

DEAR SIR:—I wish to thank you for the part you have taken in having introduced in Councils the ordinance to open the Parkway, between Sixteenth and Seventeenth. I trust that your efforts to have this ordinance passed through Common Council will meet with success, and that

you will be able to urge upon Select Council members the importance of their agreeing with your Honorable Body as to the passage of this bill.

Yours very truly,

JOS. A. McMENAMIN.

Philadelphia, March 20, 1912.

GEORGE McCURDY, Esq.,

President of Common Council.

DEAR SIR:—I beg you to do all in your power to secure the passage of the pending Parkway ordinance. It is the best way to push the work, and it does not involve an increase in the tax rate.

Sincerely yours,

FRANK MILES DAY.

Philadelphia, March 20, 1912.

GEORGE McCURDY, Esq.,

President of Common Council.

DEAR SIR:—The City of Philadelphia owes a debt of gratitude to you for pushing the bill to open the Parkway, from Sixteenth to Seventeenth street, and I sincerely hope that nothing will obstruct its passage. The City needs the Parkway, poor and rich alike, but it will be of especial use as a breathing space for the poor.

Sincerely,

EMMA BLAKISTON.

Philadelphia, March 20, 1912.

GEORGE McCURDY, Esq.,

President of Common Council.

DEAR SIR:—I write to thank you for the part you have taken in introducing the ordinance to open the Parkway, from Sixteenth to Seventeenth street, and understand that this bill is to come up before Common Council for final action to-morrow, March 21st. It is perhaps not necessary for me to urge that you will do all in your power to secure the final passage of this measure, which, I believe, will be of great advantage to the City.

Yours very truly,

MARSHALL E. SMITH.

Philadelphia, March 20, 1912.

GEORGE McCURDY, Esq.,

President of Common Council.

DEAR SIR:—My father-in-law, Mr. Samuel Price Wetherill, who owns the property at 1420 Arch street, also 1806 Race street, has asked me to write to request that you use your influence and encourage in every way the opening of the Parkway, between Logan Square and the City Hall.

Mr. Wetherill, like other property owners along the line of the Parkway, has found during the last three years that it has been very hard to obtain tenants and that the rents in all cases have to be reduced, owing to the uncertainty as to when the City will physically open the Parkway. Mr. Wetherill is particularly anxious that the City carry out the resolution adopted at the public meeting held at the Mayor's Office to open up the Parkway, between Sixteenth and Seventeenth streets, as he feels that a step in this direction would not only help but hasten the final result, and give Philadelphia what it

wants—a fine Parkway—and also give the property owners a chance to get the value of their property and enable them to invest the funds in a more profitable manner.

Yours very truly,
SAMUEL J. HENDERSON.

Philadelphia, March 19, 1912.

GEORGE McCURDY, ESQ.,

President of Common Council.

DEAR SIR:—I desire to express my thanks to you for the part which you have taken in introducing the ordinance to open the Parkway, between Sixteenth and Seventeenth streets, and would urge you to do whatever else is in your power to secure its final passage at the meeting of Councils.

Yours very truly,
J. M. STEELE.

Philadelphia, March 18, 1912.

GEORGE McCURDY, ESQ.,

President of Common Council.

DEAR SIR:—In regard to the ordinance now pending, providing for the opening of the Parkway, between Sixteenth and Seventeenth streets, would like to add my voice to those favoring its immediate passage.

Very respectfully yours,
W. W. GILCHRIST, JR.

Philadelphia, March 19, 1912.

GEORGE McCURDY, Esq.,

President of Common Council.

DEAR SIR:—I am glad to know that your bill to open the Parkway, between Sixteenth and Seventeenth streets, is to come before Councils on Thursday, and that it has come from Highway Committee unanimously and favorably reported. I believe the object of the bill is highly desirable from both the utilitarian and aesthetic sides, and I consider your bill a reasonable and proper step to an early attainment of the Parkway. I thank you for what you have done, and I hope you will continue your work until the object is attained.

Yours sincerely,

MAUDE B. HANSCHÉ.

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Philadelphia, March 20, 1912.

GEORGE McCURDY, Esq.,

President of Common Council.

DEAR SIR:—It is with much pleasure that I saw by to-day's paper that you propose to introduce into Councils a bill to secure, without delay, the site for the Parkway, between Sixteenth and Seventeenth streets.

I take the liberty of writing you endorsing your proposed action in this matter, believing it is much to the pecuniary interest of the City that all proposed investors in real estate shall have evidence of the value of abutting property for improvement purposes, and this may lead to the bringing to the City Treasury an increased amount of taxes.

Yours respectfully,

JOHN T. MORRIS.

Philadelphia, March 19, 1912.

GEORGE McCURDY, Esq.,

President of Common Council.

DEAR SIR:—As a citizen, deeply concerned in the improvement and beautification of the City, I desire to be counted as favorable to the immediate passage of the ordinance providing for the opening of the Parkway, between Sixteenth and Seventeenth streets.

Trusting that the measure may be promptly passed, I am,

Very respectfully yours,

CHAS. HERMON THOMAS, M. D.

—

Philadelphia, March 19, 1912.

GEORGE McCURDY, Esq.,

President of Common Council.

DEAR SIR:—I want to thank you for the part you have taken in the introduction of the ordinance to open up the Parkway, between Sixteenth and Seventeenth streets. Would ask you to use all your influence in your power to secure the final passage of the bill at the meeting of the Councils.

Thanking you kindly in advance, I remain,

Very truly yours,

FRED. G. KREITZER, JR.

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Philadelphia, March 19, 1912.

GEORGE McCURDY, Esq.,

President of Common Council.

DEAR SIR:—Having been present at the meeting at the Mayor's Office some weeks since, I was particularly impressed with the address that you made in reference

to the Parkway, I want to take this opportunity, as a citizen and merchant, to thank you for the interest that you have taken in the question of the plan, and to express the hope that when the matter comes into Councils you will use your influence to accomplish the desired result.

Business men, generally, are greatly in sympathy with the proposed movement, which will undoubtedly redound to the advantage of the community as a whole.

Very respectfully yours,

CHARLES J. COHEN.

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Philadelphia, March 19, 1912.

GEORGE McCURDY, Esq.,

President of Common Council.

DEAR SIR:—I write to thank you for the part you have taken in introducing the ordinance for the opening of the Parkway, from Sixteenth to Seventeenth street, into Councils, and beg you to do whatever else you can to secure the final passage of the ordinance at the meeting of Councils.

Yours very truly,

MARY IVES CHEW.

—

Philadelphia, March 19, 1912.

GEORGE McCURDY, Esq.,

President of Common Council.

MY DEAR SIR:—I had the pleasure of listening to your speech in favor of the Parkway project at the meeting called by Mayor Blankenburg in his office a few weeks ago for the discussion of this project. Since that time, you have introduced an ordinance to open the Parkway, between Sixteenth and Seventeenth streets. I wish to

personally thank you for the part you have taken in behalf of this wise and beneficial measure for the welfare of the City, and at the same time to ask you to do everything else in your power to secure the final passage of this ordinance at the meeting of Councils on Thursday next.

Having been a member of the Committee working on and directly interested in the plan for Chicago, and as familiar with the opening of such improvements in Berlin, Vienna and Paris, I am convinced that the completion of one block of this Parkway, so that the people may see what it means and see what it is going to give them, their children, and their children's children, would be of more benefit than any other thing that could possibly be done for the furthering of this project.

Very truly yours,

ALFRED H. GRANGER.

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Philadelphia, March 19, 1912.

GEORGE McCURDY, Esq.,

President of Common Council.

DEAR SIR:—I trust you are in favor of the pending ordinance providing for the opening of the Parkway, and beg that you will do all in your power to favor the passage of the bill.

Very truly yours,

CHARLES D. BARNEY.

—

Philadelphia, March 20, 1912.

GEORGE McCURDY, Esq.,

President of Common Council.

DEAR SIR:—I understand that an ordinance will come before City Councils on March 21st, providing for the

opening of the Parkway, between Sixteenth and Seventeenth streets.

Philadelphia has too long labored under a policy of postponement in regard to its municipal improvements, with the unfortunate result that with great possibilities it has perhaps a smaller percentage of realization than any large city in the United States.

This is undoubtedly evident in the physical appearance of the City itself, and I think it cannot be questioned that these factors have their influence upon persons transacting business in the City, with the result that it does not have the outside trade nor standing with the traveling public which its importance justifies.

I think the City has too long pursued a policy of conservatism, and that it is time for it to push forward its plans energetically.

I therefore most respectfully urge the passage of the ordinance referred to, in the hope that the present generation will see the completed improvement.

Very respectfully yours,

JOS. M. DOHAN.

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Philadelphia. March 20, 1912.

GEORGE McCURDY, Esq.,

President of Common Council.

DEAR SIR:—Thank you very much for having introduced the ordinance to open the Parkway, between Sixteenth and Seventeenth streets. I trust you will continue the good work and help to secure its final passage. I am sure the public at large is very grateful to you, and believe me,

Yours very truly,

WILSON EYRE.

Philadelphia, March 20, 1912.

GEORGE McCURDY, Esq.,

President of Common Council.

HONORABLE AND DEAR SIR:—I am writing to ask you to do everything in your power to secure the final passage at the meeting of Councils of the ordinance to open the Parkway, between Sixteenth and Seventeenth streets, which has been unanimously and favorably reported on by the Highway Committee. I know from the stand you took at the recent Citizen's Meeting in the Mayor's Office that you are in sympathy with this bill, and wish to thank you for the part you have taken in introducing the ordinance to open up the Parkway in this section.

Yours very truly,

GEO. BISPHAM PAGE.

—

Philadelphia, March 20, 1912.

GEORGE McCURDY, Esq.,

President of Common Council.

MY DEAR SIR:—As one who has labored for many years to bring about the construction of a great cosmopolitan thoroughfare to connect the City Hall and the Parkway, I wish to congratulate and thank you for introducing the ordinance to open another link in this avenue.

Trusting that the necessary formalities may be put through with dispatch, and that the work may be undertaken without further delay, I remain,

Very truly yours,

ALBERT KELSEY.

Philadelphia, March 20, 1912.

GEORGE McCURDY, Esq.,
President of Common Council.

MY DEAR SIR:—As the ordinance for the opening of the Boulevard will, it is understood, be presented to your Honorable Body to-morrow, I beg leave to thank you for your valuable service with regard to it, and to express the earnest desire that everything possible may be done to further the success of this measure, looking to the best interests of Philadelphia.

Faithfully yours,

EDWARD H. COATES.

—

Philadelphia, March 20, 1912.

GEORGE McCURDY, Esq.,
President of Common Council.

DEAR SIR:—As the ordinance pending for the opening of the Parkway, between Sixteenth and Seventeenth streets, will come before your meeting next Thursday, I earnestly urge upon you the desirability of its immediate passage.

Very respectfully yours,

CARROLL S. TYSON, JR.

—

Philadelphia, March 20, 1912.

GEORGE McCURDY, Esq.,
President of Common Council.

MY DEAR SIR:—I take the liberty of urging you, with many more of our fellow citizens, to pass without delay the ordinance providing for the opening of the Parkway,

between Sixteenth and Seventeenth streets, now pending in the City Councils.

Very respectfully yours,

DAVID WILSON JORDAN.

Philadelphia, March 18, 1912.

GEORGE McCURDY, Esq.,

President of Common Council.

DEAR SIR:—Understanding that the proposed ordinance to open the Parkway, between Sixteenth and Seventeenth streets, will come up for action in Councils this week, I write to urge upon you the importance of going on with the development of this great municipal improvement, so that the money already invested in it may be made to yield a return to the City at the earliest possible date; and to ask you to do all in your power to promote the passage of this ordinance which has received the emphatic approval of a large number of thoughtful citizens.

Very respectfully yours,

MINNIE HAYS.

Philadelphia, March 19, 1912.

GEORGE McCURDY, Esq.,

President of Common Council.

DEAR MR. McCURDY:—You deserve the praise and thanks of all citizens of the great City of Philadelphia for introducing this ordinance, and we all wish you success.

All hands must work hard for this, and if I can help any please let me know.

Yours truly,

D. KNICKERBACKER BOYD.

Philadelphia, March 20, 1912.

GEORGE MCCURDY, Esq.,

President of Common Council.

DEAR SIR:—In reference to the completion of the Parkway, would it not be more just to the property holders who are interested in this matter for the City to purchase from them all property in or adjacent to the line of the Parkway, as proposed, wherever it is offered at a reasonable figure, and not in one section only as at present proposed.

Is not the City under some obligation to all these property holders to do the best it can for them and not to favor any one section, unless some particular gain is to be secured by the opening of a small part of same, as at present proposed, between Sixteenth and Seventeenth streets. In place of this proposition, would it not be better to secure any property in the entire line that may be offered for sale at a reasonable figure, that is, for a price only slightly above its assessed valuation. This would not only be a matter of justice to these property holders, but the City would also gain by such action, by preventing these properties to fall into the hands of speculators, who would purchase the same with the direct intent of securing from the City a large amount from them at some future time.

Also, as there are only sufficient funds available to purchase a portion of these properties, the owners wishing to sell would practically bid against each other in their offers of sale, and in this way the property owners who are holding out for excessive prices might have to wait indefinitely, and would finally only receive what would be decided upon by action of the Court as a result of condemnation proceedings.

If, however, the opening of any one section is to be undertaken at this time, it might be well to consider the purchase and demolition of the remaining properties in the square between Broad and Fifteenth and Filbert and Arch streets. It is in this square that a rapid increase in valuation may be expected on account of it being part

of the central business sections of the City; and as some of the buildings in this square have already been cleared away, much more would be accomplished in demonstrating the practical advantage of the Parkway by the completion of this plaza, from where the Parkway is to start, than in the opening of any other section.

Very truly yours,

H. L. DUHRING, JR.

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Philadelphia, March 18, 1912.

GEORGE McCURDY, Esq.,

President of Common Council.

DEAR SIR:—Concerning the Parkway ordinance now pending in City Councils, I am very much in favor of a boulevard from City Hall to Fairmount Park. I always have been, and my father, the late Mr. Justus C. Strawbridge, before me. Presuming that there *is some money* to spend immediately, I am *not* in favor of using it for the purpose of opening *any single square* of the proposed avenue. Such a proposition may be very interesting and desirable from an *architectural* standpoint, but it does not appeal to the average citizen at all. It is well known that a street open for only *one block*—no matter how elegant, is absolutely *useless*—it leads from nowhere to nowhere, and I would consider any money spent in *perfecting* or even *opening* a single block, as the first step in this great work, most unfortunate.

I would advocate cutting a preliminary path, say, 50, 60 or 100 feet wide, through the *entire distance*, from City Hall to Logan Square, paved with asphalt or wooden blocks, so that we can all *use it* as soon as possible—this summer, next winter, next summer, and so on for 50 or 100 years, while the architects and builders are erecting stately and appropriate structures, or planning artistic surroundings. Let us have this temporary roadway placed

on the *line of one side* of the final boulevard, so that property on *that* side, at least, can be permanently improved, and the inconvenience and uncertainty to the owners on the other, or temporary side, would be entirely outweighed by the great and immediate service of such a convenient street to the public, who want to use it *at once* for automobiles, carriages, taxicabs, hacks, bicycles, baby coaches, and even on foot. I view this splendid improvement from the *utility* standpoint, and I think this view appeals to the *people*, much more than the architectural, or any other standpoint.

It also has these advantages: That a path, open and in use, to-day and every day, would educate everybody up to the *general idea*, and there would not be the clamor or necessity for hasty and ill-advised action on the *final* arrangements of the perfected scheme.

One of our prominent City officials said recently that few people went to the park nowadays—true—few drive to the park, but hundreds motor and ride *through* the park every day in the week to points on the main line, all the way from Overbrook to Devon, and to Germantown and Chestnut Hill—a fact which may be easily verified any morning or afternoon by actual observation at the Green street entrance.

Yours very truly,
FREDERIC H. STRAWBRIDGE.

Also, presented a communication from the Philadelphia Social Workers' Club, relative to relocation of institution now situated at Blockley, which provides for the location of building for indigent women and a new home for the feeble-minded adjoining the House of Correction.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Charities and Correction.

Also, presented a communication from the Executive Committee of the United Committee on Subway, representing various associations opposing the passage of legislation authorizing the erection of any elevated structures through any residential or business street; also, op-

posing any subway under Broad street which does not extend to Olney avenue.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance and Street Railways.

Also, presented a communication from Milton A. Nobles, relative to the appointment of a commission to act in the matter of sexual relations, to be known as the Vice Commission.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Police and Prisons.

Also (by request), read in place "An Ordinance to confer upon the Commissioners of Fairmount Park the care and management of Morris Park, in the Thirty-fourth Ward."

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Bonnick read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to repave Sigel street, from Sixth to Seventh street, in the First Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways

Mr. Cahill read in place bills to repave the following streets in the Fourth Ward: American, Percy and Orianna street, from South to Bainbridge street; Marshall street, from Kater to Bainbridge street; Randolph street, from Broad to Fifteenth street; Mildred and Jessup streets, from Bainbridge to Fitzwater street; Fairhill street, from South to Kater street; Pemberton street, from Third to Fourth street; and Kater street, from Fourth to Orianna street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Conn read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay for extra work on branch sewer in Wingohocking street, between Fifth and Lawrence streets, done by order of Bureau of Surveys, in June, 1910."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to

open, to full width, south side of Chestnut street, from Thirteenth to Juniper street, in the Eighth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Connelly presented a communication from the Director of the Commercial Museum, requesting an additional appropriation for supplies, for the year 1912.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the Director of the Department of Public Safety, relative to the purchase of property 615 Passyunk avenue from the City.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the Receiver of Taxes, requesting an additional appropriation, for the year 1912.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the Director of the Department of Public Safety, requesting an additional appropriation to the Electrical Bureau for telephone service, for the year 1912.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the County Commissioners, requesting an additional appropriation to the State Hospital for the Chronic Insane, at Wernersville, Pa., for the year 1912.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the Director of the Department of Public Safety, requesting an appropriation to pay the salary of Patrolman Henry T. Garnett, Nineteenth District, for eleven days' pay.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the Clerk of the

Court of Quarter Sessions, requesting an appropriation to pay bills contracted during the year 1911.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the Director of the Department of Public Safety, requesting an additional appropriation for motor cycles, repairs and maintenance, for the year 1912.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from Messrs. Page & Page, Attorneys for the Charles Este Company, relative to ordinance providing for the filling in of Margie street, and the building of a retaining wall on the side abutting along the lumber yard of said company.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Water) to pay William Hansell & Sons for damages caused by break in water main.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of Supplies, for printing, etc., furnished during the year 1911."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation for the payment of salaries of electrical draw operators and watchmen on Passyunk avenue draw bridge over the Schuylkill river."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Dorwart read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to grade Kingsley street, from Wissahickon avenue to Ampho street, in the Twenty-first Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Darrow read in place bills to construct sewers in the following streets in the Twenty-second Ward; Drinker

and Springer streets, from Wayne avenue to Lincoln drive.

Which were referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place bills to grade the following streets in the Twenty-second Ward: Drinker and Springer streets, from Wayne avenue to Lincoln drive; and Crefeld street, from Sunset avenue to Hampton avenue.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place bills to pave the following streets in the Twenty-second Ward: Sprague street, from Mt. Pleasant avenue to Mt. Airy avenue; and Mt. Pleasant avenue, from Sprague street north from Mt. Pleasant avenue to offset in Sprague street south from Mt. Pleasant avenue.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, presented the following, to wit: "Resolution authorizing the City Controller to countersign certain warrants for bills of the Board of Trustees for the promotion and maintenance of the Free Library, for the year 1911, and directing the Clerks of Councils to present this resolution to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the resurfacing of Greene street, from Manheim street to Tulpehocken street, and the construction of vitrified brick gutters therein."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the surfacing with broken stone with vitrified brick gutters Crefeld street, from Sunset avenue to Hampton avenue, in the Twenty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the striking from the City plan of Arbutus street, in the Twenty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Dripps read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance prohibiting proprietors, managers and lessees of certain

places of amusement from permitting minors under sixteen years of age from attending such places of amusement."

Which was referred to the Committee on Law.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to macadamize Norwood avenue (or Ardleigh street), from Willow Grove avenue to Evergreen avenue, in the Twenty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance requiring sidewalks to be laid and curbs to be set on Ardleigh street, from the connection with Mermaid lane to a point 225 feet north, in the Twenty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Howard read in place a bill to grade Price street, from Sprague to Ardleigh street, in the Twenty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Gilson read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Army and Navy Union of the United States for the proper observance of Memorial Day."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to govern the dumping of refuse matter and waste material on vacant lots within the limits of the County and City of Philadelphia."

Which was referred to the Committee on Police and Fire.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to construct sewer in Pratt street, from James to Eadom street, in the Twenty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to open Pratt street, from James street to Eadom street, in the Twenty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Horn read in place bills to construct sewers in the following streets in the Twenty-third Ward: Brill street, from Lesher to Willow street; Frankford avenue, from Bridge to Brill street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to pave Cedar street, from Bridge street to Brill street, in the Twenty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance selecting and appropriating plot of ground in the Twenty-third Ward for park and playground purposes."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Gillingham (by request) read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Gunners Run Relief sewer extension in Indiana street, from Mutter street to Twelfth street."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also (by request), read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the construction of a main sewer in Ogontz avenue, from Chew street to Nedro avenue, in the Forty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Eldredge read in place bills to repave the following streets in the Twenty-eighth Ward: Oakdale street, from 100 feet west of Twenty-sixth to Twenty-seventh street; and Nineteenth street, from Susquehanna avenue to Glenwood avenue.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Simmington offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate gasoline lamps in the Twenty-eighth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Also, read in place bills to resurface the following streets in the Twenty-eighth Ward: Thirty-fourth street, from Cumberland to Huntingdon street; Sergeant street, from Thirty-third to Thirty-fourth street; Oakdale street,

from Twenty-ninth to Thirty-first street; Twenty-seventh street, from Susquehanna avenue to York street; intersection of Twenty-eighth and Huntingdon streets; and intersection of Thirty-third and Huntington streets, with asphalt.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Humphrys offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate gasoline lamps in the Twenty-ninth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Mr. McElroy offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate gasoline lamps in the Thirtieth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Mr. Burke offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to fill vacancy now existing in the municipal representation of the Board of Directors of the Philadelphia Rapid Transit Company."

Which was referred to the Committee on Street Railways.

Mr. J. S. McQuade read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to construct a sewer in Fifty-fourth street, from Overbrook avenue to Woodbine avenue, in the Thirty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to lay water pipe in Fifty-fourth street, from Overbrook avenue to Woodbine avenue, in the Thirty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Water.

Mr. Pennock offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate gasoline lamps in the Thirty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Mr. R. Smith read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance selecting and appropriating a certain piece of ground situate in the Thirty-sixth Ward for park and playground purposes."

Which was referred to the Committee on City Property.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to

permit the Philadelphia Railways Company, successor to the Southwestern Passenger Railway Company, to lay, maintain and operate turnouts or sidings at Penrose avenue and Sheaf lane into the property of the Keystone Realty Company."

Which was referred to the Committee on Street Railways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance amendatory to an ordinance entitled 'An Ordinance to regulate the construction of frame buildings, fences and bay windows,' approved March 28, 1894."

Which was referred to the Committee on Police and Fire.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Erie avenue, from Sepviva street to Tulip street; and Tulip street, from Erie avenue to Butler street."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to pave south side of Passyunk avenue, from Twenty-first to Twenty-third street, in the Thirty-sixth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to construct a sewer in Passyunk avenue, from Twenty-second to Twenty-third street, in the Thirty-sixth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to place Ringgold street, from Morris to Moore street, in the Thirty-sixth Ward, on the City plan."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to place Taylor street, from Morris to Moore street, in the Thirty-sixth Ward, on the City plan."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to amend the ordinance approved April 10, 1911, entitled 'An Ordinance to authorize the repaving of certain streets and work incident thereto.'"

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Smithies read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to grade McMichael street, from Midvale avenue to the north house line of Coulter street, in the Thirty-eighth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to pave McMichael street, from Midvale avenue to the north house line of Coulter street, in the Thirty-eighth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to construct a sewer in Shedwick street, from Clearfield street to Allegheny avenue, in the Thirty-eighth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Miller read in place bills to repave the following streets in the Thirty-ninth Ward: Wolf street, from Tenth to Twelfth street; McKean street, from Fourth to Fifth street; Winton street, from Ninth to Eleventh street; Cantrell street, from Sixth to Ninth street; Winton street, from Sixth to Ninth street; Cantrell street, from Ninth to Twelfth street; Sartain street, from Mifflin to McKean street; Moyamensing avenue, from Mifflin street to Snyder avenue.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Flynn read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to locate electric light on Mifflin street, between Fifth and Sixth streets."

Which was referred to the Electrical Committee.

Mr. Walton read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to open Spenceer street, from York road to Broad street, in the Forty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to place Ridley street, from Wister street (formerly Stenton avenue) to Wyneote and Stenton avenue, in the Forty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to

construct a bridge over Fishers avenue, on the line of Philadelphia and Newtown Railroad."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Diamond read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to resurface Nineteenth street, from Cayuga to Wingohocking street, in the Forty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. G. D. Cox read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation for a music pavilion in Hunting Park."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to open the unopened portion of Thirteenth street, from Luzerne to Kerbaugh street, in the Forty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Schwarz read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to locate electric lights in the Forty-fifth Ward."

Which was referred to the Electrical Committee.

Mr. Dorman read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to pave Markoe street, from Market to Chestnut street, in the Forty-sixth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Connelly, Chairman of the Committee on Finance, presented a report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the creation of a loan or loans by the City of Philadelphia in the sum of four million two hundred and twenty-five thousand (4,225,000) dollars for general municipal purposes, to be expended for the purchase of materials and supplies and the maintenance of the various Bureaus in the Departments of Public Works, Public Safety, Public Health and Charities, Supplies, Wharves, Docks and Ferries, Mayor, City Commissioners, and Commissioners of Fairmount Park, for the year 1912, and for the construction of main and branch sewers, the grading and paving of streets, and the improvement of the water supply in West Philadelphia," together with a resolution to publish a loan bill. (*Appendix No. 94.*)

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of the resolution.

Which was agreed to.

The resolution was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to make an additional appropriation to the various Bureaus in the Departments of Public Safety, Public Works, Public Health and Charities, Supplies, Mayor, Civil Service Commission, City Commissioners, Clerks of Councils, District Attorney and City Treasurer, for the year 1912." (*Appendix No. 95.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize certain transfers in the annual appropriations to the various Bureaus in the Departments of Wharves, Docks and Ferries, Supplies and City Treasurer, for the year 1912." (*Appendix No. 96.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Director of the Department of Public Safety (Bureau of City Property) to sell at public sale the lot or piece of ground situate at the southwest corner of Fifty-fifth street and Osage avenue, in the Forty-sixth Ward." (*Appendix No. 97.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to purchase a lot of ground in the Forty-sixth Ward for fire house purposes." (*Appendix No. 98.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to approve a lot situate at the southwesterly corner of Sixty-

fifth street and Girard avenue, in the Thirty-fourth Ward of the City of Philadelphia, as a site for one of the Branch Library buildings to be erected by the Trustees of the Free Library of Philadelphia." (*Appendix No. 99.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Mr. R. Smith, Chairman of the Committee on Highways, presented a report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance directing the Department of Public Works to require owners of property abutting on the northwest and southeast sides of Rounfort avenue, from Germantown avenue to Boyer street; and on Norwood street, from Mermaid lane to about 225 feet north, to set curbs and lay footway pavements on both sides of said streets." (*Appendix No. 100.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Mr. Gillingham, Chairman of the Committee on Surveys, presented a report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to place on the City plan Beechwood, Croskey, Hemberger, Durfor, Fitzgerald, Potter and Seventh streets and Duncannon avenue." (*Appendix No. 101.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to strike from the City plan Daniel street, from Kingsley street to Washington lane." (*Appendix No. 102.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the revision of the lines and grades of Penn. Rubican and Bringham streets, in the Twenty-second Ward." (*Appendix No. 103.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the revision of the lines and grades of Sherman and Cliveden streets, in the Twenty-second Ward." (*Appendix No. 104.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with resolution annexed entitled "Resolution of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit the Eagle Ice and Coal Company to lay a temporary terra cotta drain in Hoffman avenue, from Fifty-seventh street eastward about 150 feet." (*Appendix No. 105.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Mr. Darrow offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit George Woodward to lay a temporary drain in Hartwell lane, southwest of St. Martins lane, and in St. Martins lane, northeast and southwest of Hartwell lane." (*Appendix No. 106.*)

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was twice read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Also, offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit E. Walter Clark to lay a temporary terra cotta drain in Mermaid lane, northeastwardly from Emlen street." (*Appendix No. 107.*)

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was twice read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Mr. McTear offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit the Public Baths Association of Philadelphia to use water free of charge for their bath houses and laundry, Nos. 1203-1205 Germantown avenue." (*Appendix No. 108.*)

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was twice read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Mr. Gillingham (by request) offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit Frank Boettcher to lay a temporary terra cotta drain in Mervine street, from the south building line of Loudon street south about 160 feet." (*Appendix No. 109.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Mr. Connelly moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 68) entitled "An Ordinance to make additional appropriations to the various Bureaus in the Departments of Public Safety, Public Works, Supplies, Mayor, Clerks of Councils, Coroner, Receiver of Taxes and Register of Wills, for the year 1912."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Cross, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn Howard, Humphrys, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morrison, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—82.

NAYS—None.

Two-thirds of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 69) entitled "An Ordinance to make additional appropriations to the various Bureaus in the Departments of Public Works, Public Safety, Public Health and Charities, Supplies, City Commissioners, City Controller, Clerks of Councils, Law and Prothonotary, to pay bills for supplies and materials furnished and incurred prior to January 1, 1912."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Cross, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn Howard, Humphrys, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithlies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—81.

NAYS—None.

Two-thirds of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 70) entitled "An Ordinance to make an additional appropriation to the Department of Supplies, for the year 1912."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Cross, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn Howard, Humphrys, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, MeTear, Miller, Minchart, Mohr, Morrison, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—82.

NAYS—None.

Two-thirds of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 71) entitled "An Ordinance to make an additional appropriation to the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Highways), for the year 1912."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read.

Also, moved to amend by striking out the following:
"as per bids received November 22, 1911."

Which was agreed to.

The section as amended was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Cross, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn Howard, Humphrys, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morrison, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—82.

NAYS—None.

Two-thirds of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Mr. R. Smith moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 86) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of the Parkway, from Sixteenth to Seventeenth street."

Which was agreed to.

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

The second section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,
And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. R. D. Burke, Cahill, Conn, C. C. Cox, Cross, Darrow, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Eldredge, Frankenfield, Gleason, Gubbins, Hardart, Howard, Humphrys, Keene, Kline, McCloskey, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Morrison, Morton, Ragan, Ruedinger, Schwarz, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Walter, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—41.

NAYS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, W. Burke, Camac, G. D. Cox, Derr, Dorwart, Dripps, Flynn, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gourie, Hahn, Horn, Jenkinson, Kelley, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McElroy, Miller, Minehart, Parry, Pennock, Renshaw, Ross, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Voigt, and Walton—35

Less than a majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was not agreed to,
And the bill fell.

Mr. Connelly moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 72) entitled "An Ordinance to make an additional appropriation to the Mayor and Department of Supplies, for the year 1912."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read.

Also, moved to amend by striking out the words and figures: "eight thousand and twenty (8,020) dollars," and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures: "seven thousand and twenty (7,020) dollars;" also, by striking out the words and figures: "five thousand five hundred and twenty (5,520) dollars," and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures: "four thousand five hundred and twenty (4,520) dollars," and by adding at the end thereof the words: "for the use of the Art Jury."

Which was agreed to.

The section as amended was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The amendment having been printed, by unanimous consent,

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, Cahill, Camac, Connelly, Costello, C. C. Cox, Cross, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gillingham, Gleason, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Humphrys, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Lombardi, McCarthy, McElroy, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, Morrison, Morton, Ragan, Ruedinger, Ross, Simmington, R. Smith, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Walter, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—50.

NAYS—Messrs. Conn, G. D. Cox, Dripps, Gallagher, Gilson, Gourie, Gubbins, Howard, Kreider, Limeburner, McGuigan, McGurk, Minehart, Mohr, Parry, Renshaw, Schwarz, F. A. Smith, Smithies, Van Houten, Walton, and Woodill—22.

Less than two-thirds of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was not agreed to,

And the bill fell.

Select Council informed Common Council that they had received a report from the Committee on Water, with bill (Appendix No. 49) annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the laying of water pipe in Beechwood, Calumet, Cherry, Conestoga, Croskey, Cuthbert, Durfor, Fitzgerald, Franklin, Front, Hemberger, Kingsley, Lardner, Ludwig, Nassau, Porter, Twenty-third Wiota, Wolf and Yewdall streets; Adams, Evergreen, Larchwood, Osage, Paschall and Wynnefield avenues and Mermaid lane," which they had passed.

Also, informed Common Council that they had passed resolution (Appendix No. 59) entitled "Resolution of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works for an estimate of the cost of a bridge over Schuylkill river, at South street."

Also, informed Common Council that they had concurred in the following, to wit:

"An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Commissioners of Fairmount Park for the construction and maintenance of a Public Aquarium in Fairmount Park, for the year 1912." (Appendix No. 43.)

"An Ordinance to make additional appropriations to the various Bureaus in the Departments of Public Safety, Public Works, Supplies, Mayor, Clerks of Councils, Coroner, Receiver of Taxes and Register of Wills, for the year 1912." (Appendix No. 68.)

"An Ordinance to make additional appropriations to the various Bureaus in the Departments of Public Works, Public Safety, Public Health and Charities, Supplies, City Commissioners, City Controller, Clerks of Councils, Law and Prothonotary, to pay bills for supplies and materials furnished and incurred prior to January 1, 1912." (Appendix No. 69.)

"An Ordinance to make an additional appropriation to the Department of Supplies, for the year 1912." (Appendix No. 70.)

"An Ordinance to make an additional appropriation to the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Highways), for the year 1912." (Appendix No. 71.)

Mr. Hardart moved that Common Council do now adjourn.

Which was agreed to.

So Common Council adjourned.

Thursday, April 4, 1912.

Common Council met. Members present:

Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Cross, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Humphrys, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morrison, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*.

Mr. McCloskey moved that the Journal of the last meeting be approved.

Which was agreed to.

The President presented the following:

Philadelphia, April 4, 1912.

GEORGE MCCURDY, ESQ.,

President of Common Council.

DEAR SIR:—Kindly excuse me from attending to-day's meeting of Common Council on account of a very important business engagement.

Very truly yours,

EDWARD B. HOWARD.

Also, presented a communication from the Farmers' and Mechanics' National Bank submitting their report showing the condition of the three per cent. loan of April 1, 1890, of the City. (*Appendix No. 110.*)

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to amend Section 1, Item 1, of the ordinance approved December 1, 1911, entitled 'An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the City Controller, for the year 1912.'"

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the Director of the Department of Public Health and Charities, asking for an emergency appropriation of \$6,000 to buy fertilizer, manure and seed for the Byberry Farms.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of the Parkway, from Twentieth street to Twenty-second street."

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to permit M. Rice & Co. to construct a bridge across Quarry street, to connect No. 1220 Race street with property No. 120 North Camac street."

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, presented a communication from the Northwest Booster Campaign, transmitting a resolution requesting the passage of ordinance appropriating \$100,000 to the Board of Recreation.

Which was read, and laid on the table.

The Secretary to the Mayor was introduced, when he presented a message from the Mayor, transmitting a letter from the Director of the Department of Public Health

and Charities asking for an additional appropriation for seeds and farming implements. (*Appendix No. 111.*)

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a further message from the Mayor, enclosing list of bills contracted in 1911, and asking for an appropriation to pay the same. (*Appendix No. 112.*)

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a further message from the Mayor, transmitting a letter from the Director of the Department of Public Safety, asking that Edwin Clark, Chief of the Bureau of Building Inspection, be permitted to serve as Secretary of the Commission to codify the building laws of the State of Pennsylvania. (*Appendix No. 113.*)

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a further message from the Mayor, transmitting draft of ordinance to regulate the use and storage of gasoline. (*Appendix No. 114.*)

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Police and Fire.

Also, presented a further message from the Mayor, asking relief for policemen appointed since September, 1907, under the action of the Civil Service Commission. (*Appendix No. 115.*)

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a further message from the Mayor, transmitting an ordinance relating to an emergency appropriation for repairs to engines at the high-pressure pumping station. (*Appendix No. 116.*)

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a further message from the Mayor, transmitting "An Ordinance providing for an additional

appropriation of \$6,000 to the Civil Service Commission." (*Appendix No. 117.*)

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a further message from the Mayor, relative to the contract for buildings on the Brown Tract for the care of feeble-minded persons. (*Appendix No. 118.*)

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a further message from the Mayor, transmitting certain bills contracted during the year 1911 by the Mayor and Department of Public Safety. (*Appendix No. 119.*)

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a further message from the Mayor, transmitting an ordinance providing for an appropriation of \$5,000 for repairs, etc., in rooms of Department of Law. (*Appendix No. 120.*)

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Bonnick offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate a gasoline lamp in alley rear 1339-41 South Eighth street, in the First Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Also, read in place bills to construct sewers in the following streets in the First Ward: Pierce street, from Fourth to Fifth street; Hancock street, from Mountain to Fernon street; Earl street, from Eighth to Ninth street; Marshall street, from Dickinson to Tasker street; Watkins street, from Ninth to Tenth street; and Garritt street, from Third to Orianna street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Stuebing read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to locate an electric light on Dickinson street, 150 feet west of Eighth street, in the First Ward."

Which was referred to the Electrical Committee.

Mr. Deutsch read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to pave the west side of Sixth street, from Chestnut to Walnut street, in the Fifth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Conn read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of Public Safety (Electrical Bureau) for electric lights on Sansom street, between Seventh and Eighth streets."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place bills to repave Sansom street, from Seventh to Eighth street and from Eighth to Ninth street, in the Eighth Ward.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Connelly presented a communication from the Director of the Department of Public Health and Charities, requesting an additional appropriation to the Bureau of Health for the abatement of nuisances caused by stagnant ponds.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the Coroner, requesting an appropriation to increase the salary of the stenographer; also, to provide for a janitor in said office.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to approve the surety of the official bond of John Meigs, Assistant Director of the Department of Wharves, Docks and Ferries."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the Director of the Department of Public Works to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, warrant in favor of A. K. Smith, of Torresdale, Philadelphia, in the sum of one thousand seven hundred and forty-three (1,743) dollars and fifteen (15) cents, for cleaning filters at Torresdale Station."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize a transfer of appropriation from the Bureau of Surveys to the Bureau of Water, and also in the Department of Supplies."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to increase the salaries of two inspectors in the Department of Supplies."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, offered the following, to wit: "Resolution authorizing the Director of the Department of Public Works to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, certain warrants, and suspending Joint Rule No. 30 of the Select and Common Councils."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the County Commissioners, requesting an additional appropriation, for the year 1912, for pay of jurors, witness fees, and to pay the necessary expenses of the special election ordered to fill vacancy in the first Congressional District, etc.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. McCarthy read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to construct a sewer in Camac street, from Wallace to Melon street, in the Fourteenth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Darrow read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the purchase of properties Nos. 54 and 56 West Cheltenham avenue, for fire house purposes."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to lay water pipe in Evergreen avenue, from Navahoe street to Germantown avenue, in the Twenty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Water.

Also, read in place bills to grade the following streets, in the Twenty-second Ward: Shawnee street, from Hartwell avenue to Abington avenue, and the sidewalk on the northeast side of Germantown avenue, northwest and southeast of Chestnut Hill avenue.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to pave Lincoln avenue, from Fairmount Park line northwest to present paving, with concrete base macadam with bituminous top."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Dripps read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to locate an electric light on Church lane, near Twenty-first street, in the Twenty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Electrical Committee.

Also, offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate a gasoline lamp at the intersection of an alley in the rear of Church lane, and an alley in the rear of Boyer street, at a point in the rear both of premises 861 Church lane and premises 5510 Boyer street, in the Twenty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to construct a sewer in West Southampton avenue, from Germantown avenue to Twenty-seventh street, in the Twenty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to lay water pipe in Lincoln Drive, from Mt. Pleasant avenue to Allen's lane, in the Twenty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Water.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to place on the City plan Laurens street, from Manheim to Clapier street, in the Twenty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Gilson read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to construct a sewer in Stiles street, from Tucker to Wakeling street, in the Twenty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to open Stiles street, from Tucker to Wakeling street, in the Twenty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place bills to pave the following streets in the Twenty-third Ward: Howarth and Pratt streets, from Ditman street to Torresdale avenue; and Ditman street from Howarth to Pratt street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Horn read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance selecting and appropriating a certain tract of ground in the Twenty-third Ward as a park and open public place for the health and enjoyment of the people."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to construct a sewer in Gillingham street, from Franklin to Penn street, in the Twenty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to lay water pipe in Horrocks street, from Adams avenue to Unity street, in the Twenty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Water.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to place Factory street, from Unity street southwest to bend in Factory street, in the Twenty-third Ward, upon the City plan."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place bills to open the following streets in the Twenty-third Ward: Leiper street, from Oxford pike to Wakeling street; Wakeling to Dyer street; Dyer street to Bustleton avenue; and Allengrove street, from Cedar to Willow street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to pave Horrocks street, from Adams avenue to Unity street, in the Twenty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Parry offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate a gasoline lamp in alley rear 3619 Fairmount avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to repave Olive street, from Fairmount avenue to Forty-first street, in the Twenty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Gillingham (by request) read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to strike from the City plan Carlisle street, from Fishers avenue to Somerville avenue."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Simmington read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to repave Natrona street, from Cumberland to Sergeant street, in the Twenty-eighth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Kreider read in place bills to repave the following streets in the Thirty-second Ward: Fontain and Page streets, from Nineteenth to Twentieth street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Pennock offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate gasoline lamps in the Thirty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Mr. McQuade read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to construct a sewer in Lausdowne avenue, from Gross to Sixty-sixth street, in the Thirty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Woodill read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to lay water pipe in Strahle street, from Pine road to Rising Sun avenue, in the Thirty-fifth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Water.

Also, read in place bills to macadamize the following streets in the Thirty-fifth Ward: Veree road, from Red Lion road southwest to present macadam; and Gilham street, from Second street pike to G street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. R. Smith read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington Railroad Company to construct, operate and maintain a track or siding across Grays Ferry avenue, and along the easterly side of Stanley street, in front of

property of Henry Bower Chemical Manufacturing Company, in the Thirty-sixth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Steam Railroads.

Mr. Smithies read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance directing the Department of Public Works to require owners of property abutting on both sides of Midvale avenue, from Reading Railroad Bridge to Thirty-fifth street, and on the west side of Thirty-fifth street, from Midvale avenue to New Queen street, and on the east side of Thirty-fifth street, from Midvale avenue to Ainslie street, to set curbs and lay foot-way pavements."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to lay water pipe in Division street, from Conrad street to 493 feet northeast, in the Thirty-eighth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Water.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to grade Division street, from Conrad street to 493 feet northeast, in the Thirty-eighth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to pave Division street, from Conrad street to 493 feet northeast, in the Thirty-eighth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Miller read in place bills to construct sewers in the following streets in the Thirty-ninth Ward: Cantrell street, from Ninth to Tenth street; Mildred street, from McKean street to Snyder avenue; Cantrell street, from Eleventh to Twelfth street; Winton and Cantrell streets, from Tenth to Eleventh street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Camac read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to construct a sewer in Sixty-fourth street, from Elmwood avenue to Buist avenue, in the Fortieth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to lay

water pipe in Sixty-fourth street, from Elmwood avenue to Buist avenue, in the Fortieth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Water.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to pave Buist avenue, from Sixty-fourth to Sixty-fifth street, in the Fortieth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Walton read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to lay water pipe in Windrim avenue, from Lindley avenue to Broad street, in the Forty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Water.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to grade Carlisle street, from Duncannon avenue to Somerville street, in the Forty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to pave Windrim avenue, from Lindley avenue to Broad street, in the Forty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. G. D. Cox offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate gasoline lamps in the Forty-third Ward."

Which were referred to the Committee on Gas.

Mr. Jenkinson offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate gasoline lamps in the Forty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Mr. Schwarz read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of Public Safety (Bureau of City Property) to purchase lot of ground bounded by Buckius, Ash, Richmond and Bath streets, for park purposes."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to increase the salary of the stenographer in the Coroner's office, and to provide for an additional appropriation for a janitor in said office."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place bills to place the following streets in the Forty-fifth Ward on the City plan: Ash street, from Richmond to Bath street; and lot of ground bounded by Buckins, Ash, Richmond and Bath streets as a public park.

Which were referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to construct a sewer in Thompson street, from Schiller to Venango street, in the Forty-fifth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. F. A. Smith offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate a gasoline lamp rear No. 11 South Sixtieth street, in the Forty-sixth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to open Larchwood avenue, from Conestoga to Fifty-fifth street, in the Forty-sixth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Hardart read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the re-setting of curb and repaving a portion of the south side of Harlan street (between Eighteenth and Nineteenth streets.)"

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Miller, Chairman of the Committee on Police and Fire, presented a report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance amendatory to an ordinance entitled 'An Ordinance to regulate the construction of frame buildings, fences and bay windows,' approved March 28, 1894." (*Appendix No. 121.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Mr. Costello offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit Louis Laib to extend the present temporary terra cotta drain in Jackson street, southwest of Longshore street, eighty feet further southwest." (*Appendix No. 122.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Mr. Walton offered the following, to wit: "Resolution

of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit Frank Boettcher to lay a temporary terra cotta drain in Marvine street." (*Appendix No. 123.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Mr. Gillingham moved to proceed to second reading of resolution (*Appendix No. 105*) entitled "Resolution of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit the Eagle Ice and Coal Company to lay a temporary terra cotta drain in Hoffman avenue, from Fifty-seventh street eastward 150 feet."

Which was agreed to.

The resolution was again read, and agreed to

The title was agreed to.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of resolution (*Appendix No. 109*) entitled "Resolution of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit Frank Boettcher to lay a temporary terra cotta drain in Marvine street, from the south building line of Londen street, south about 160 feet."

Which was agreed to.

The resolution was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Mr. Connelly moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (*Appendix No. 77*) entitled "An Ordinance designating the Continental-Equitable Title and Trust Company as a depository of the City's money."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Cross, Darrow, Derr,

Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gallagher, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Humphrys, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morrison, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voight, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—81.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 78) entitled "An Ordinance to amend an ordinance entitled 'An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of Public Health and Charities, for the year 1912.' "

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Cross, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gallagher, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Humphrys, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan, McGurk,

J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morrison, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voight, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—81.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative.

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 74) entitled "An Ordinance making an appropriation to the Mayor towards defraying the expenses of the Twelfth International Congress of Navigation, incident to the meeting of said Congress, to be held in Philadelphia."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The preamble was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Cross, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gallagher, Gibson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Humphrys, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morrison, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F.

A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—81.

NAYS—None.

Two-thirds of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 73) entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation out of loan approved June 9, 1911, to the Board of Recreation (Department of Recreation)."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Cross, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gallagher, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Humphrys, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minchart, Mohr, Morrison, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—80.

NAYS—Mr. Conn—1.

Two-thirds of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 75) entitled "An Ordinance transferring the control and custody of the Morgue property from the Department of Public Safety to the Coroner, and authorizing the transfer of certain employees."

Which was agreed to. _

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

The second section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Gross, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gallagher, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Humphrys, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minchart, Mohr, Morrison, Parry, Ragan, Ruedinger, Schwarz, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—76.

NAYS—Mr. Renshaw—1.

Two-thirds of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 95) entitled "An Ordinance to make an additional appropriation to the various Bureaus in the Departments of Public Safety, Public Works, Public Health and Charities, Supplies, Mayor, Civil Service Commission, City Commissioners, Clerks of Councils, District Attorney and City Treasurer, for the year 1912."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read.

Mr. Trinkle moved to amend by striking out the following: "To Item 1, so that the salary of the Assistant Medical Inspector in charge of child hygiene shall be at the rate of two thousand (2,000) dollars per annum from April 1, four hundred and fifty (450) dollars," and amend total appropriation accordingly.

Which was agreed to.

The question being on agreeing to the section as amended,

Mr. Simmington moved to amend by striking out the words: "Children of public and parochial schools," and inserting in lieu thereof the words "Children of school age of the City of Philadelphia."

Which was not agreed to.

The question recurring on agreeing to the section as amended,

It was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, Cahill, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Cross, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge Flynn, Frankenfield, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Humphrys, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner,

Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Minehart, Morrison, Morton, Pennock, Ragan, Ruedinger, Schwarz, Simmington, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—70.

NAYS—Messrs. W. Burke, Camac, Conn, Gallagher, Gourie, Parry, Renshaw, Ross, F. A. Smith—9.

Two-thirds of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Mr. Connelly moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 96) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize certain transfers in the annual appropriations to the various Bureaus in the Departments of Wharves, Docks and Ferries, Supplies and City Treasurer, for the year 1912."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage.

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Cross, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Humphrys, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morrison, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing,

Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—80.

NAYS—None.

Two-thirds of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Mr. R. Smith moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 81) entitled "An Ordinance to permit the Simmons Hardware Company to construct a bridge over and across Appletree street, west of Fourth street."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bounick, R. D. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Cross, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Humphrys, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morrison, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—80.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 87) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Delaware avenue, to its full width, from Christian street to Washington avenue."

Which was agreed to.

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

The second section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, C. C. Cox, Cross, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dewart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gillingham, Gilson, Gourie, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, MeTear, Miller, Minchart, Mohr, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithlies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—67.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Mr. Gillingham moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 104) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the revision of the lines and grades

of Sherman and Cliveden streets, in the Twenty-second Ward."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Cross, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Humphrys, Jenkinson, Kenne, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller Minehart, Mohr, Morrison, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmingtnn, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, McCurdy, *Pres't*—81.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Select Council informed Common Council that they had passed resolution (Appendix No. 70) entitled "Resolution of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit the Hess-Bright Manufacturing Company to lay a temporary terra cotta drain in Erie avenue, from the east line of Front street across Front street to a point eighty (80) feet west of Front street."

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred.

Also, informed Common Council that they had passed resolution (Appendix No. 69) entitled "Resolution of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit Francis H. Thole to lay a temporary terra cotta drain in Hoffman avenue, from Fifty-seventh street to a point about two hundred and fifty feet southwardly to the northwestwardly side of Hoffman avenue, in the Fortieth Ward."

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred.

Also, informed Common Council that they had received a report from the Committee on Street Railways, with resolution (Appendix No. 68) annexed entitled "Resolution to meet in Joint Convention to elect two Directors of the Philadelphia Rapid Transit Company."

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred.

Also, informed Common Council that they had received a report from the Committee on Steam Railroads, with bill (Appendix No. 57) annexed entitled "An Ordinance to permit the Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington Railroad Company (Central Division) to lay a siding on the southeast side of said railroad, southeast of Hoffman avenue," which they had passed.

Also, informed Common Council that they had concurred in the following, to wit:

"An Ordinance to authorize the revision of the lines and grades of a portion of City plan No. 214, bounded by

Greene street, Carpenter street, Wissahickon avenue and Allens lane." (Appendix No. 53.)

"An Ordinance to make an appropriation out of loan approved June 9, 1911, to the Board of Recreation (Department of Recreation)." (Appendix No. 73.)

"An Ordinance making an appropriation to the Mayor towards defraying the expenses of the Twelfth International Congress of Navigation, incident to the meeting of said Congress, to be held in Philadelphia." (Appendix No. 74.)

"An Ordinance transferring the control and custody of the Morgue property from the Department of Public Safety to the Coroner, and authorizing the transfer of certain employees." (Appendix No. 75.)

"An Ordinance designating the Continental-Equitable Title and Trust Company as a depository of the City's money." (Appendix No. 77.)

"An Ordinance to amend an ordinance entitled 'An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of Public Health and Charities, for the year 1912.'" (Appendix No. 78.)

"An Ordinance to permit the Simmons Hardware Company to construct a bridge over and across Appletree street, west of Fourth street." (Appendix No. 81.)

"Resolution of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit Kenneth Wilson to lay a temporary terra cotta drain in Front street, north of Tioga street." (Appendix No. 88.)

"An Ordinance to make an additional appropriation to the various Bureaus in the Departments of Public Safety, Public Works, Public Health and Charities, Supplies, Mayor, Civil Service Commission, City Commissioners, Clerks of Councils, District Attorney and City Treasurer, for the year 1912." (Appendix No. 95.)

"An Ordinance to authorize certain transfers in the annual appropriations to the various Bureaus in the Departments of Wharves, Docks and Ferries, Supplies and City Treasurer, for the year 1912." (Appendix No. 96.)

“An Ordinance to authorize the revision of the lines and grades of Sherman and Cliveden streets, in the Twenty-second Ward.” (Appendix No. 104.)

“Resolution of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit the Eagle Ice and Coal Company to lay a temporary terra cotta drain in Hoffman avenue, from Fifty-seventh street eastward 150 feet.” (Appendix No. 105.)

Mr. Whitaker moved that Common Council do now adjourn.

Which was agreed to.

So Common Council adjourned.

Thursday, April 18, 1912.

Common Council met. Members present:

Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Cross, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Finnesey, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gonrie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Humphrys, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelly, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morrison, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*.

Mr. Howard moved that the Journal of the last meeting be approved.

Which was agreed to.

The President presented a communication from the Board of Board of Public Education, requesting Councils to rescind resolution asking the Board to vacate certain rooms in City Hall.

Which was read, and laid on the table.

Also, presented a communication from the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers, Local 21, urging the election of C. O. Pratt to fill vacancy on the Board of Directors of the Philadelphia Rapid Transit Co.

Which was read, and laid on the table.

Also, presented a communication from the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers, Local 98, protesting

against the election of C. O. Pratt as one of the Directors of the Philadelphia Rapid Transit Co.

Which was read, and laid on the table.

Also, presented a communication from the Art Jury, accompanied with "An Ordinance requesting an appropriation for the year 1912."

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the Philadelphia Chamber of Commerce, protesting against the construction of buildings for the insane, feeble minded and indigent at the present proposed site.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a further communication from the Philadelphia Chamber of Commerce, approving the action of the Mayor in preparing for active work on the Parkway.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, presented a communication for the Commissioners of the Sinking Funds, submitting their quarterly report of the Sinking Funds and Fire Insurance Funds for quarter ending December 31, 1911. (*Appendix No. 124.*)

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Conn read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to permit the Trustees of the Jefferson Medical College of Philadelphia to construct iron or steel and concrete bridges over and across Moravian street, west of Tenth street."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Connelly presented a communication from the Director of the Department of Public Works, requesting an appropriation for the purpose of installing additional telephones as well as a switchboard in the office of the Bureau of Highways.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a further communication from the Director of the Department of Public Works, requesting an additional appropriation to the Bureau of Water, for the maintenance of filtering stations.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a further communication from the Director of the Department of Public Works, requesting an additional appropriation, for the year 1912.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the Director of the Department of Wharves, Docks and Ferries to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of Henry C. Delori for supplies furnished prior to January 1, 1912."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Department of Public Works to hire steam rollers and other necessary equipment for the maintenance of unpaved and macadamized roads."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the sprinkling and application of bituminous surface treatments of macadam roads, and to make an appropriation therefor."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize certain transfers in the annual appropriations to the Register of Wills and City Controller to the Department of Public Safety (Bureau of City Property)."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also (by request), read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Director of the Department of Public Works to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant to pay the McNichol Paving and Construction Co. for work done in connection with the work of

abolishing grade crossings along the Philadelphia, Germantown and Norristown Railroad, between Green street and Wayne Junction."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also (by request), read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance recognizing and approving the claim of John F. Windrim for one hundred and forty-one thousand four hundred and eighty (141,480) dollars for work done by him as an architect in the matter of the proposed Convention Hall and Auditorium in East Fairmount Park, and directing the payment of said claim."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also (by request), read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance recognizing and approving the claim of Edward F. Fonder for twelve thousand eight hundred and forty-seven (12,847) dollars and eleven (11) cents for work done in the deepening of the channel of the Schuylkill river during the year 1909, and appropriating the money to the Department of Wharves, Docks and Ferries for the payment of the same and directing the payment thereof."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an additional appropriation to the Register of Wills, for the year 1912."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also (by direction of the Committee on Finance), read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Mayor, for the relief of the sufferers of the Titanic disaster."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, offered the following, to wit: "Resolution authorizing and empowering the Director of the Department of Wharves, Docks and Ferries to adjust the claim of the Italia Societa di Navigazione a Vapore—Hartfield, Solari & Company, general agents, by temporary and partial abatement of rent, and suspending Joint Rule No. 30 of Select and Common Councils."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also (by request), read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay for grading Ninth and Tenth streets, from Pike to Butler street."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. McGurk offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to relocate a gasoline lamp in the Nineteenth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Mr. Morton read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay for the construction of sewer in Sixty street, south of Montgomery avenue, in front of property of Brinton Corlies."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. C. C. Cox read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to construct a sewer in Smick street, from Fountain street to a point four hundred feet north therefrom, in the Twenty-first Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to grade Monastery avenue, from Terrace to Dexter street, in the Twenty-first Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to pave Monastery avenue, from Terrace to Dexter street, in the Twenty-first Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Gilson read in place bills to construct sewers in the following streets in the Twenty-third Ward; Brill street, from Leshar to Willow street; and Granite street, from Ditman street to Torresdale avenue.

Which were referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to lay water pipe in Brill street, from Leshar to Willow street, in the Twenty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Water.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to open

Granite street, from Ditman street to Torresdale avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to grade Brill street, from Leshar to Willow street, in the Twenty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to pave Brill street, from Leshar to Willow street, in the Twenty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Horn read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to strike from the City plan and vacate Buckius street, between Bermuda street and Frankford creek."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Gillingham (by request) read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the construction of new bridges on the lines of City avenue, Montgomery street, Glenwood avenue, Sixty-sixth avenue north, Chester avenue, Westmoreland street and Glenwood avenue and work appurtenant thereto, providing for carrying into effect such authority, and authorizing the Mayor to enter security for damages to private property."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also (by request), read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to construct a sewer in Twelfth street, from Courtland to Londen street, in the Forty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Eldredge read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to open Susquehanna avenue, from Twenty-second street to Sedgley avenue, in the Twenty-eighth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Humphrys offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate a gasoline lamp in rear 2307 Thompson street, in the Twenty-ninth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Mr. McElroy read in place bills to construct sewers in the following streets in the Thirtieth Ward; Grays Ferry road, from Twenty-fourth to Catharine street; and Montrose street, from Fifteenth to Sixteenth street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Gallagher offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate gasoline lamps in the Thirty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Mr. Umstead read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to pave Conestoga street, from Master street to Lansdowne avenue, in the Thirty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place bills to repave the following streets in the Thirty-fourth Ward: Fifty-fourth street, from Market street to Lancaster avenue; and Girard avenue, from Fifty-second to Fifty-fourth street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to re-surface Cambridge street, from Fifty-fifth to Fifty-sixth street, in the Thirty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Woodill read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to open Benson street, from F street to Verree road, in the Thirty-fifth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. R. Smith read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to construct a sewer in Reed street, from terminus of main sewer to Port Warden line, in the Thirty-sixth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place bills to place the following streets in the Thirty-sixth Ward on the City plan: Alter street, from Nineteenth to Twenty-fourth street, and from Twenty-sixth street eastward; Latona street, from Twenty-seventh to Twenty-eighth street; Bucknell street, from Oakford to Federal street; Bonsall street, from Oakford to Federal street; and Manton street, from Twenty-second to Twenty-third street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also (by request), read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to repave Iseminger street, from Susquehanna avenue to Dauphin street, in the Thirty-seventh Ward, with asphalt."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Morrison read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to refund amount paid by error for taxes on premises 2642 Dickinson street, in the Thirty-sixth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Kline read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to construct a sewer in Garnet street, from Indiana street to 325 feet southward, in the Thirty-eighth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate a gasoline lamp rear 1929 Williard street, in the Thirty-eighth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Mr. Renshaw read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to locate an electric light at southwest corner of Fifty-ninth street and Ashland avenue, in the Fortieth Ward."

Which was referred to the Electrical Committee.

Mr. Costello read in place bills to macadamize the following streets in the Forty-first Ward: Wells street, from Charles street to Frankford avenue; and Charles street, from Monroe to Magee street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Walton read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to construct a sewer in Camae street, from Sommerville avenue to Fishers avenue, in the Forty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to lay water pipe in Warnock street, from Nedro to Champlost street, in the Forty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Water.

Also, read in place bills to open the following streets in

the Forty-second Ward: Duncannon avenue, from Seventh to Eighth street; and Seventh street, from Scheel street to Duncannon avenue.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. G. D. Cox read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to construct a sewer in Pike street, from Camac street to Old York road, in the Forty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to lay water pipe in Pike street, east from Camac street to Old York road, in the Forty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Water.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to place Pike street, from Camac street to Old York road, in the Forty-third Ward on the City plan."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to grade Pike street, from Camac street to Old York road, in the Forty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place bills to pave Pike street, from Camac street to Old York road, and from the east side of Thirteenth street to Camac street, in the Forty-third Ward.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Jenkinson read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to locate two electric lights in the Forty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Electrical Committee.

Mr. Schwarz read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to pave Agate street, from Westmoreland to Ontario street, in the Forty-fifth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Dorman read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to place Fallon street, from Chestnut to Ludlow street, in the Forty-sixth Ward, on the City plan."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to grade Markoe street, from Chestnut to Sansom street, in the Forty-sixth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place bills to pave Markoe street, from Chestnut to Sansom street, and from Walnut to Locust street, in the Forty-sixth Ward."

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. F. A. Smith read in place bills to construct sewers in the following streets in the Forty-sixth Ward: Chestnut street, from Sixty-second to Sixty-third street, and Sixty-third street, from Walnut to Locust street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Connelly, Chairman of the Committee on Finance, presented a report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to make an additional appropriation to the County Commissioners, for the year 1912." (*Appendix No. 125.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to make additional appropriations in the various Bureaus in the Departments of Public Safety, Public Works, Public Health and Charities, Supplies, Mayor, Civil Service Commission, Clerk of Quarter Sessions, Commissioners of Fairmount Park and Sheriff, for the year 1912." (*Appendix No. 126.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize certain transfers in the annual appropriations to the various Bureaus in the Departments of Public Safety, Public Works, Supplies, Mayor, Clerks of Councils and Prothonotary, for the year 1912." (*Appendix No. 127.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to amend Section 1, Item 1, of the ordinance approved December 1,

1911, entitled 'An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of City Controller, for the year 1912.'"
(*Appendix No. 128.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Department of Public Works to investigate the problem of improved transit facilities throughout the City and suburbs, by means of subways or other approved methods; to make a report and submit recommendations covering the same; to employ the assistance necessary to make the said investigations, reports and recommendations, and to make an appropriation for all expenses in connection therewith." (*Appendix No. 129.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the purchase of the property No. 33 East Cheltenham avenue, for fire house purposes." (*Appendix No. 130.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Director of the Department of Public Safety (Bureau of City Property) to sell at public sale the lot or piece of ground, with the buildings and improvements thereon erected, situated at No. 615 Passyunk avenue." (*Appendix No. 131.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance designating the West Philadelphia Bank as a depository of the City's money." (*Appendix No. 132.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with resolution annexed entitled "Resolution authorizing the Director of the Department of Public Safety to permit the Chief of the Bureau of Building Inspection

to act as Secretary of a certain Commission." (*Appendix No. 133.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Mr. R. Smith, Chairman of the Committee on Highways, presented a report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to permit M. Rice & Co. to construct a bridge across Quarry street, to connect No. 1220 Race street with property No. 120 N. Camac street." (*Appendix No. 134.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to permit Burk Bros., Inc., to erect a bridge over and across Laurel street (formerly Schleischmanns alley), east of Third street." (*Appendix No. 135.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Alden, Blaine Camac, Catharine, Cecil, Chancellor, Chestnut, Clearfield, Conestoga, Crefeld, Drinker, Edgewood, Felton, Forty-eighth, Fifty-fourth, Fifty-sixth, Fox, Frazier, Front, Hirst, Kingsley, Ludlow, Marvine, McFerran, Millick, Peehin, Price, Race, Redfield, Ringgold, Robinson, Rockland, Rosehill, Ruscomb, Sansom, Second, Sheldon, Sixty-second, Sixty-fourth, Springer, Spruce, Sydenham, Third, Tibbon, Twelfth, Twentieth, Walnut, Warnock, and Yewdall streets, Hunting Park, Lindley, Osage, Stenton and Willow Grove avenues, and the intersection of Baltimore avenue, Sixtieth and Wharton streets." (*Appendix No. 136.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Addison, Alden, Belmar, Camac, Carpenter, Cayuga, Cecil, Chancellor, Christian, Conestoga, Croyden, Delmar, Eadom, Eddington, Edgewood, Fifty-fourth, Fifty-sixth, Frazier, Front, Markoe, Nassau, Norfolk, Race, Rector, Ruscomb, Salmon, Sansom, Second, Sixty-second, Sixty-third, Sixty-fourth, Spruce, Thir-

teenth, Tower, Upland, Webster, Wharton, Windsor, Yewdell, Ainslie, Apple, Boyer, Calumet, Cedar, Cresson, Eleventh, Fifty-eighth, Godfrey, Haworth, Kingsley, Lauriston, Marvin, Pechin, Pennsdale, Price, Ringgold, Rockland, Sprague, Sydenham, Twelfth, Harrison, and Tibbon streets, Buist, Grays, Greenway, Hunting Park, Larchwood, Malvern, Osage, Torresdale, Washington, Whitby, Wyoming and Lindley avenues." (*Appendix No. 137.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the resetting of curb and repaving of portion of the south side of Harlan street, between Eighteenth and Nineteenth streets." (*Appendix No. 138.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance directing the Department of Public Works to require owners of property abutting on both sides of Midvale avenue, from Reading Railroad bridge to Thirty-fifth street; on the west side of Thirty-fifth street, from Midvale avenue to New Queen street; and on the east side of Thirty-fifth street, from Midvale avenue to Ainslie street, to set curbs and lay footway pavements." (*Appendix No. 139.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with resolution annexed entitled "Resolution discharging the Committee on Highways from the further consideration of the message from the Mayor, relative to the repeal of ordinances to authorize the opening of certain streets." (*Appendix No. 140.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Mr. Gillingham, Chairman of the Committee on Surveys, presented a report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to place on the City plan Gladstone, Roseberry, Fallon and Sepviva streets." (*Appendix 141.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further

report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to repeal ordinance approved October 5, 1911, entitled 'An Ordinance to strike from the City plan Blabon street, from Roberts avenue to the Richmond Branch of the Philadelphia and Reading Railway.'" (*Appendix No. 142.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance selecting and appropriating a certain tract of ground in the Twenty-third Ward as a park and open public place for the health and enjoyment of the people." (*Appendix No. 143.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Mr. Costello offered the following, to wit: "Resolution rescinding the action of Councils in requesting the Board of Education to vacate certain rooms in City Hall." (*Appendix No. 144.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Mr. Hardart offered the following, to wit: "Resolution in relation to a proposed new lease with the United Gas Improvement Company." (*Appendix No. 145.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Select Council informed Common Council that they had concurred in the following, to wit: "Resolution of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit Frank Boettcher to lay a temporary terra cotta drain in Marvine street, from the south building line of Loudon street south about 160 feet." (*Appendix No. 109.*)

Also, informed Common Council that they had passed resolution (*Appendix No. 74*) entitled "Resolution of sympathy to the survivors, relatives and friends of the passengers who lost their lives in the destruction of the steamship 'Titanic,' and suspending Joint Rule No. 30 of the Select and Common Councils."

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was again read, and agreed to.

The preamble was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The resolution was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Cross, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Finnesey, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Humphrys, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelly, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morrison, Morton, Parry, Pennoek, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stenbing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—84.

NAYS—None.

Two-thirds of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the resolution passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Whereupon, Mr. Baizley moved that out of respect to the memory of citizens of Philadelphia who met their death in the terrible calamity Common Council do now adjourn.

Which was agreed to.

So Common Council adjourned.

Thursday, May 2, 1912.

Common Council met. Members present:

Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, G. D. Cox, Cross, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Jenkinson, Kelley, Kline, Kreider Limeburner, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morrison, Morton, Parry, Pennoek, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*.

Mr. Baizley moved that the Journal of the last meeting be approved.

Which was agreed to.

The President presented the following:

GEORGE MCCURDY, Esq.,

President of Common Council.

DEAR SIR:—I regret exceedingly, on account of death in my immediate family I will be unable to attend Council on May 2, 1912.

Please have me excused and oblige,

Most sincerely,

CHARLES C. COX.

May 1, 1912.

Also, presented a communication from the Commissioners of the Sinking Funds, submitting their quarterly report of the Sinking Funds and Fire Insurance Funds for quarter ending March 31, 1912. (*Appendix No. 146.*)

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the Director of the Department of Supplies enclosing "An Ordinance to make an additional appropriation to the above Department, for the year 1912, to provide for the payment of storing coal in anticipation of a strike of the miners."

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a further communication from the Director of the Department of Supplies, enclosing "An Ordinance to authorize and regulate the award of contracts for the purchase of materials and supplies by the Director of the above Department of the City of Philadelphia."

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the Secretary of the Committee on Child Hygiene of Philadelphia, requesting that the money appropriated to the Department of Public Health and Charities to provide for daily excursions (except Sundays) during the months of July and August for children of the public and parochial schools be appropriated to the development and maintenance of a summer hospital on the Race Street Pier.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Health and Charities.

Also, presented a communication from W. Freeland Kendrick, of Lu Lu Temple, relative to said temple advertising Philadelphia on their trip across the Continent.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Printing and Supplies.

Also, presented a bill entitled "An Ordinance relating

to minors working in the streets and public places in Philadelphia."

Which was referred to the Committee on Police and Fire.

The Secretary to the Mayor was introduced, when he presented a message from the Mayor, accompanied with "An Ordinance declaring it unlawful to keep hogs or swine in the City except within certain limits." (*Appendix No. 147.*)

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Health and Charities.

Also, presented a further message from the Mayor, enclosing a communication, with ordinance asking for an additional appropriation to the Department of Supplies to provide for the storing of coal. (*Appendix No. 148.*)

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a further message from the Mayor, enclosing copies of communications from Director of the Department of Public Health and Charities, requesting a transfer of \$10,000 for a baby show and furnishing milk and ice during the summer months. (*Appendix No. 149.*)

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a further message from the Mayor, accompanied with communication from the Director of the Department of Public Safety, requesting additional appropriations for the Electrical Bureau and Bureau of City Property. (*Appendix No. 150.*)

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a further message from the Mayor, enclosing draft of resolution from the Director of the Department of Public Safety to restore at the same rate of pay members of the police and fire forces affected by the decision of the Court of Common Pleas No. 2. (*Appendix No. 151.*)

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a further message from the Mayor, enclosing from the Director of the Department of Public Safety "An Ordinance to regulate the operation of motor vehicles within the City limits." (*Appendix No. 152.*)

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Police and Fire.

Mr. Voigt read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to construct a sewer in Fairhill street, from Montrose to Carpenter street, in the Second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Connelly presented a communication from the Director of the Department of Public Safety regarding a change in the salaries of the stenographer and typewriter and index clerk in the Electrical Bureau.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of Public Safety (Bureau of Police) for the purchase of an automobile for the use of the Superintendent of Police."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation of two thousand five hundred (2,500) dollars to the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Water) for the purchase of materials, gate valves, and making a thirty-six inch connection to a main while in service, in order to isolate the filtered water from the unfiltered water mains at Roxborough filters."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an additional appropriation to the Department of Supplies, for the year 1912, to provide for the payment of storing coal in anticipation of a strike of the miners."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Water) to purchase uniforms for the employees at the various pumping stations."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the Director of the Department of Public Works to order and to pay warrants for extra work to be performed by William A. Mundy in grading the Kensington and Oxford turnpike, from Levick to Knorr street."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize and regulate the award of contracts for the purchase of materials and supplies by the Director of the Department of Supplies of the City of Philadelphia."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the Director of the Department of Supplies to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in payment of supplies delivered between the awarding and executing of certain contracts."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize and direct the Director of the Department of Supplies to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, certain warrants in payment for coal heretofore furnished for the City ice boats, during the year 1912."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to regrade, macadamize and relay stone block gutters in Queen street, from Wissahickon avenue to a point 900 feet southwest therefrom, and to make an appropriation therefor."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the extension of the Rock Run sewer in Sixth street, Brookdale street, Seventh street, Champlost street, Ninth street, Godfrey avenue and Tenth street."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the construction of a bridge on the line of Sixty-sixth avenue north, over the tracks of the North Pennsylvania Railroad, and the work appurtenant thereto, set-

ting aside the money to pay the cost thereof, and carrying into effect such authority."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Walter presented a petition of property owners and residents of the Twentieth Ward, relative to establishing a children's playground on the west side of Ninth street, between Montgomery avenue and Berks street.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on City Property.

Mr. Darrow read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize and direct the curbing and paving of footways on Crefeld street, between Springfield avenue and Willow Grove avenue, in the Twenty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate a gasoline lamp on north side of Woodlawn avenue, about 50 to 75 feet south of Musgrave street, in the Twenty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to construct a sewer in Ardleigh avenue, from Gorgas street to 400 feet southeast of Philellena street, in the Twenty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Dripps (by request) read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the Mayor to abrogate the contract between the City of Philadelphia and the Sax & Abbott Construction Company, dated December 22, 1911, for the erection of a home for the feeble-minded in the Forty-first Ward, and appropriating to the Mayor the sum of ten thousand (10,000) dollars, to be paid as the consideration therefor."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also (by request), read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize and direct the Director of the Department of Public Safety to sell at public sale the lot or piece of ground in the Forty-first Ward of the City of

Philadelphia, commonly known as the 'Brown Farm,' subject to the confirmation of Councils."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Horn offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate a gasoline lamp in alley rear 1843 Margaret street, in the Twenty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to construct a sewer in John street, from Tackawanna to Josephine street, in the Twenty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to lay water pipe in John street, from Friends' burial ground to Josephine street, in the Twenty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Water.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to open John Street, from Friends' burial ground to Josephine street, in the Twenty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to grade John street, from Tackawanna to Josephine street, in the Twenty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to pave John street, from Friends' burial ground to Josephine street, in the Twenty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Gillingham offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit Henry Stapf to lay a temporary terra cotta drain in Loudon street."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Kelley offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate a gasoline lamp rear 1224-26 S. Juniper street, in the Twenty-sixth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to construct a sewer in Hicks street, from Reed to Dickinson street, in the Twenty-sixth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Gallagher read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to construct a sewer in Lee street, from Somerset to Cambria street, in the Thirty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Pennock read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to construct a sewer in Lebanon avenue, from Sixty-third street to end of present sewer, about 100 feet east of Sixty-sixth street, in the Thirty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to lay water pipe in Media street, from Sixty-second to Sixty-third street, in the Thirty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Water.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to open Susquehanna avenue, from Bryn Mawr avenue to Fifty-second street, in the Thirty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to grade Media street, from Sixty-second to Sixty-third street, in the Thirty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to pave Media street, from Sixty-second to Sixty-third street, in the Thirty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. J. S. McQuade presented a petition of property owners on both sides of Sixty-third street, between Lansdowne avenue and Jefferson street, in the Thirty-fourth Ward, protesting against the proposed change in the pavement of said street, from macadam to asphalt or brick.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Woodill offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate gasoline lamps in the Thirty-fifth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Mr. R. Smith read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Henry Bower Chemical Manufacturing Company to construct and maintain a track or siding along the easterly side of Stanley street, in front of its property, in the Thirty-sixth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Steam Railroads.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to change the character of paving authorized to be laid on Jackson street, from Twenty-eighth to Twenty-ninth street."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate gasoline lamps in the Thirty-sixth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Also, read in place bills to open Point Breeze avenue, from Tasker to Morris street, and from Morris to Twenty-fourth street, in the Thirty-sixth Ward.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also (by request), read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to grade Luzerne street, from Rising Sun avenue to Algon avenue."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place bills to repave the following streets in the Thirty-sixth Ward: Hoffman and Dudley streets, from Nineteenth to Twentieth street; Reed street, from Twenty-second to Twenty-fifth street; and Dickinson street, from Twenty-third to Twenty-fifth street.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Kline read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to grade Twenty-fifth street, from Cambria street to Indiana avenue, in the Thirty-eighth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Smithies read in place bills to construct sewers in the following streets in the Thirty-eighth Ward: Clem-

entire street, from Twenty-ninth to Thirtieth street; and Thirty-third street, from New Queen street to Abbottsford avenue.

Which were referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to lay water pipe in Clementine street, from Twenty-ninth to Thirtieth street, in the Thirty-eighth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Water.

Also, read in place bills to grade the following streets in the Thirty-eighth Ward: Abbottsford avenue, from Scotts lane to dead end of Abbottsford avenue; and Thirty-third street, from New Queen street to Abbottsford avenue.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Baizley read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to locate an electric light on American street, between Ritner and Wolf streets, and Second and Third streets, in the Thirty-ninth Ward."

Which was referred to the Electrical Committee.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to repave Darien street, between McKean street and Snyder avenue, and Eighth and Ninth streets, in the Thirty-ninth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Walton read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to lay water pipe in Rockland street, from Fourth to Fifth street, in the Forty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Water.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to grade Rockland street, from Fourth to Fifth street, in the Forty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit C. S. Wurts to lay a temporary terra cotta drain in Clarkson street, west of Twenty-first street."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Diamond read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance designating the Germantown Avenue Bank as a depository of the City's money."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Hardart read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of Public Safety (Electrical Bureau) for the installation and maintenance of improved electric lights on Ridge avenue, Columbia avenue, Girard avenue and Twenty-ninth street."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to construct a sewer in Harlan street, from Eighteenth to Nineteenth street, in the Forty-seventh Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Miller, Chairman of the Committee on Police and Fire, presented a report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to regulate the having, using, storing and keeping of gasoline by public and private garages in quantities over five gallons." (*Appendix No. 153.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Mr. Conn offered the following, to wit: "Resolution requesting the Board of Revision of Taxes to furnish Councils with list of real estate in Philadelphia owned by public service corporations now exempt from local taxation." (*Appendix No. 154.*)

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was twice read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Mr. Dripps offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of request to the Board of Public Education to permit the Board of Recreation to temporarily use the property on the east side of Germantown avenue, north of Washington lane, for playground and recreation purposes." (*Appendix No. 155.*)

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was twice read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Mr. McGurk offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of request to the Board of Public Education to permit the Board of Recreation to temporarily use the school property on the east side of American street, north of Columbia avenue, for playground and recreation center." (*Appendix No. 156.*)

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was twice read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Select Council informed Common Council that they had passed resolution (Appendix No. 92) entitled "Resolution to meet in Joint Convention to elect two directors of the Philadelphia Rapid Transit Company."

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to,

So Common Council concurred.

Mr. R. Smith moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 85) entitled "An Ordinance to permit the Manufacturers' Club of Philadelphia to construct vaults under the sidewalks in front of their property on Broad, Walnut and Moravian streets."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, G. D. Cox, Cross, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Jenkinson, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, MeTear, Miller, Minchert, Mohr, Morrison, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—77.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 79) entitled "An Ordinance to amend the ordinance approved April 6, 1911, to authorize the paving of B, Bringhurst, Casimir and other streets."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read.

Mr. J. S. McQuade moved to amend by striking out the following: "by inserting before the words 'Lansdowne avenue,' the words 'six hundred and ninety-three feet north from the north house line of,' so that it shall read: 'Sixty-third street, from six hundred and ninety-three feet north from the north house line of Lansdowne avenue to Lancaster avenue.'" and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "by striking out the words 'Lansdowne avenue,' and inserting the words 'Jefferson street,' so that said ordinance shall read: 'Sixty-third street, from Jefferson street to Lancaster avenue.'"

Which was agreed to.

The section as amended was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, G. D. Cox, Cross, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Jenkinson, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morrison, Morton, Parry, Pemock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—78.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 83) entitled "An Ordinance to permit John B. Stetson Company to construct an iron bridge over and across Montgomery street, east of Fourth street."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, G. D. Cox, Cross, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Jenkinson, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morrison, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Honten, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—78.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 84) entitled "An Ordinance to permit John B. Stetson Company to construct and maintain a pipe duct under and across Montgomery street, east of Fourth street."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, G. D. Cox, Cross, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan,

McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morrison, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—75.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 135) entitled "An Ordinance to permit Burk Bros., Inc., to erect a bridge over and across Laurel street (formerly Schleischmanns alley), east of Third street."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, G. D. Cox, Cross, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Jenkinson, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morrison, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt,

Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—78.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to the consideration of Common Council Appendix No. 140 entitled "Resolution discharging the Committee on Highways from the further consideration of the message from the Mayor, relative to the repeal of ordinances to authorize the opening of certain streets."

Which was agreed to.

The resolution was twice read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Mr. Gillingham moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 51) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the revision of the grade of City avenue, from Lancaster avenue to Haverford street, and of the streets adjacent thereto.

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, G. D. Cox, Cross, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Jenkinson, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morrison, Mor-

ton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—78.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 101) entitled "An Ordinance to place on the City plan Beechwood, Croskey, Hemberger, Durfor, Fitzgerald, Potter and Seventh streets and Duncannon avenue."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, G. D. Cox, Cross, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Jenkinson, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morrison, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—78.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Mr. Miller moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 121) entitled "An Ordinance amendatory to an ordinance entitled 'An Ordinance to regulate the construction of frame buildings, fences and bay windows, approved March 28, 1894.' "

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, G. D. Cox, Cross, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Jenkinson, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morrison, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—78.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

JOINT CONVENTION.

Select and Common Councils met in Joint Convention, Mr. Ransley, President of Select Council, in the Chair, who announced that the purpose of the Convention was the election of two Directors to represent the City of Philadelphia in the Board of Directors of the Philadelphia Rapid Transit Company.

The President declared nominations to be in order.

Mr. Patton, of Select Council, nominated Messrs. James F. Hope and Samuel Bell, Jr.

Mr. Horn, of Common Council, nominated Mr. Samuel S. Fells.

Mr. Diamond, of Common Council, nominated Mr. C. O. Pratt.

Mr. Byram, of Select Council, moved that the nominations close.

Which was agreed to.

The President ordered the calling of the roll, whereupon,

Of Select Council Messrs. Abrams, Adamson, Boal, Buchholz, Byram, Crawford, Cummiskey, D'Autrechy, Davis, De Prefontaine, Dilworth, Finley, Fitzgerald, Garman, Greenwood, Harrigan, Harrington, Hoy, Huston, Hutt, Jones, Kennedy, Klos, Kucker, Lennon, McKinley, Millick, Murphy, Patton, Pommer, Potter, Quigley, Rieber, Ryan, Seger, Shoch, Spielberger, Supplee, Trainer, Upperman, and Ransley, *Pres't*—41, voted for Mr. James F. Hope.

Messrs. Abrams, Adamson, Boal, Buchholz, Byram, Crawford, Cummiskey, D'Autrechy, De Prefontaine, Dilworth, Finley, Fitzgerald, Greenwood, Harrigan, Harrington, Hoy, Huston, Hutt, Jones, Kennedy, Klos, Kucker, Lennon, McKinley, Millick, Murphy, Patton, Pommer, Quigley, Rieber, Ryan, Seger, Shoch, Spielberger, Trainer, Upperman, and Ransley, *Pres't*—37, voted for Mr. Samuel Bell, Jr.

Messrs. Davis, Garman Potter and Supplee—4, voted for Mr. Samuel S. Fells.

Of Common Council Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, Cahill, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, Cross, Darrow, Deutsch, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Gillingham, Gleason, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Kelley, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan, McGurk, S. McQuade, MeTear, Miller, Mohr, Morrison, Morton, Ragan, Ruedinger, Schwarz, R. Smith, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—53, voted for Mr. James F. Hope.

Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, Cahill, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, Cross, Deutsch, Dorwart, Flynn, Gillingham, Gleason, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Kelley, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan, McGurk, S. McQuade, MeTear, Miller, Morrison, Morton, Ragan, Ruedinger, Schwarz, R. Smith, Stuebing, Trinkle, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, and Williams—45, voted for Mr. Samuel Bell, Jr.*

Messrs. W. Burke, Camac, G. D. Cox, Darrow, Derr, Diamond, Dorman, Dripps, Eldredge, Gallagher, Gilson, Gourie, Horn, Jenkinson, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, J. S. McQuade, Minehart, Mohr, Parry, Pennock, Renshaw, Ross, Simmington, F. A. Smith, Stauffer, Umstead, Walton, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—31, voted for Mr. Samuel S. Fells.

Messrs. W. Burke, Camac, G. D. Cox, Derr, Diamond, Dorman, Gallagher, Gilson, Gourie, Howard, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, J. S. McQuade, Minehart, Parry, Pennock, Renshaw, Ross, Simmington, Smithies, Umstead, and Walton—23, voted for Mr. C. O. Pratt.

Mr. Howard—1, voted for Mr. John C. Winston.

Messrs. James F. Hope and Samuel Bell, Jr., having received a majority of the votes cast, were declared elected Directors of the Philadelphia Rapid Transit Company to represent the City of Philadelphia.

The purpose of the Joint Convention having been accomplished, the President declared the Convention adjourned.

Mr. Connelly moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 94) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the creation of a loan or loans by the City of Philadelphia in the sum of four million two hundred and twenty-five thousand (4,225,000) dollars for general municipal purposes, to be expended for the purchase of materials and supplies and the maintenance of the various Bureaus in the Departments of Public Works, Public Safety, Public Health and Charities, Supplies, Wharves, Docks and Ferries, Mayor, City Commissioners and Commissioners of Fairmount Park, for the year 1912, for the construction of main and branch sewers, the grading and paving of streets and the improvement of the water supply in West Philadelphia."

Which was agreed to.

Proof of the publication of the ordinance was presented by the Chief Clerk.

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

The second section was again read, and agreed to.

The third section was again read, and agreed to.

The fourth section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, G. D. Cox, Cross, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Jenkinson, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morrison, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt,

Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—78.

NAYS—None.

Two thirds of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 130) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the purchase of the property No. 33 East Cheltenham avenue, for fire house purposes."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, G. D. Cox, Cross, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Jenkinson, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morrison, Morton, Parry, Pennoek, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Sinnington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—78.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 125) entitled "An Ordinance to make an additional appropriation to the County Commissioners, for the year 1912."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, G. D. Cox, Cross, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Jenkinson, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morrison, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stanffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—78.

NAYS—None.

Two-thirds of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 126) entitled "An Ordinance to make an additional appropriation to the various Bureaus in the Departments of Public Safety, Public Works, Public Health and Charities, Supplies, Mayor, Civil Service Commission, Clerk of Quarter Sessions, Commissioners of Fairmount Park and Sheriff, for the year 1912."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read.

Mr. Renshaw moved to amend by striking out the following: "American Taxi Cab Company, for automobile hire, one thousand three hundred and sixty-six (1,366) dollars; American Garage and Machine Shop, repairs, seven hundred and nineteen (719) dollars and seventeen (17) cents; Locust Auto Supply Company, automobile accessories, six hundred and two (602) dollars and sixty-five (65) cents; Kugler's Restaurant Company, meals, two hundred and forty-four (244) dollars and five (5) cents; J. J. Habermichl's Sons, for plants, six hundred (600) dollars," and amend the totals accordingly.

Which was agreed to.

The section as amended was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, G. D. Cox, Cross, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Jenkinson, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, MeTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morrison, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—77.

NAYS—Mr. Conn—1.

Two-thirds of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Common Council proceeded to second reading of Select Council resolution (Appendix No. 89) entitled "Resolution of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit Elmer L. Cuthbertson to lay a temporary terra cotta drain in Pechin street, from Connaroe street northwesterly one hundred and twenty-five feet."

The resolution was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to,

So Common Council concurred.

Also, proceeded to second reading of Select Council resolution (Appendix No. 59) entitled "Resolution of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works for an estimate of the cost of a bridge over the Schuylkill river, at South street."

The resolution was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to,

So Common Council concurred.

Select Council informed Common Council that they had received a report from the Committee on Street Railways, with bill (Appendix No. 67) annexed entitled "An Ordinance to permit the Philadelphia Railways Company, successor to the Southwestern Passenger Railway Company to lay, maintain and operate turnouts or sidings at Penrose avenue and Sheaf lane into the property of the Keystone Realty Company," which they had passed.

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the bill.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, G. D. Cox, Cross, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Gal-

lagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Jenkinson, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minchart, Mohr, Morrison, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—78.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Also, informed Common Council that they had received a report from the Committee on City Property, with bill (Appendix No. 76) annexed entitled "An Ordinance to grant permission to the Satterlee Hospital Memorial Committee to erect a memorial stone in Clarence Clark Park." which they had passed.

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the bill.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, G. D. Cox, Cross, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Goprie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Jenkinson, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. Mc-

Quade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morrison, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—78.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Also, informed Common Council that they had received a report from the Committee on City Property, with bill (Appendix No. 66) annexed entitled "An Ordinance selecting and appropriating a certain piece of ground situated in the Thirty-sixth Ward, for park and playground purposes," which they had passed.

Also, informed Common Council that they had received a report from the Committee on Water, with bill (Appendix No. 75) annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the laying of water pipe in Benner, Courtland, Division, Edgewood, Felton, Fifty-fourth, Fifty-ninth, Horrocks, Howard, Redfield, Robinson, Rosehill, Sixty-fourth, Strahle and Warnock streets, Evergreen and Windrim avenues and Lincoln drive," which they had passed.

Also, informed Common Council that they had passed resolution (Appendix No. 86) entitled "Resolution fixing Stated Meetings of Select and Common Councils on each Thursday during the months of May and June, 1912."

Also, informed Common Council that they had passed resolution (Appendix No. 88) entitled "Resolution relative to the placing of portrait busts of bronze or stone of Robert Morris, Stephen Girard, E. W. Clark and Jay Cooke in Conversation Hall."

Also, informed Common Council that they had concurred in the following, to wit:

"An Ordinance to authorize the revision of the grade of City avenue, from Lancaster avenue to Haverford street, and of the streets adjacent thereto." (Appendix No. 51.)

"An Ordinance to permit John B. Stetson Company to construct an iron bridge over and across Montgomery street, east of Fourth street." (Appendix No. 83.)

"An Ordinance to permit John B. Stetson Company to construct and maintain a pipe duct under and across Montgomery street, east of Fourth street." (Appendix No. 84.)

"An Ordinance to permit the Manufacturers' Club of Philadelphia to construct vaults under the sidewalks in front of their property on Broad, Walnut and Moravian streets." (Appendix No. 85.)

"An Ordinance to place on the City plan Beechwood, Croskey, Hemberger, Durfor, Fitzgerald, Potter and Seventh streets and Duncannon avenue." (Appendix No. 101.)

"Resolution of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit E. Walter Clark to lay a temporary terra cotta drain in Mermaid lane, north-eastwardly from Emlen street." (Appendix No. 107.)

"An Ordinance amendatory to an ordinance entitled 'An Ordinance to regulate the construction of frame buildings, fences and bay windows,' approved March 28, 1894." (Appendix No. 121.)

"An Ordinance to permit Burk Bros., Inc., to erect a bridge over and across Laurel street (formerly Schloishmanns alley), each of Third street." (Appendix No. 135.)

"Resolution to request the Board of Public Education to permit the Board of Recreation to temporarily use the plot of ground on the east side of Germantown avenue, north of Washington lane, for playground and recreation center." (Appendix No. 155.)

"Resolution of request to the Board of Public Education to permit the Board of Recreation to temporarily

use the school property on the east side of American street, north of Columbia avenue, for playground and recreation center." (Appendix No. 156.)

Mr. Kelley moved that Common Council do now adjourn.

Which was agreed to.

So Common Council adjourned.

Tuesday, May 7, 1912.

Common Council met this day, pursuant to the following call:

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR.

Philadelphia, May 3, 1912.

WILLIAM H. FELTON, ESQ.,

Chief Clerk of Common Council.

DEAR SIR:—Please call a Special Meeting of Common Council for the transaction of general business, to be held on Tuesday, May 7, at 3 P. M.

Very truly yours,

RUDOLPH BLANKENBURG,

Mayor.

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Members present:

Messrs. Baizley, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Cross, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Humphrys, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minchart, Mohr, Morton, Parry, Penmook, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Whitaker, White, Williams, and Woodill.

The following was read:

Philadelphia, May 7, 1912.

WILLIAM H. FELTON, Esq.,

Chief Clerk of Common Council.

DEAR SIR:—I regret that important Court engagements which I have been unable to postpone will prevent me from being present at the meeting of Common Council this afternoon. I have appointed John S. McQuade, of the Thirty-fourth Ward, to act as President during the session.

GEORGE McCURDY,

President of Common Council.

The Secretary to the Mayor was introduced, when he presented the following message from the Mayor:

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR.

Philadelphia, May 7, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—In exercising for the first time the authority conferred upon me by the City's Charter to call Councils together in Special Session, it is fitting that I should state the reasons that made this action desirable.

With the approach of summer and the probable adjournment of Councils during the vacation season, all of the Departments have been getting in shape measures that seem to require attention before your adjournment. A number of ordinances are of really great importance and should have very prompt consideration. In the case of some of them, even a week's delay would be unfortunate.

If Common Council should see fit to concur in the resolution passed by the Select Council on April 18th, providing for Stated Meetings each week rather than twice a month, it would expedite public business very much.

Respectfully yours,

RUDOLPH BLANKENBURG.

Mayor.

Also, presented a further message from the Mayor, accompanied by communication from the Director of the Department of Public Safety and the Bureau of City Property, relative to the condition of Fire Headquarters, 1328 Race street. (*Appendix No. 157.*)

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

The President, *pro tem.*, presented the following:

Philadelphia, May 6, 1912.

GEORGE McCURDY, Esq.,

President of Common Council.

MY DEAR SIR:—Owing to business engagements I will not be able to attend the Special Meeting of Common Council to-morrow, and trust you will excuse my absence.

Respectfully yours,

RICHARD WEGLEIN.

Also, presented a communication from the Director of the Department of Public Safety, recommending changes in the titles of the various officers in the Bureau of Fire.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Connelly presented a communication from the Director of the Department of Public Works, relative to the immediate financial needs of said Department.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize and direct the Director of the Department of Public Works to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of the North Philadelphia Automobile Station for maintenance and repair to automobiles."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also (by request), read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to approve the sureties on the official bonds of

James Reed, Jr., Assistant Director of the Department of Public Works; and Alexander M. Wilson, Assistant Director of the Department of Public Health and Charities."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Darrow read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to construct a sewer in Crittenden street, from Cresheim Valley drive to Southampton avenue, in the Twenty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Dripps read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to place Nippon street, from Charlton street to Lincoln avenue; and Charlton street, from Mt. Airy avenue to Allens lane, on the City plan, in the Twenty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to grade Nippon street, from Charlton street to Lincoln avenue; and Charlton street, from Mt. Airy avenue to Allens lane, in the Twenty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Woodill read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to lay water pipe in Foulkrod street, from Castor road to Northeast Boulevard, in the Thirty-fifth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Water.

Mr. R. Smith read in place bills to construct sewers in the following streets in the Thirty-eighth Ward: Luzerne street, from Seventeenth to Eighteenth street; and Seventeenth street, from Wayne avenue to Luzerne street.

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place bills to lay water pipe in the following streets in the Thirty-eighth Ward: Luzerne street, from Seventeenth to Eighteenth street; and Seventeenth street, from Wayne avenue to Luzerne street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Water.

Also, read in place bills to grade the following streets in the Thirty-eighth Ward: Luzerne street, from Seven-

teenth to Eighteenth street; and Seventeenth street, from Wayne avenue to Luzerne street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place bills to pave the following streets in the Thirty-eighth Ward: Luzerne street, from Seventeenth to Eighteenth street; and Seventeenth street, from Wayne avenue to Luzerne street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to open Mifflin street, from Point Breeze avenue to Twenty-eighth street, in the Thirty-sixth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Hahn read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of Public Safety (Bureau of City Property) for repairs and re-furnishing the Seventeenth District Police Station."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Smithies read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to lay water pipe in Clementine street, from Twenty-ninth to Thirtieth street, in the Thirty-eighth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Water.

Mr. Renshaw offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate gasoline lamps in the Fortieth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Mr. Camac read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to open Woodland avenue, to its full width, from Seventy-first to Seventy-third street, in the Fortieth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Schwarz read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to increase the salaries of the electric draw bridge operators."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Dorman read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to open Irving street, from Sixty-first to Sixty-second street, in the Forty-sixth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Common Council proceeded to second reading of Select Council resolution (Appendix No. 86) entitled "Resolution fixing Stated Meetings of Select and Common Councils on each Thursday during the months of May and June, 1912."

The resolution was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred.

Mr. Connelly moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 129) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Department of Public Works to investigate the problem of improved transit facilities throughout the City and suburbs by means of subways or other approved methods; to make a report and submit recommendations covering the same; to employ the assistance necessary to make the said investigations, report and recommendations, and to make an appropriation for all expenses in connection therewith."

Which was agreed to.

The first section was again read.

Mr. Gallagher moved to amend by inserting the words "elevated railways" after the word "subway" on the seventh line.

Which was not agreed to.

The question being on agreeing to the section,

Mr. Costello moved that the further consideration of the bill be indefinitely postponed.

On which the yeas and nays were required by Mr. W. Burk, seconded by Messrs. Camac, G. D. Cox, Derr, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Gourie, Horn, Minehart, F. A. Smith, Smithies and Walton, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Camac, Conn, Cooper, Costello, Cross, Deutsch, Gleason, Gubbins, Hardart, Humphrys, Keene, McCloskey, McGuigan, McGurk, Morton, Ragan, Ruedinger, Schwarz, Ward, Whitaker, White, Williams—22.

NAYS—Baizley, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Connelly, Cook, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Darrow,

Derr, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Gallagher, Gilson, Gonrie, Hahn, Horn, Jenkinson, Kelley, Kreider, Limeburner, McCarthy, McElroy, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Parry, Pennock, Renshaw, Ross, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Umstead, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Woodill—48.

Which was not agreed to.

The question recurring on agreeing to the section,

It was agreed to.

The second section was again read.

Mr. Gallagher moved to amend by adding the following: "that the Department of Public Works be and is hereby requested to submit the report of the experts and specialists at the earliest moment and before Councils adjourn for the summer vacation, if possible."

Which was not agreed to.

The question being on agreeing to the section.

It was agreed to.

The third section was again read.

Mr. McGurk moved to amend by adding the following: "*Provided*, That all engineers and experts employed by authority of this ordinance shall be residents of Philadelphia."

Which was agreed to.

The section as amended was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

And the bill was laid over to print the amendment.

Mr. Connelly moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 132) entitled "An Ordinance designating the West Philadelphia Bank as a depository of the City's money."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,
And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Cross, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hardart, Horn, Humphrys, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Krcider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, MeTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill—72.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,
And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 127) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize certain transfers in the annual appropriations to the various Bureaus in the Departments of Public Safety, Public Works, Supplies, Mayor, Clerks of Councils and Prothonotary, for the year 1912."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage.

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Cos-

tello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Cross, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Humphrys, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minchart, Mohr, Morrison, Morton, Parry, Pemock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Umstead, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill—74.

NAYS—None.

Two-thirds of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 128) entitled "An Ordinance to amend Section 1, Item 1, of the ordinance approved December 1, 1911, entitled 'An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of City Controller, for the year 1912.'"

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Cross, Darrow, Deutsch, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Humphrys, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minchart,

Mohr, Morton, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Stauffer, Stuebing, Umstead, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Whitaker, White, Williams, and Woodill—65.

NAYS—None.

Two-thirds of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Mr. Gillingham moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 142) entitled "An Ordinance to repeal ordinance approved October 5, 1911, entitled 'An Ordinance to strike from the City plan Blabon street, from Roberts avenue to the Richmond Branch of the Philadelphia and Reading Railway.' "

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Cross, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Finnøsey, Flynn, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Humphrys, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Whitaker, White, Williams, and Woodill—74.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 143) entitled "An Ordinance selecting and appropriating a certain tract of ground in the Twenty-third Ward as a park and open public place for the health and enjoyment of the people."

Which was agreed to.

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

The second section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Cross, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Humphrys, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kreider, Limeburner, McCloskey, McElroy, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, M. McQuade, Miller, Minehart, Morton, Parry, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Walter, Walton, Ward, Whitaker, White, Williams, and Woodill—60.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Mr. R. Smith moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 80) entitled "An Ordinance to change the character of paving authorized to be laid on Garnet and Opal streets, from Snyder avenue

to Jackson street; Moore street, from Twenty-fourth to Twenty-eighth street; and Pratt street, from Frankford avenue to Willow street."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read.

Also, moved to amend by adding the following: "On Venango street, from Tenth to Hutchinson street, authorized by ordinance approved August 1, 1911, from asphalt to granite blocks; and on Jackson street, from Twenty-eighth to Twenty-ninth street, authorized by ordinance approved May 10, 1911, from granite blocks to asphalt."

Which was agreed to.

The section as amended was agreed to.

The title was read.

Also, moved to amend by adding the following: "Venango street, from Tenth to Hutchinson street; and Jackson street, from Twenty-eighth to Twenty-ninth street."

Which was agreed to.

The title as amended was agreed to.

The amendments having been printed, by unanimous consent,

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Cross, Darrow, Deutsch, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hardart, Horn, Jenkinson, Kelley, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McNigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minchart, Mohr, Parry, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Schwarz, Simmington, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Whitaker, White, Williams, and Woodill—61.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 136) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Alden, Blaine, Camac, Catharine, Cecil, Chancellor, Chestnut, Clearfield, Conestoga, Crefeld, Drinker, Edgewood, Folton, Forty-eighth, Fifty-fourth, Fifty-sixth, Fox, Frazier, Front, Hirst, Kingsley, Ludlow, Marvine, McFerran, Millick, Pechin, Price, Race, Redfield, Ringgold, Robinson, Rockland, Roschill, Ruscomb, Sansom, Second, Sheldon, Sixty-second, Sixty-fourth, Springer, Spruce, Sydenham, Third, Tibbon, Twelfth, Twentieth, Walnut, Warnock and Yewdall streets, Hunting Park, Lindley, Osage, Stenton and Willow Grove avenues, and the intersection of Baltimore avenue, Sixtieth and Wharton streets."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Cross, Darrow, Derr, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Gillingham, Gilson, Gourie, Gubbins, Hardart, Horn, Jenkinson, Kelley, Kreider, Limcburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Umstead, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Whitaker, White, Williams, and Woodill—63.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 137) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Addison, Alden, Belmar, Camac, Carpenter, Cayuga, Cecil, Chancellor, Christian, Conestoga, Croyden, Delmar, Eadom, Eddington, Edgewood, Fifty-fourth, Fifty sixth, Frazier, Front, Markoe, Nassau, Norfolk, Race, Rector, Ruscomb, Salmon, Sansom, Second, Sixty-second, Sixty-third, Sixty-fourth, Spruce, Thirteenth, Tower, Upland, Webster, Wharton, Windsor, Yewdall, Ainslie, Apple, Boyer, Calumet, Cedar, Cresson, Eleventh, Fifty-eighth, Godfrey, Haworth, Kingsley, Lauriston, Marvine, Pechin, Pennsdale, Price, Ringgold, Rockland, Sprague, Sydenham, Twelfth, Harrison and Tibbon streets, Buist, Grays, Greenway, Hunting Park, Larchwood, Malvern, Osage, Torresdale, Washington, Whitby, Wyoming and Lindley avenues."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Darrow, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gleason, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Humphrys, Jenkinson, Kelley, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies,

Stauffer, Stuebing, Umstead, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill—66.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 134) entitled "An Ordinance to permit M. Rice & Co. to construct a bridge across Quarry street, to connect No. 1220 Race street with property No. 120 N. Camac street."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Darrow, Derr, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morton, Parry, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Umstead, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill—67

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Mr. Hardart moved to proceed to second reading of resolution (Appendix No. 145) entitled "Resolution in relation to a proposed new lease with the United Gas Improvement Co."

Which was agreed to.

The resolution was again read, and agreed to.

The preamble was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Common Council proceeded to second reading of Select Council resolution (Appendix No. 88) entitled "Resolution relative to the placing of portrait-busts of bronze or stone of Robert Morris, Stephen Girard, E. W. Clark and Jay Cooke in Conversation Hall."

The resolution was again read, and agreed to.

The preamble was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred.

Select Council informed Common Council that they had concurred in the following, to wit:

"An Ordinance to amend the ordinance approved April 6, 1911, to authorize the paving of B, Bringham, Casimir and other streets." (Appendix No. 79.)

"An Ordinance to change the character of paving authorized to be laid on Garnet and Opal streets, from Snyder avenue to Jackson street; Moore street, from Twenty-fourth to Twenty-eighth street; Pratt street, from Frankford avenue to Willow street; Venango street, from Tenth to Hutchinson street; and Jackson street, from Twenty-eighth to Twenty-ninth street." (Appendix No. 80.)

"An Ordinance to make an additional appropriation to the County Commissioners, for the year 1912." (Appendix No. 125.)

"An Ordinance to make an additional appropriation to the various Bureaus in the Departments of Public Safety, Public Works, Public Health and Charities, Supplies, Mayor, Civil Service Commission, Clerk of Quarter Ses-

sions, Commissioners of Fairmount Park and Sheriff. for the year 1912." (Appendix No. 126.)

"An Ordinance to authorize certain transfers in the annual appropriations to the various Bureaus in the Departments of Public Safety, Public Works, Supplies, Mayor, Clerks of Councils and Prothonotary, for the year 1912." (Appendix No. 127.)

"An Ordinance to amend Section 1, Item 1, of the ordinance approved December 1, 1911, entitled 'An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of City Controller, for the year 1912.'" (Appendix No. 128.)

"An Ordinance to authorize the purchase of the property No. 33 East Cheltenham avenue, for fire house purposes." (Appendix No. 130.)

"An Ordinance designating the West Philadelphia Bank as a depository of the City's money." (Appendix No. 132.)

"An Ordinance to permit M. Rice & Co. to construct a bridge across Quarry street, to connect No. 1220 Race street with property No. 120 N. Camac street." (Appendix No. 134.)

"An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Alden, Blaine, Camac, Catharine, Cecil, Chancellor, Chestnut, Clearfield, Conestoga, Crefeld, Drinker, Edgewood, Felton, Forty-eighth, Fifty-fourth, Fifty-sixth, Fox, Frazier, Front, Hirst, Kingsley, Ludlow, Marvine, McFerran, Millick, Pechin, Price, Race, Redfield, Ringgold, Robinson, Rockland, Rosehill, Ruscomb, Sansom, Second, Sheldon, Sixty-second, Sixty-fourth, Springer, Spruce, Sydenham, Third, Tibbon, Twelfth, Twentieth, Walnut, Warnock and Yewdall streets, Hunting Park, Lindley, Osage, Stenton and Willow Grove avenues and the intersection of Baltimore avenue, Sixtieth and Wharton streets." (Appendix No. 136.)

"An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Addison, Alden, Belmar, Camac, Carpenter, Cayuga, Cecil, Chancellor, Christian, Conestoga, Croyden, Delmar, Eadom, Eddington, Edgewood, Fifty-fourth, Fifty-sixth, Frazier,

Front, Markoe, Nassau, Norfolk, Race, Rector, Ruscomb, Salmon, Sansom, Second, Sixty-second, Sixty-third, Sixty-fourth, Spruce, Thirteenth, Tower, Upland, Webster, Wharton, Windsor, Yewdall, Ainslie, Apple, Boyer, Calumet, Cedar, Cresson, Eleventh, Fifty-eighth, Godfrey, Haworth, Kingsley, Lauriston, Marvine, Pechin, Pennsdale, Price, Ringgold, Rockland, Sprague, Sydenham, Twelfth, Harrison and Tibbon streets, Buist, Grays, Greenway, Hunting Park, Larchwood, Malvern, Osage, Torresdale, Washington, Whitby, Wyoming and Lindley avenues." (Appendix No. 137.)

"Resolution discharging the Committee on Highways from the further consideration of the message from the Mayor relative to the repeal of ordinances to authorize the opening of certain streets." (Appendix No. 140.)

"Resolution requesting the Board of Revision of Taxes to furnish Councils with a list of real estate in Philadelphia owned by public service corporations now exempt from local taxation." (Appendix No. 154.)

Mr. Whitaker moved that Common Council do now adjourn.

Which was agreed to.

So Common Council adjourned.

Thursday, May 9, 1912.

Common Council met. Members present:

Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Cross, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Humphrys, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morrison, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*.

Mr. Whitaker moved that the Journal of the last meeting be approved.

Which was agreed to.

The President presented a communication from the City Controller, requesting an additional appropriation, for the year 1912, for reports and statements.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the President of the Board of Directors of City Trusts, submitting report of said Board for the year ending December 31, 1911.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Dripps read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to transfer the custody and control of property heretofore used as a water works at Chestnut Hill, known as Chestnut Hill Reservoir, from the Department of Public Safety (Bureau of City Property) to the Board of Recreation (Department of Recreation).

Which was referred to the Committee on Water.

Mr. Gillingham (by request) read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to construct a sewer in A street, from Westmoreland street to Allegheny avenue, in the Thirty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also (by request), read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to construct a sewer in Somerville avenue, from Broad to Fifteenth street, in the Forty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. J. S. McQuade read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance directing the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Water) to strike from their records all claims for water pipe laid in the north side of Jefferson street, east of Sixty-first street, in front of The Philadelphia City Missionary and M. E. Church."

Which was referred to the Committee on Law.

Mr. R. Smith (by request) read in place bills to open the following streets in the Thirty-eighth Ward: Wayne avenue, from Seventeenth street to Hunting Park avenue; Seventeenth street, from Wayne avenue to Luzerne street; and Luzerne street, from Seventeenth to Eighteenth street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also (by request), read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to grade Ella street, from Wyoming to Courtland street, in the Forty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also (by request), read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to pave Fifteenth street, from Fishers avenue to Somerville avenue, in the Forty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to grade McClellan street, from Point Breeze avenue to Twenty-fourth street, in the Thirty-sixth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to pave McClellan street, from Point Breeze avenue to Twenty-fourth street, in the Thirty-sixth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Baizley read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Board of Recreation for the establishment of a recreation park on plot of ground bounded by Second, Third, Ritner and Porter streets, in the Thirty-ninth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. G. D. Cox read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation of one thousand five hundred (1,500) to the Department of Public Safety for the erection of patrol boxes in the Thirty-sixth District, comprising the Forty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Dorman read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to open Irving street, from Sixty-first to Sixty-second street, in the Forty-sixth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to construct a sewer in Irving street, from Sixty-first to Sixty-second street, in the Forty-sixth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to lay water pipe in Irving street, from Sixty-first to Sixty-second street, in the Forty-sixth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Water.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to grade Irving street, from Sixty-first to Sixty-second street, in the Forty-sixth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to pave Irving street, from Sixty-first to Sixty-second street, in the Forty-sixth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Connelly, Chairman of the Committee on Finance, presented a report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize certain transfers in the annual appropriations to the Department of Supplies, Art Jury and Clerks of Councils, for the year 1912." (*Appendix No. 158.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize certain transfers in the annual appropriations to the various Bureaus in the Department of Public Safety, Clerks of Councils, Coroner, Commissioners of Fairmount Park, City Controller and Register of Wills, for the year 1912." (*Appendix No. 159.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the Director of the Department of Supplies to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in payment of supplies delivered between the awarding and executing of certain contracts." (*Appendix No. 160.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the purchase of lot of ground northeast corner of Frankford avenue and Harrison street, in the Twenty-third Ward, for police station purposes." (*Appendix No. 161.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to confer upon the Commissioners of Fairmount Park the care and management of Morris Park, in the Thirty-fourth Ward." (*Appendix No. 162.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to approve the sureties on the official bonds of James Reed, Jr., Assistant Director of the Department of Public Works; Alexander M. Wilson, Assistant Director of the Department of Public Health and Charities; John Meigs, Assistant Director of the Department of Wharves, Docks and Ferries; and Andrew Stephen Murphy, Assistant Director of the Department of Public Safety." (*Appendix No. 163.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Director of the Department of Public Works to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant to pay the McNichol Paving and Construction Company for work done in connection with the work of abolishing grade crossings along the Philadelphia, Germantown and Norristown Railroad, between Greene street and Wayne Junction." (*Appendix No. 164.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to make additional appropriations for the purchase of materials and supplies, and the maintenance of the various Bureaus in the Departments of Public Works, Public Safety, Public Health and Charities, Supplies, Wharves, Docks and Ferries, Commissioners of Fairmount Park and City Commissioners, for the year 1912, for the construction of main and branch sewers, the grading and paving of streets and the improvement of water supply in West Philadelphia out of loan approved May 9, 1912." (*Appendix No. 165.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Mr. R. Smith, Chairman of the Committee on Highways, presented a report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to permit the Trustees of the Jefferson Medical College of Philadelphia to construct iron or steel and con-

crete bridges over and across Moravian street, west of Tenth street." (*Appendix No. 166.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of the Parkway, from Twentieth to Twenty-third street." (*Appendix No. 167.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance directing the Department of Public Works to require owners of property abutting on both sides of Crefeld street, from Springfield avenue to Willow Grove avenue; on the north-west side of Parkside avenue, from Bryn Mawr avenue to Monument road; on the east side of Fifty-second street, from Overbrook avenue to Woodbine avenue; and on both sides of Fifty-third street, from Wynnefield avenue to a point north of Woodbine avenue, to connect with the footways already laid, to set curbs and lay footway pavements." (*Appendix No. 168.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Mr. Gillingham, Chairman of the Committee on Surveys, presented a report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the construction of sewers in Almond, Anderson, Apsley, Berks, Brandywine, Bristol, Cantrell, Chestnut, Cherry, Crowson, Daly, Drinker, Duffer, Earp, Edgewood, Fairhill, Felton, Filbert, Fitzgerald, Fox, Front, Forty-eighth, Fiftieth, Fifty-fourth, Fifty-sixth, Fifty-ninth, Garnet, Gerritt, Gillingham, Greene, Hancock, Harmony, Hicks, Hirst, Holly, Kennedy, Locust, Ludlow, Ludwig, Marshall, Montrose, Mower, Ninth, Pechin, Pennsdale, Pierce, Pratt, Redfield, Reese, Ringgold, Rimer, Robinson, Rockland, Ruscomb, Sansom, Second, Sixty-second, Sixty-fourth, Spencer, Springer, Sydenham, Twelfth, Twenty-sixth, Thirty-second, Thirty-sixth, Tree, Walnut, Watkins and Westmoreland streets, Columbia, Duncannon, Greenway, Lansdowne, Leverington, Lindley, Osage, Passyunk, Ridge, Rising Sun, Somerville, Southampton, Torresdale, Warrington, Washington,

Wayne and Wymefield avenues, Mermaid lane and Walnut lane." (*Appendix No. 169.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with resolution annexed entitled "Resolution of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit C. S. Wurts to lay a temporary terra cotta drain in Clarkson street, west of Twenty-first street." (*Appendix No. 170.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with resolution annexed entitled "Resolution of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit Henry Stapf to lay a temporary terra cotta drain in London street." (*Appendix No. 171.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Mr. Conn offered the following, to wit: "Resolution appointing a Joint Special Committee of Councils to investigate the changes of standard height in the requirements for applicants for patrolmen in the Department of Public Safety." (*Appendix No. 172.*)

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was twice read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The President appointed Messrs. Conn, Weglein, Umstead, C. C. Cox and Van Houten, the Committee on the part of Common Council.

Mr. Gilson offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit the Abrasive Material Co. to lay a temporary terra cotta drain in James street, from sewer in Kennedy street to northeast side of Fraley street." (*Appendix No. 173.*)

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was twice read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Mr. Connelly moved that Common Council proceed to the final passage of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 129) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Department of Public Works to investigate the problem of improved transit facilities throughout the City and suburbs, by means of subways or other approved methods; to make a report and submit recommendations covering the same; to employ the assistance necessary to make the said investigations, report and recommendations, and to make an appropriation for all expenses in connection therewith."

Which was agreed to.

The President called Mr. Costello to the Chair.

Mr. McCurdy moved that Common Council resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole for the purpose of amending the bill.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. J. S. McQuade was appointed Chairman of the Committee of the Whole.

The President in the Chair.

The Chairman of the Committee of the Whole reported that the Committee had considered Common Council bill (Appendix No. 129) and recommended that Section 3 of said bill be amended by striking out the following: "*Provided*, That all engineers and experts employed by authority of this ordinance shall be residents of Philadelphia."

The question being on agreeing to the report of the Committee of the Whole,

It was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Cross, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flym, Frank-

enfield, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Humphrys, Jenkinson, Kelley, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minchart, Mohr, Morrison, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Reushaw, Ross, Simington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, White, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—73.

NAYS—Messrs. Conn, Costello, Keene, Ruedinger, Schwarz, Whitaker, and Williams—7.

Two-thirds of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Mr. Connelly moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 99) entitled "An Ordinance to approve a lot situate at the southwesterly corner of Sixty-fifth street and Girard avenue, in the Thirty-fourth Ward of the City of Philadelphia, as a site for one of the branch library buildings to be erected by the Trustees of the Free Library of Philadelphia."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The preamble was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Cross, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Humphrys, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kreider, Lime-

burner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morrison, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—82.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 76) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Board of Recreation to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, warrant against Item 15a (loan) in the appropriation to the Board of Recreation for extra foundation work for recreation building, Fifty-sixth and Christian streets."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The preamble was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Cross, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Halm, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Humphrys, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morrison, Morton,

Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—82.

NAYS—None.

Two-thirds of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,
And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 98) entitled "An Ordinance to purchase lot of ground in the Forty-sixth Ward, for fire house purposes."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The preamble was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Cross, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Humphrys, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minchart, Mohr, Morrison, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—82.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Common Council proceeded to second reading of Select Council bill (Appendix No. 49) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the laying of water pipe in Beechwood, Calumet, Cherry, Conestoga, Croskey, Cuthbert, Durfor, Fitzgerald, Franklin, Front, Hemberger, Kingsley, Lardner, Ludwig, Nassau, Porter, Twenty-third, Wiota, Wolf and Yewdall streets, Adams, Evergreen, Larchwood, Osage, Paschall, Wynnefield and Wyoming avenues and Mermaid lane."

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Com. Connelly, Cook, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Cross, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankensfield, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gonrie, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Humphrys, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minchert, Mohr, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Weglein, White, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—74.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Also, proceeded to second reading of Select Council bill (Appendix No. 99) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the laying of water pipe in Brill, Foulkrod, John, Media, Rockland, Ruscomb and Wittee streets and Monastery avenue."

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Coun, Connelly, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Cross, Darrow, Dierr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Horn, Howard, Humphrys, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kreider, Limcburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, Minehart, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—71.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Select Council informed Common Council that they had received a report from the Committee on Steam Railroads, with bill (Appendix No. 98) annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Pennsylvania Railroad Co. to construct, operate and maintain a turnout or siding from its tracks on Tioga street to and in front of property on the northeast side thereof, at the corner of Memphis street," which they had passed.

Also, informed Common Council that they had passed resolution (Appendix No. 102) entitled "Resolution of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit Messrs. Wendell & Wright, Managers, to lay a temporary vitrified pipe drain in Sixty-fourth street, from Church to City avenue, and in the south side of City avenue, from Sixty-fourth street to Lancaster avenue."

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred.

Also, informed Common Council that they had passed resolution (Appendix No. 101) entitled "Resolution extending the time in which the Board of Education are to remove for one year."

Also, informed Common Council that they had concurred in the following, to wit:

"An Ordinance to authorize the Board of Recreation to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, warrant against Item 15a (loan) in the appropriation to the Board of Recreation for extra foundation work for recreation building, Fifty-sixth and Christian streets." (Appendix No. 76.)

"An Ordinance to authorize the creation of a loan or loans by the City of Philadelphia in the sum of four million two hundred and twenty-five thousand (4,225,000) dollars for general municipal purposes, to be expended for the purchase of materials and supplies and the maintenance of the various Bureaus in the Departments of Public Works, Public Safety, Public Health and Charities, Supplies, Wharves, Docks and Ferries, Mayor, City Commissioners and Commissioners of Fairmount Park, for the year 1912, for the construction of main and branch sewers, the grading and paving of streets and the improvement of the water supply in West Philadelphia." (Appendix No. 94.)

"An Ordinance to purchase a lot of ground in the Forty-sixth Ward for fire house purposes." (Appendix No. 98.)

"An Ordinance to approve a lot situate at the south-westerly corner of Sixty-fifth street and Girard avenue, in the Thirty-fourth Ward of the City of Philadelphia, as a site for one of the branch library buildings to be erected by the Trustees of the Free Library of Philadelphia." (Appendix No. 99.)

"An Ordinance to authorize the Department of Public Works to investigate the problem of improved transit facilities throughout the City and suburbs, by means of subways or other approved methods; to make a report and submit recommendations covering the same; to employ the assistance necessary to make said investigations, report and recommendations, and to make an appropriation for all expenses in connection therewith." (Appendix No. 129.)

"Resolution appointing a Joint Special Committee to investigate the changes of standard height in the requirements for applicants for patrolman in the Department of Public Safety." (Appendix No. 172.)

And had appointed Messrs. Trainer, Seger, Lennon, Patton and Upperman, the Committee on the part of Select Council.

Mr. Van Houten moved that Common Council do now adjourn.

Which was agreed to.

So Common Council adjourned.

Thursday, May 16, 1912.

Common Council met. Members present:

Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bounick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Cross, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morton, Parry, Pemock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*.

Mr. Whitaker moved that the Journal of the last meeting be approved.

Which was agreed to.

The President presented a communication from the Director of the Department of Public Health and Charities, enclosing a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize certain transfers in the annual appropriation to the Department of Public Health and Charities, for the year 1912, for the purpose of readjusting certain salaries."

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

The Secretary to the Mayor was introduced, when he presented a message from the Mayor, accompanied with "An Ordinance requesting an appropriation of \$5,000 for the purpose of placing the City property at 1725

Wood street in condition for the proper modification of milk." (*Appendix No. 174.*)

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Connelly (by request) presented a communication from the Director of the Department of Wharves, Docks and Ferries, requesting an appropriation of ten thousand (10,000) dollars for the preparation of plans for a new ice boat.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the Director of the Department of Public Safety, requesting an amendment to Item 3, for horse keep and maintenance and repairs to automobiles, wagon and harness, in the annual appropriation to the Bureau of Building Inspection, for the year 1912.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of City Commissioners, for books, book cases, carpets, etc., for rooms for the Orphans' Court."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize a certain transfer in the annual appropriation to the Department of Public Safety (Electrical Bureau), for the year 1912."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to permit Valentine H. Smith & Co. to construct a bridge over and a tunnel under Philip street, south of Green street."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. McCloskey read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to resurface Wilkey street, from Front street to Germantown road, in the Sixteenth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Williams read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to strike from the City plan and vacate a portion of Dyott street, between Norris and Richmond streets, in the Eighteenth Ward of the City of Philadelphia."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Morton offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate a gasoline lamp in rear 1704 N. Sixth street, in the Twentieth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Mr. Dorwart read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to open Wigard street, from Ridge avenue to Shawmont avenue, in the Twenty-first Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Darrow read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Gorgas street, east and west of Anderson street."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Horn read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Director, Department of Public Works, to construct a service test roadway on the Byberry and Bensalem turnpike, from Red Lion road to City line."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Gilson read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to pave Cambridge street, from Tucker to Duncan street, in the Twenty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place bills to place the following streets in the Twenty-third Ward on the City plan: Gillespie street, from Bridge to Kennedy street; and Kennedy street, from Gillespie to Jackson street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Parry offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate a gasoline lamp in rear 3619 Fairmount avenue, in the Twenty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Mr. Gillingham read in place a bill entitled "An Or-

dinance to repave Clarion street, from Morris to Tasker street, in the Twenty-sixth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also (by request), read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to open Sanger street, from Tacony street to the Delaware river, in the Twenty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also (by request), read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to construct a sewer in Sanger street, from Tacony street to the Delaware river, in the Twenty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. R. Smith (by request) read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to grade Howell street, from Rising Sun avenue to Hasbrook street, in the Thirty-fifth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Kline read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to locate an electric light in front of 2216 Tioga street, in the Thirty-eighth Ward."

Which was referred to the Electrical Committee.

Also, offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate gasoline lamps in the Thirty-eighth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Mr. Mohr read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to grade and remove obstructions for a twelve foot pavement, on the east side of Wissahickon avenue and the north side of Hunting Park avenue to Bristol street, in the Thirty-eighth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Smithies read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to pave Bonsall street, from Somerset to Cambria street, in the Thirty-eighth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to open Thirtieth street (to full width), from Clearfield street to Allegheny avenue, in the Thirty-eighth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Miller read in place bills to construct sewers in the following streets in the Thirty-ninth Ward: Roseberry and Gladstone streets, from Front to Second street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Renshaw read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to locate twenty-nine electric lights in the Fortieth Ward."

Which was referred to the Electrical Committee.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to pave Fifty-third street, from south side of Thomas avenue to Broomall street, in the Fortieth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Camac read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to grade Salford street, from Chester avenue to Kingsessing avenue, in the Fortieth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Walton read in place bills to grade the following streets in the Forty-second Ward: Ruscomb street, from York road to Thirteenth street; Twelfth street, from Sixty-fifth avenue to Sixty-sixth avenue; and Sixty-fifth avenue, from Eleventh to Twelfth street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to pave Twelfth street, from Sixty-fifth avenue to Sixty-sixth avenue, in the Forty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to place upon the City plan and condemn the plots of ground, with buildings and improvements thereon, situate north-west corner of Twenty-first and Chew streets, in the Forty-second Ward, for a public playground for the health and enjoyment of the people, and place such ground under the custody and management of the Board of Recreation."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. G. D. Cox read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the construction of a bridge on the

line of Butler street, over the Richmond Branch of the Philadelphia and Reading Railway."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to lay water pipe in Tenth street, from Pike to Luzerne street, in the Forty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Water.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to grade Tenth street, from Pike to Luzerne street, in the Forty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to pave Ninth street, from Pike to Luzerne street, in the Forty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place bills to pave the following streets in the Forty-third Ward: Ninth street, from Pike to Luzerne street; and Pike street, from Ninth to Tenth street."

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place bills to place the following streets in the Forty-third Ward on the City plan: Fairhill, Reese and Raudolph streets, from Glenwood avenue to the Pennsylvania Railroad; and Franklin street, from Lyeoming street to Hunting Park avenue.

Which were referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Schwarz read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to pave Mercer street, from Buckius to Lefevre street, in the Forty-fifth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to open Almond street, from Lefevre to Orthodox street, in the Forty-fifth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Ragan read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to locate an electric light corner Nineteenth and Sharswood streets, in the Forty-seventh Ward."

Which was referred to the Electrical Committee.

Mr. Gillingham, Chairman of the Committee on Surveys, presented a report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the revision of the lines and grades and the relocation of Delaware avenue, from Christian street to Pattison avenue, and the revision of the lines and grades of streets intersecting the same or adjacent thereto." (*Appendix No. 175.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Mr. Van Houten offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of request to the Mayor to return Common Council bill (Appendix No. 132) entitled "An Ordinance designating the West Philadelphia Bank as a depository of the City's money." (*Appendix No. 176.*)

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was twice read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Mr. Darrow offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit George Woodward to lay a temporary terra cotta drain in Willow Grove avenue, from sewer in Crefeld street northwestwardly two hundred and forty feet." (*Appendix No. 177.*)

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was twice read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Mr. Costello moved to proceed to second reading of resolution (Appendix No. 122) entitled "Resolution of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit Louis Laib to extend the present temporary terra cotta drain in Jackson street, southwest of Longshore street, 80 feet further southwest."

Which was agreed to.

The resolution was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Mr. Connelly moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 163) entitled "An Ordinance to approve the sureties on the official bonds of James Reed, Jr., Assistant Director of the Department of Public Works; Alexander M. Wilson, Assistant Director of the Department of Public Health and Charities; John Meigs, Assistant Director of the Department of Wharves, Docks and Ferries; and Andrew Stephen Murphy, Assistant Director of the Department of Public Safety."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Cross, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Halm, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—77.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 162) entitled "An Ordinance to confer upon the Commissioners of Fairmount Park the care and management of Morris Park, in the Thirty-fourth Ward."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Cross, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minchart, Mohr, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—77.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 165) entitled "An Ordinance to make additional appropriations for the purchase of materials and supplies and the maintenance of the various Bureaus of the Departments of Public Works, Public Safety, Public Health and Charities, Supplies, Wharves, Docks and Ferries, Commissioners of Fair-

mount Park and City Commissioners, for the year 1912, for the construction of main and branch sewers, the grading and paving of streets and the improvement of water supply in West Philadelphia, out of loan approved May 9, 1912."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read.

Mr. Dripps moved to amend by striking out the words "subject to future legislation by Councils," relative to Item 41-E, for new branch sewers.

Which was not agreed to.

The question being on agreeing to the section,

It was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camae, Connelly, Cook, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Cross, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minchart, Mohr, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—78.

NAYS—Mr. Conn—1.

Two-thirds of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 164) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Director of the Department of Public Works to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant to pay the McNichol Paving and Construction Company for work done in connection with the work of abolishing grade crossings along the Philadelphia, Germantown and Norristown Railroad, between Green street and Wayne Junction."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The preamble was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Connelly, Cook, Costello, Cross, Deutsch, Eldredge, Flynn, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gleason, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Keene, Kelley, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, MeTear, Miller, Morton, Ragan, Ruedinger, Schwarz, R. Smith, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Honten, Voigt, Walter, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—48.

NAYS—Messrs. Camac, Conn, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Derr, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Gilson, Gourie, Horn, Howard, Jenkinson, Kline, Kreider, McGinnis, Minehart, Mohr, Parry, Pennock, Renshaw, Ross, Simmington, F. A. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Walton, and Woodill—30.

Less than two-thirds of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was not agreed to.

And the bill fell.

Mr. Connelly moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 161) entitled "An

Ordinance to authorize the purchase of lot of ground northeast corner of Frankford avenue and Harrison street, in the Twenty-third Ward, for police station purposes."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read.

Mr. Horn moved that further consideration of the bill be postponed for the present.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Connelly moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 160) entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the Director of the Department of Supplies to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in payment of supplies delivered between the awarding and executing of certain contracts."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Cross, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—79.

NAYS—None.

Two-thirds of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,
And the bill passed.

Mr. R. Smith moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 167) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of the Parkway, from Twentieth to Twenty-third street."

Which was agreed to.

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

The second section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs, Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Cross, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minchart, Mohr, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't* —79.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,
And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 166) entitled "An Ordi-

nance to permit the Trustees of The Jefferson Medical College of Philadelphia to construct iron or steel and concrete bridges over and across Moravian street, west of Tenth street."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, Cahill, Camae, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Costello, C. C. Cox, Cross, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morton, Parry, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—73.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 139) entitled "An Ordinance directing the Department of Public Works to require owners of property abutting on both sides of Midvale avenue, from Reading Railroad bridge to Thirty-fifth street; on the west side of Thirty-fifth street, from Midvale avenue to New Queen street; and on the east

side of Thirty-fifth street, from Midvale avenue to Ainslie street, to set curbs and lay footway pavements."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Cross, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—77.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Mr. Gillingham moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 141) entitled "An Ordinance to place on the City plan Gladstone, Roseberry, Fallon and Sepviva streets."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read.

Also, moved to amend first and only section by inserting before the word "Sepviva" the following: "Franklin street, of the width of forty feet, from Hunting Park avenue to

Lycoming street," and by striking out the proviso and inserting the following: "*Provided*, That before said Gladstone, Roseberry, Fallon and Franklin streets shall be placed on the plan the owners of property within the lines thereof shall, within one year from the approval of this ordinance, dedicate the beds of the same to the City on the lines and grades as confirmed by the Board of Surveyors, or shall indemnify the City from all damages or claims for damages which may arise from placing said streets on the plan and their subsequent opening to the confirmed lines and grades: *And provided*, That before said Sepviva street shall be placed on the plan, satisfactory evidence shall be furnished that said street has been opened for a period of twenty-one years prior to May 3, 1909."

Which was agreed to.

The section as amended was agreed to.

The title was read.

Also, moved to amend by inserting the word "Franklin" before the word "Sepviva."

Which was agreed to.

The title as amended was agreed to.

The amendments having been printed, by unanimous consent,

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, W. Burke, Cahill, Canac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Costello, C. C. Cox, Cross, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dewart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morton, Parry, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith,

Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—73.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 169) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the construction of sewers in Almond, Anderson, Apsley, Berks, Brandywine, Bristol, Cantrell, Chestnut, Cherry, Crowson, Daly, Drinker, Durfor, Earp, Edgewood, Fairhill, Felton, Filbert, Fitzgerald, Fox, Front, Forty-eighth, Fiftieth, Fifty-fourth, Fifty-sixth, Fifty-ninth, Garnet, Gerritt, Gillingham, Greene, Hancock, Harmony, Hicks, Hirst, Holly, Kennedy, Locust, Ludlow, Ludwig, Marshall, Montrose, Mower, Ninth, Pechin, Pennsdale, Pierce, Pratt, Redfield, Reese, Ringgold, Ritner, Robinson, Rockland, Ruscomb, Sansom, Second, Sixty-second, Sixty-fourth, Spenceer, Springer, Sydenham, Twelfth, Twenty-sixth, Thirty-second, Thirty-sixth, Tree, Walnut, Watkins and Westmoreland streets, Columbia, Duncannon, Greenway, Lansdowne, Leverington, Lindley, Osage, Passyunk, Ridge, Rising Sun, Somerville, Southampton, Torresdale, Warrington, Washington, Wayne and Wynnefield avenues, Mermaid lane and Walnut lane."

Which was agreed to.

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

The second section was again read, and agreed to.

The third section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage.

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Cross, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, MeTear, Miller, Minchart, Mohr, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy. *Pres't*—77.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

The Secretary to the Mayor was introduced, when he presented a message from the Mayor, returning, in compliance with resolution of request, Common Council bill (Appendix No. 132) entitled "An Ordinance designating the West Philadelphia Bank as a depository of the City's money." (*Appendix No. 178.*)

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Common Council proceeded to second reading of Select Council resolution (Appendix No. 101) entitled "Resolution extending the time in which the Board of Education is to remove for one year."

The resolution was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred.

Select Council informed Common Council that they had passed resolution (Appendix No. 107) entitled "Resolution of thanks to the Congressional Committee on Naval

Affairs and Rivers and Harbors for their visit to Philadelphia.”

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred.

Also, informed Common Council that they had received a report from the Committee on Steam Railroads, with bill (Appendix No. 96) annexed entitled “An Ordinance to authorize the Connecting Railway Company, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, lessee, to construct, operate and maintain four additional tracks and platforms, to relocate existing tracks, and to construct and maintain a new bridge to carry said tracks and platforms over Broad street, north of Glenwood avenue,” which they had passed.

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the bill.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Cross, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minchart, Mohr, Morton, Parry, Ragan, Ruedinger, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—70.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Also, informed Common Council that they had concurred in the following, to wit:

"An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Delaware avenue, to its full width, from Christian street to Washington avenue." (Appendix No. 87.)

"An Ordinance to place on the City plan Gladstone, Roseberry, Fallon, Franklin and Sepviva streets." (Appendix No. 141.)

"An Ordinance to repeal ordinance approved October 5, 1911, entitled 'An Ordinance to strike from the City plan Blabon street, from Roberts avenue to the Richmond Branch of the Philadelphia and Reading Railway.'" (Appendix No. 142.)

"An Ordinance authorizing the Director of the Department of Supplies to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in payment of supplies delivered between the awarding and executing of certain contracts." (Appendix No. 160.)

"An Ordinance to confer upon the Commissioners of Fairmount Park the care and management of Morris Park, in the Thirty-fourth Ward." (Appendix No. 162.)

"An Ordinance to approve the sureties on the official bonds of James Reed, Jr., Assistant Director of the Department of Public Works; Alexander M. Wilson, Assistant Director of the Department of Public Health and Charities; John Meigs, Assistant Director of the Department of Wharves, Docks and Ferries; and Andrew Stephen Murphy, Assistant Director of the Department of Public Safety." (Appendix No. 163.)

"An Ordinance to make additional appropriations for the purchase of materials and supplies and the maintenance of the various Bureaus of the Departments of Public

Works, Public Safety, Public Health and Charities, Supplies, Wharves, Docks and Ferries, Commissioners of Fairmount Park and City Commissioners, for the year 1912, for the construction of main and branch sewers, the grading and paving of streets and the improvement of water supply in West Philadelphia, out of loan approved May 9, 1912." (Appendix No. 165.)

"An Ordinance to permit the Trustees of The Jefferson Medical College of Philadelphia to construct iron or steel and concrete bridges over and across Moravian street, west of Tenth street." (Appendix No. 166.)

"An Ordinance to authorize the opening of the Parkway, from Twentieth to Twenty-third street." (Appendix No. 167.)

"Resolution of request to the Mayor to return Common Council bill (Appendix No. 132) entitled "An Ordinance designating the West Philadelphia Bank as a depository of the City's money." (Appendix No. 176.)

•Mr. Baizley moved that Common Council do now adjourn.

Which was agreed to.

So Common Council adjourned.

Thursday, May 23, 1912.

Common Council met. Members present:

Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camae, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Cross, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Humphrys, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morrison, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres.*

Mr. Whitaker moved that the Journal of the last meeting be approved.

Which was agreed to.

The President presented a communication from the Director of the Department of Public Works, reporting, in compliance with resolution passed March 7, 1912, the cost of removal of grade crossings along the Norristown Branch of the Philadelphia and Reading Railway. (*Appendix No. 179.*)

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Surveys.

The Secretary to the Mayor was introduced, when he presented a message from the Mayor, transmitting a communication from the City Controller, relative to provid-

ing greater security for the City's deposits in banks and trust companies. (*Appendix No. 180.*)

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a further message from the Mayor, transmitting a communication from the Director of the Department of Public Safety, suggesting the creation of new positions in the Bureau of Fire. (*Appendix No. 181.*)

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Gleason read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to permit Berg Bros. to construct vaults under the sidewalk in front of their property on the east side of Eleventh street and on the south side of Commerce street."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Connelly presented a communication from the Director of the Department of Public Works, requesting an appropriation to pay laborers at the filtering stations.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the City Controller, requesting an ordinance authorizing the payment out of the item in the annual appropriation to the Department of City Commissioners of the sum of fifty (50) dollars for the burial of Charles Yocum, late Company "A," 150th Reg., Pa. Vols.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Clerks of Councils to entertain delegates to the Congress of German Physicians and Surgeons, to be held in the City of Philadelphia in September, 1912."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Director of the Department of Public Works to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant

in favor of The Frank Mark Contracting Company for excess work done on the grading of Twentieth street."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an additional appropriation to the Mayor, for the year 1912, for the maintenance of the Southwark Branch of the Free Library."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the Director of the Commercial Museum, requesting an additional appropriation for the overhead water system in the north building of said Museum; also, for extra labor.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. McCloskey read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to reconstruct a sewer in Wilkey street, from Bodine to Allen street, in the Sixteenth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. C. C. Cox read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to grade Mitchell street, from Parker avenue to Cinnaminson lane, in the Twenty-first Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Darrow read in place bills to locate electric lights in the Twenty-second Ward.

Which were referred to the Electrical Committee.

Also, offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate a gasoline lamp in alley rear of 215 to 265 Sydney street, between Boyer and Devon streets, in the Twenty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to construct a sewer in Highland avenue, from Ardleigh street to Germantown avenue, in the Twenty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to pave West Horster street, as of the width between curb

lines as now physically opened, from Germantown avenue to Quiney street, in the Twenty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the revision of the intersection of Johnson street and Wissabickon avenue, in the Twenty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Weglein offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate gasoline lamps rear 1314 N. Twenty-seventh street, and rear 2840 Girard avenue, in the Twenty-ninth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Mr. J. S. McQuade read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance requiring sidewalk or footway to be laid and curb to be set on the northwest side of Parkside avenue, from Bryn Mawr avenue to Monument road, in the Thirty-fourth Ward of the City of Philadelphia."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance requiring sidewalks or footways to be laid on east side of Fifty-second street, from Overbrook avenue to Woodbine avenue; and Fifty-third street, from Wynnefield avenue to a point north of Woodbine avenue, to connect with the footways already laid beyond that point, in the Thirty-fourth Ward of the City of Philadelphia."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. R. Smith read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance directing the City Solicitor to strike from the records all liens for water pipe laid in Moore and Pierce streets, west of Twenty-second street, in front of the Twenty-second Street Methodist Episcopal Church."

Which was referred to the Committee on Law.

Mr. Smithies (by request) read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to strike from the City plan and vacate Lippincott street, between Sixteenth and Seventeenth streets, in the Thirty-eighth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Frankenfield read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to locate an electric light on west side of Forty-eighth street, 168 feet north of Haverford avenue, in the Forty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Electrical Committee.

Also, offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate gasoline lamps in the Forty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Also, read in place bills to open the following streets in the Forty-fourth Ward: Brown street, from Forty-ninth to Fiftieth street; and Forty-ninth street, from Aspen to Reno street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. F. A. Smith read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to locate an electric light on the southeast corner of Sixty-second street and Cedar avenue, in the Forty-sixth Ward."

Which was referred to the Electrical Committee.

Also, offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate gasoline lamps in the Forty-sixth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to pave Delancey street, from Fifty-ninth to Sixtieth street, in the Forty-sixth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Hardart read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to provide for the construction, installation, operation, maintenance and inspection of passenger and freight elevators in the City of Philadelphia, and repealing all ordinances or parts of ordinances bearing upon or relating to the construction, installation, operation, maintenance and inspection of passenger and freight elevators in the City of Philadelphia."

Which was referred to the Committee on Law.

Mr. Connelly, Chairman of the Committee on Finance, presented a report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance amending an ordinance approved the twenty-ninth

day of December, 1911, entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of Public Safety, for the year 1912." (*Appendix No. 182.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the Director, Department of Public Works, to order and to pay warrants for extra work to be performed by William A. Mundy in grading the Kensington and Oxford turnpike, from Levick to Knorr street." (*Appendix No. 183.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance recognizing and approving the claim of John T. Windrim for one hundred and forty-one thousand four hundred and eighty (141,480) dollars for work done by him as an architect in the matter of the proposed Convention Hall and Auditorium in East Fairmount Park, and directing the payment of said claim." (*Appendix No. 184.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Department of Public Works to hire steam rollers and other necessary equipment for the maintenance of unpaved and macadamized roads." (*Appendix No. 185.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Mr. Connelly offered the following, to wit: "Resolution dispensing with the Stated Meeting of the Select and Common Councils on Thursday, May 30, 1912." (*Appendix No. 186.*)

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was twice read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Mr. Hardart offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of request to the Commissioners of Fairmount Park

to reconsider their action prohibiting the 1912 automobile races in Fairmount Park." (*Appendix No. 187.*)

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was twice read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Select Council informed Common Council that they had passed resolution (*Appendix No. 115*) entitled "Resolution to meet in Joint Convention for the purpose of electing two trustees of the Northern Liberties Gas Company."

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred.

Mr. Connelly moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (*Appendix No. 131*) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Director of the Department of Public Safety (Bureau of City Property) to sell at public sale the lot or piece of ground, with the buildings and improvements thereon erected, situate at No. 615 Passyunk avenue."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Betke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Cross, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankensfield, Gallagher, Gilson, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Howard, Humphrys, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, McCarthy, McCloskey,

McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Mohr, Morrison, Morton, Parry, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't* —74

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 97) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Director of the Department of Public Safety (Bureau of City Property) to sell at public sale the lot or piece of ground situate at the southwest corner of Fifty-fifth street and Osage avenue, in the Forty-sixth Ward."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Cross, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gallagher, Gilson, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Howard, Humphrys, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Mohr, Morton, Parry, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walton, Ward, Weglein,

Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—72.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Mr. C. C. Cox, seconded by Mr. Eldredge, moved that the vote by which Common Council bill (Appendix No. 164) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Director of the Department of Public Works to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant to pay the McNichol Paving and Construction Company for work done in connection with the work of abolishing grade crossings along the Philadelphia, Germantown and Norristown Railroad, between Green street and Wayne Junction," was defeated at the last meeting.

On which the yeas and nays were required, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Cross, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Howard, Humphrys, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Mohr, Morrison, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Unstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—75.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

The question being on the final passage of the bill,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Cross, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Howard, Humphrys, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Mohr, Morrison, Morton, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy. *Pres't*—77.

NAYS—None.

Two-thirds of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Mr. Renshaw presented the following:

Philadelphia, May 23, 1912.

My objection to the ordinance appropriating \$4,338.60 for work done under Contract No. 110, P., G. & N. Elevated, in excess of the cash limit of the contract, was because the bill was presented to these Councils without any sufficient reason or explanation for its passage.

After a personal investigation, I believe the amount should be paid, although under the contract itself the City is not legally bound.

The work was done, and estimates were based on figures furnished by the City. The figures for certain portions of the contract, principally the cost of underpinning on some portions of the work, were much below the actual amount required.

The work could not be safely stopped—which was the only alternative—open to the Director of Public Works, and he, therefore, authorized the additional work to be done.

The price for the additional work is the same as that of the original contract, and the Philadelphia and Reading Railroad has passed upon and approved its share of the charge.

For these reasons, I now vote in favor of the bill; but I think it should be known by contractors making agreements with the City that any work authorized by any Department head, beyond that specifically set out in the contract, is paid only as a matter of grace and equity and not of legal right.

BENJ. H. RENSIIAW.

Mr. Connelly moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 158) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize certain transfers in the annual appropriations to the Department of Supplies, Art Jury and Clerks of Councils, for the year 1912."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, Cross, Darrow, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorwart, Flynn, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gleason, Hahn, Howard, Keene, Kelley, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, Miller, Morrison, Morton, Ragan, R. Smith, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walton, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—46.

NAYS—Messrs. Camae, Conn, G. D. Cox, Derr, Dripps, Eldredge, Frankenfield, Gilson, Gonrie, Gubbins, Hardart,

Jenkinson, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, McGuigan, S. McQuade, Minchart, Mohr, Parry, Pennock, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Ward, and Weglein—32

Less than two-thirds of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was not agreed to,

And the bill fell.

JOINT CONVENTION.

The Members of Select Council being introduced, and Select and Common Councils being assembled in Joint Convention, Mr. Ransley, President of Select Council, in the Chair, who announced that the Convention had assembled for the purpose of electing two Trustees of the Northern Liberties Gas Company, and declared nominations to be in order.

Mr. Buchholz, of Select Council, nominated Messrs. Samuel Cherry and Samuel H. Cramp.

Also, moved that they be elected by acclamation.

Which was unanimously agreed to.

And Samuel Cherry and Samuel H. Cramp were elected Trustees of the Northern Liberties Gas Company for the ensuing term.

The purpose for which the Convention had assembled having been accomplished, Select Council retired.

Mr. Connelly moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 159) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize certain transfers in the annual appropriations to the various Bureaus in the Department of Public Safety, Clerks of Councils, Coroner, Commissioners of Fairmount Park, City Controller, and the Register of Wills, for the year 1912."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read.

Also, moved to amend by inserting after the words "Public Safety," in the fifth line, the words "Public

Health and Charities, Wharves, Docks and Ferries, Supplies, City Commissioners and City Treasurer."

Further amend by inserting after the words "Public Safety," in the eighth line, the following: "Bureau of Police: From Item 1, for salaries, three thousand five hundred (3,500) dollars."

Further amend by inserting after the words and figures "four hundred (400) dollars," in the ninth line, the words and figures "From Item 10, for laying underground conduits, etc., ten thousand (10,000) dollars. Department of Public Health and Charities (Director's Office): From Item 12, for rental of steamboat, etc., ten thousand (10,000) dollars. City Commissioners: From Item 41, for expenses of primary election, etc., fifteen thousand five hundred (15,500) dollars. City Treasurer: From Item 15, for estimated interest, etc., twenty-five thousand nine hundred and fifty (25,950) dollars."

Further amend by striking out the words and figures "ninety-one thousand three hundred and eight (91,308) dollars," in the sixteenth line, and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "one hundred and fifty-six thousand two hundred and fifty-eight (156,258) dollars."

Further amend by inserting after the words "Electrical Bureau," in the eighteenth line, the words and figures "to Item 2, for repairs, hauling, etc., ten thousand (10,000) dollars. Bureau of Fire: To Item 3½ (new), for repairing and painting fire boat 'Edwin S. Stuart,' three thousand five hundred (3,500) dollars."

Further amend by inserting after the words and figures "one hundred and ninety-two (192) dollars," in the last line, the following: "To Item 69, for rental of property, etc., four hundred and fifty (450) dollars."

Further amend by inserting before the words "Clerks of Councils," on fifth line, page 406, the following: "Department of Public Health and Charities (Bureau of Health): To Item 6½ (new), for the abatement of nuisances caused by stagnant ponds, three thousand (3,000) dollars; to Item 7½ (new), for the purpose of placing the City property at 1725 Wood street in condition for the

proper modification of milk, for the use of the Philadelphia Modified Milk Society, five thousand (5,000) dollars. Department of Wharves, Docks and Ferries: To Item 8, for expense of operating City ice boats, etc., three thousand five hundred (3,500) dollars; to Item 31 (new), for the preparation of plans for a new ice boat, ten thousand (10,000) dollars. Department of Supplies (Wharves, Docks and Ferries): To Item 9, for provisions, five hundred (500) dollars. City Controller: To Item 2, for printing annual reports, etc., one thousand (1,000) dollars; to Item 4, for incidentals, etc., five hundred (500) dollars. City Commissioners: To Item 2, to pay jurors, fifteen thousand (15,000) dollars; to Item 4, to pay witness fees, five hundred (500) dollars; to Item 46 (new), for books, book cases, carpets, etc., for rooms 427-430, City Hall, occupied by Orphans' Court, two thousand (2,000) dollars."

Further amend by inserting before the word "Coroner," in the seventeenth line, page 406, the following: "to Item 16 (new), for rental and supervision of a steamboat to be used in giving free daily excursions (except Sundays) for children of the poor, during July and August, ten thousand (10,000) dollars, said amount to be expended under the supervision of the Committee on Finance."

Mr. Renshaw moved that further consideration of the bill be postponed for the present.

Which was not agreed to.

The question being on agreeing to the amendment,

Mr. Minehart moved to amend the amendment by striking out the following: "Department of Public Health and Charities (Director's Office): From Item 12, for rental of steamboat, etc., ten thousand (10,000) dollars; to Item 16 (new), for rental and supervision of a steamboat to be used in giving free daily excursions (except Sundays) for children of the poor, during July and August, ten thousand (10,000) dollars, said amount to be expended under the supervision of the Committee on Finance."

Which was not agreed to.

The question being on agreeing to the amendment,

It was agreed to.

Mr. Renshaw moved to further amend by striking out the following: "to Clerks of Councils to Item 14 (new), for prizes and other expenses incident to the public horse carnival and exhibition to be held in Fairmount Park in June, 1912, under the auspices of the Road Drivers' Association of Pennsylvania, four thousand (4,000) dollars, said amount to be expended under the supervision of the Committee on Finance," and by striking out "Coroner, to Item 9 (new), for the purchase and maintenance of an automobile and the salary of the chauffeur, five thousand (5,000) dollars," and by striking out "Department of Public Safety (Electrical Bureau), to Item 9½ for electric lights on Sansom street, between Seventh and Eighth streets, three hundred (300) dollars."

Which was not agreed to.

The question being on agreeing to the section as amended,

It was agreed to.

The title was read.

Mr. Connelly moved to amend by inserting after the word "Safety," the words "Public Health and Charities, Wharves, Docks and Ferries, Supplies, City Commissioners, City Treasurer."

Which was agreed to.

The title as amended was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, Cross, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankentfield, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gleason, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Humphrys, Keene, Kelley, Limeburner,

Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Morrison, Morton, Ragan, Ruedinger, Schwarz, Simmington, R. Smith, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, and Woodill—63.

NAYS—Messrs. Camac, G. D. Cox, Dorwart, Gilson, Gourie, Jenkinson, Kreider, Minehart, Mohr, Parry, Pennock, Renshaw, Ross, F. A. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Walton—17.

Two thirds of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Mr. Hardart, seconded by Mr. Ward, moved that the vote by which Common Council bill (Appendix No. 158) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize certain transfers in the annual appropriations to the Department of Supplies, Art Jury and Clerks of Councils, for the year 1912," was defeated at this meeting.

On which the yeas and nays were required, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, Cross, Darrow, Deutsch, Diamond, Flynn, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gleason, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Howard, Humphrys, Keene, Kelley, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, McTear, Minehart, Morton, Ragan, Schwarz, R. Smith, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walton, Ward, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—52.

NAYS—Messrs. Conn, G. D. Cox, Derr, Dripps, Eldredge, Frankenfield, Gilson, Gourie, Horn, Jenkinson, Kreider, McGuigan, S. McQuade, Mohr, Parry, Pennock, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Simmington, F. A. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Weglein—25.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

The question being on the final passage of the bill,

Mr. R. Smith moved that further consideration of the bill be postponed for the present.

Which was agreed to.

Common Council proceeded to second reading of Select Council bill (Appendix No. 75) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the laying of water pipe in Benner, Courtland, Division, Edgewood, Felton, Fifty-fourth, Fifty-ninth, Horrocks, Howard, Redfield, Robinson, Roschill, Sixty-fourth, Strahle and Warnock streets, Evergreen and Windrim avenues, and Lincoln Drive."

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Cross, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Humphrys, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Lineburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minchart, Mohr, Morrison, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—82.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Select Council bill (Appendix No. 98) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Pennsylvania Railroad Company to construct, operate and maintain a turnout or siding, from its tracks on Tioga street to and in front of property on the northeast side thereof, at the corner of Memphis street."

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage.

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Cross, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Humphrys, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minchart, Mohr, Morrison, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—82.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Select Council informed Common Council that they had received a report from the Committee on City Property, with bill (Appendix No. 105) annexed entitled "An Ordinance to condemn triangular plot of ground bounded by Haverford street, Fifty-first street and Aspen street, in the Forty-fourth Ward, for park purposes," which they had passed.

Also, informed Common Council that they had passed resolution (Appendix No. 102) entitled "Resolution of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit William R. Buzby & Son to lay a temporary terra cotta drain in Rising Sun avenue, about 200 feet north of Tabor street, to sewer in Tabor street."

Also, informed Common Council that they had concurred in the following, to wit:

"An Ordinance to authorize the Director of the Department of Public Safety (Bureau of City Property) to sell at public sale the lot or piece of ground situate at the southwest corner of Fifty-fifth street and Osage avenue, in the Forty-sixth Ward." (Appendix No. 97.)

"Resolution of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit Louis Laib to extend the present temporary terra cotta drain in Jackson street, southwest of Longshore street, eighty feet further southwest." (Appendix No. 122.)

"An Ordinance to authorize the Director of the Department of Public Safety (Bureau of City Property) to sell at public sale the lot or piece of ground, with the buildings and improvements thereon erected, situate at No. 615 Passyunk avenue." (Appendix No. 131.)

"An Ordinance directing the Department of Public Works to require owners of property abutting on both sides of Midvale avenue, from Reading Railroad bridge to Thirty-fifth street; on the west side of Thirty-fifth street, from Midvale avenue to New Queen street; and on the east side of Thirty-fifth street, from Midvale avenue to Ainslie street, to set curbs and lay footway pavements." (Appendix No. 139.)

"An Ordinance to authorize certain transfers in the annual appropriations to the various Bureaus in the Departments of Public Safety, Public Health and Charities, Wharves, Docks and Ferries, Supplies, City Commissioners, City Treasurer, Clerks of Councils, Coroner, Commissioners of Fairmount Park, City Controller, and Register of Wills, for the year 1912." (Appendix No. 159.)

"An Ordinance to authorize the Director of the Department of Public Works to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant to pay the McNichol Paving and Construction Company for work done in connection with the work of abolishing grade crossings along the Philadelphia, Germantown and Norristown Railroad, between Green street and Wayne Junction." (Appendix No. 164.)

"An Ordinance to authorize the construction of sewers in Almond, Anderson, Apsley, Berks, Brandywine, Bristol, Cantrell, Chestnut, Cherry, Crowson, Daly, Drinker, Durfor, Earp, Edgewood, Fairhill, Felton, Filbert, Fitzgerald, Fox, Front, Forty-eighth, Fiftieth, Fifty-fourth, Fifty-sixth, Fifty-ninth, Garnet, Gerritt, Gillingham, Greene, Hancock, Harmony, Hicks, Hirst, Holly, Kennedy, Locust, Ludlow, Ludwig, Marshall, Montrose, Mower, Ninth, Pechin, Pennsdale, Pierce, Pratt, Redfield, Reese, Ringgold, Ritner, Robinson, Rockland, Ruscomb, Sansom, Second, Sixty-second, Sixty-fourth, Spencer, Springer, Sydenham, Twelfth, Twenty-sixth, Thirty-second, Thirty-sixth, Tree, Walnut, Watkins and Westmoreland streets, Columbia, Duncannon, Greenway, Lansdowne, Leverington, Lindley, Osage, Passyunk, Ridge, Rising Sun, Somerville, Southampton, Torresdale, Warrington, Washington, Wayne and Wynnecfield avenues, Mermaid lane and Walnut lane." (Appendix No. 169.)

"Resolution dispensing with the Stated Meeting of the Select and Common Councils on Thursday, May 30, 1912." (Appendix No. 186.)

"Resolution of request to the Commissioners of Fairmount Park to reconsider their action prohibiting the

1912 automobile races in Fairmount Park." (Appendix No. 187.)

Mr. Umstead moved that Common Council do now adjourn.

Which was agreed to.

So Common Council adjourned.

Thursday, June 6, 1912.

Common Council met. Members present:

Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Cross, Darrow, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankentfield, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Humphrys, Jenkinson, Kelley, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, and McCurdy, *Pres't*.

Mr. Whitaker moved that the Journal of the last meeting be approved.

Which was agreed to.

The President presented the following:

Philadelphia, June 6, 1912.

GEORGE MCCURDY, Esq.,

President of Common Council.

DEAR SIR:—Kindly excuse me from attending today's meeting of Common Council, as it will be impossible for me to attend on account of being out of the City.

Very truly yours,

W. W. TRINKLE, M. D.

Philadelphia, June 5, 1912.

GEORGE McCURDY, Esq.,

President of Common Council.

DEAR SIR:—Owing to unexpected absence from the City it will be impossible for me to be present at the meeting of Common Council to-morrow.

Very truly yours,

GEORGE D. WOODILL.

The Secretary to the Mayor was introduced, when he presented a message from the Mayor, transmitting a communication from the Director of the Department of Public Safety, urging an appropriation of \$7,500 for new boilers at the House of Correction. (*Appendix No. 188.*)

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a further message from the Mayor, enclosing letters from the Directors of the Departments of Public Safety and Public Works, asking for appropriations for the furnishing of electric lights and fire extinguishers for the temporary Convention Hall. (*Appendix No. 189.*)

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a further message from the Mayor, returning, without his approval, certain items in Common Council bill (*Appendix No. 159*) authorizing certain transfers. (*Appendix No. 190.*)

Which was read.

The question being, Shall the items remain, notwithstanding the objection of the Mayor?

Mr. Connelly moved that the message be referred to the Committee on Finance.

Which was agreed to.

Also, presented a further message from the Mayor, returning, without his approval, Common Council bill (Appendix No. 167) to authorize the opening of the Parkway, from Twentieth to Twenty-third street. (*Appendix No. 191.*)

Which was read.

The question being, Shall the bill pass, notwithstanding the objection of the Mayor?

Mr. R. Smith moved that the bill and message be referred to the Committee on Highways.

Which was agreed to.

The President presented a communication from the Director of Public Works, in compliance with the resolution of Councils requesting the advisability and cost of installing a high pressure fire system in the mill district of the Thirty-eighth Ward. (*Appendix No. 192.*)

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a further communication from the Director of Public Works, in compliance with the resolution of Council requesting the advisability and cost of installing a high pressure fire system in the mill district of the Twenty-first Ward. (*Appendix No. 193.*)

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a further communication from the Director, Department of Public Health and Charities, enclosing a bill entitled "An Ordinance making an additional appropriation to the Department of Public Health and Charities."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the Board of Revision of Taxes, in reply to resolution of Councils, enclosing list of real estate (other than roadbed of railway companies) of public service corporations now exempt from local taxation, with the location, dimensions and value of each parcel." (*Appendix No. 194.*)

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Law.

Also, presented a communication from the Farmers' and Mechanics' National Bank, submitting a statement showing the aggregate of City Loans on which interest is paid by the City, and also a statement of the semi-annual interest due July 1, 1912, as it stands on the books at the Farmers' and Mechanics' National Bank on June 1, 1912. (*Appendix No. 195.*)

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Bonnick read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Department of Public Works to strike from their books all charges for water rent and penalties for the year 1911 against premises 406 Wharton street, now occupied by the Jewish Consumptive Hospital.

Which was referred to the Committee on Law.

Mr. Stuebing read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to construct a sewer in Lawrence street, from Gerritt to Wilder street, in the First Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Connelly presented a communication from the Mayor, enclosing copy of a letter from the Director of the Department of Public Works, requesting an appropriation to cover the purchase and installation of a filing system in said office.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a further communication from the Mayor, enclosing copy of a letter from the Director of the Department of Public Health and Charities, requesting an increase in the salary of the Superintendent of the Philadelphia Hospital for Contagious Diseases; also, asking for an extra position of steward in said hospital.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the Director of the Department of Public Safety, requesting a transfer of the appropriation for alterations and repairs to rooms,

etc., from the Recorder of Deeds to the Department of Public Safety (Bureau of City Property).

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a further communication from the Director of the Department of Public Safety, requesting an appropriation to the Bureau of City Property to pay bills of Charles T. Groswith for removal of ashes and rubbish from City Hall, public squares, etc.; also, for removal of snow and ice from City Hall Court Yard and pavements.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a further communication from the Director of the Department of Public Safety, requesting a certain transfer in the Bureau of Elevator Inspection.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the Director of the Department of Public Works, requesting a transfer in the Bureau of Highways from Item 2 to Item 7, for incidental postage and office expenses.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a further communication from the Director of the Department of Public Works, requesting the passage of an ordinance authorizing payment to the Millard Construction Co. of \$4,316.95 for work done and material furnished under the contract for Queen Lane Filters No. 154, Bureau of Water; also, an ordinance to pay the Millard Construction Co. \$26,242.77 for work done on the Fairhill High Pressure Fire Service contract.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the County Commissioners, requesting an additional appropriation to the

State Hospital for the Chronic Insane, at Wernersville, Pa., for the year 1912.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize and direct the Director of the Department of Public Works to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant to pay Richard Walsh for the use of a 60-foot derrick and hoisting engine for forty-six days at the Lardners Point Pumping Station, together with the erection, running expenses and dismantling of the same.

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also (by request), read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize a certain transfer in the annual appropriation to the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Highways), for the year 1912."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Department of Public Works to employ expert landscape architects to advise with the Department in the preparation of plans and specifications for the completion of the improvement of the Plaza, South Broad street and League Island Park."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize and direct the Director of the Department of Public Works to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in favor of the Fisk Rubber Company and the Diamond Rubber Company for repairs and tires for automobiles."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of Public Works for the preparation of maps and plans, and an engineering study of streams, ponds, pools, etc., and the habits of mosquitoes and the best method of eliminating the same."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Surveys), for reconstruction of the Mill Creek Sewer at Forty-third street and Baltimore avenue, and for emergency repairs to the same."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the Director of the Department of Public Safety asking a rearrangement of salaries in the Electrical Bureau.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a further communication from the Director of the Department of Public Safety, requesting a certain transfer in the Bureau of Correction.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a further communication from the Director of the Department of Public Safety, relative to the employment of additional carpenters and painters in the Bureau of City Property.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. McTear read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance granting permission to Drueding Bros. Co. to lay a fire main on the north side of Master street, from Orkney to Sixth street."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Williams read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of Public Safety (Bureau of Correction) for new boilers at the House of Correction."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Pennsylvania Railroad Company to construct, operate and maintain a track or siding to, and into property of Wm. Cramp & Sons Ship and Engine Build-

ing Company at the intersection of Richmond and Dyott streets, in the Eighteenth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Steam Railroads.

Mr. Dorwart offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate fifteen gasoline lamps in Gorgas Park, in the Twenty-first Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Mr. Darrow offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate twelve gasoline lamps in Vernon Park, in the Twenty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Mr. Gilson read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to place Brill street, from Leshar to Willow street, in the Twenty-third Ward, on the City plan."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to open Brill street, from Leshar to Willow street, in the Twenty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Limeburner read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to increase the salary of the Sergeant and the Park Guards in Fairmount Park."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Kreider read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the reconstruction of a concrete bridge on the line of Ridge avenue over the Connecting Railway."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. J. S. McQuade read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to place upon the City plan and condemn lot of ground bounded by Sixty-seventh street, Haverford avenue, Sixty-eighth street and Lansdowne avenue, in the Thirty-fourth Ward, as a public playground for the health and enjoyment of the people, and place such ground under the custody and management of the Mayor (Public Playgrounds Committee)."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate gasoline lamps in the Thirty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Mr. R. Smith read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to place McClellan street, from Point Breeze avenue to Twenty-fourth street, in the Thirty-sixth Ward, on the City plan."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to amend the ordinance approved June 15, 1911, authorizing the laying of two rows of granite blocks adjacent to railway tracks, where streets are authorized to be paved or repaved with asphalt, and to provide for payment therefor."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Smithies (by request) read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the construction of sewers in Coulter, Henry and Vaux streets, School House lane and Warden drive."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also (by request), read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the laying of water pipe in Coulter, Henry and Vaux streets, and Warden drive."

Which was referred to the Committee on Water.

Also, read in place bills to place the following streets, in the Thirty-eighth Ward, on the City plan: Clementine street, from Twenty-ninth to Thirtieth street, and Thirtieth street, from Wishart to Clearfield street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Mohr read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Highways) to reconstruct a foot-bridge on the line of Blabon street across the Richmond Branch of the Philadelphia and Reading Railroad."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Walton read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to place Ella street, from Wyoming to Courtland street, in the Forty-second Ward, on the City plan."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. G. D. Cox read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to place upon the City plan for park purposes and for the health and enjoyment of the people, the plot of ground bounded by Tioga street, Eleventh street and Rising Sun lane."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Diamond read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to locate three electric lights in the Forty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Electrical Committee.

Mr. Schwarz read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to place Overington street, from Richmond to Allen street, in the Forty-fifth Ward, on the City plan."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Dorman read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to construct a sewer in Ludlow street, from Forty-eighth to Fallon street, in the Forty-sixth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place bills to lay water pipe in the following streets in the Forty-sixth Ward: Webster, Christian and Carpenter streets, and Washington avenue, from Sixty-second street to Cobbs Creek Parkway.

Which were referred to the Committee on Water.

Mr. Connelly, Chairman of the Committee on Finance, presented a report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Director of the Department of Public Works to expend balances of Item 13, Item 14 and Item 23 in the annual appropriation to the Bureau of Highways in any manner to secure the most efficient transportation of the employees of the Bureau of Highways." (*Appendix No. 196.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize a certain transfer in the annual appropriation to the Mayor and the City Treasurer, for the year 1912, for the purchase of standard scales for the purpose of

protecting the public from the fraudulent manipulation of weights and measures." (*Appendix No. 197.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize certain transfers in the annual appropriations to the various Bureaus in the Departments of Public Safety, Public Works, Public Health and Charities, Supplies, Mayor, Clerks of Councils and City Treasurer, for the year 1912." (*Appendix No. 198.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize certain transfers in the annual appropriations to the Departments of City Treasurer and Public Health and Charities, for the year 1912." (*Appendix No. 199.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the Director of the Department of Public Works to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, warrant in favor of A. K. Smith in the sum of one thousand seven hundred and forty-three (1,743) dollars and fifteen (15) cents for cleaning filters at Torrance Station." (*Appendix No. 200.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance authorizing and empowering the Director of the Department of Wharves, Docks and Ferries to adjust the claim of the Italia Societa di Navigazione a Vapore, Hartfield, Solari & Company, General Agents, by temporary and partial abatement of rent." (*Appendix No. 201.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance authorizing and directing settlement of the claim of the Filbert Paving and Construction Company against the City for

the annulment of the contract for a bulkhead on the Schuylkill river in front of Bartram Park by payment to said company of the sum of ten thousand (10,000) dollars, and authorizing a certain transfer in the annual appropriations to the City Treasurer and Department of Wharves, Docks and Ferries, for the year 1912." (*Appendix No. 202.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the Mayor to abrogate the contract between the City of Philadelphia and the Sax & Abbott Construction Company, dated December 22, 1911, for the crection of a home for the feeble-minded, in the Forty-first Ward, and authorizing a certain transfer in the annual appropriations to the Mayor and the City Treasurer, for the year 1912, to accomplish the same." (*Appendix No. 203.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Mr. Miller, Chairman of the Committee on Police and Fire, presented a report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance relating to minors working in the streets and public places in Philadelphia." (*Appendix No. 204.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Mr. Trinkle, Chairman of the Committee on Public Health and Charities, presented a report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance declaring it to be a nuisance and making it unlawful to keep hogs or swine in the City of Philadelphia except within certain limits, or in any part thereof excepting in a sanitary manner; and providing penalties for the violation of this ordinance." (*Appendix No. 205.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Mr. Camac offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit Hamilton J. Farrell to lay a temporary

terra cotta drain in Cemetery avenue, from Kingsessing avenue eastward about 105 feet. (*Appendix No. 206.*)

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was twice read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Select Council informed Common Council that they had passed resolution (*Appendix No. 118*) entitled "Resolution of request to the Mayor to return to Select Council, Select Council bill (*Appendix No. 98*) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Pennsylvania Railroad Company to construct, operate and maintain a turnout or siding from its tracks on Tioga street to, and in front of, property on the northeast side thereof, at the corner of Memphis street."

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred.

Mr. Connelly moved to proceed to second reading of resolution (*Appendix No. 133*) entitled "Resolution authorizing the Director of the Department of Public Safety to permit the Chief of the Bureau of Building Inspection to act as Secretary of a certain Commission."

Which was agreed to.

The preamble was agreed to.

The resolution was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (*Appendix No. 182*) entitled "An Ordinance amending an ordinance approved the twenty-ninth day of December, 1911, entitled 'An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of Public Safety, for the year 1912.'"

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Caniac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Cross, Darrow, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Humphrys, Jenkinson, Kelley, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—76.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 185) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Department of Public Works to hire steam rollers and other necessary equipment for the maintenance of unpaved and macadamized roads."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Cross, Darrow, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Humphrys, Jenkinson, Kelley, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Steubing, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—76.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 183) entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the Director of the Department of Public Works to order and pay warrants for extra work to be performed by William A. Mundy in grading the Kensington and Oxford turnpike, from Levick to Knorr street."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The preamble was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Cross, Darrow, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn,

Frankenfield, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Humphrys, Jenkinson, Kelley, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Sinnington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—76.

NAYS—None.

Two-thirds of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Mr. R. Smith moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 82) entitled "An Ordinance permitting Geo. B. Newton & Co. to erect an iron stairway connecting their office building with the Chestnut street bridge, on the south side of said bridge, east of Thirtieth street."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Cross, Darrow, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Humphrys, Jenkinson, Kelley, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Rue-

dinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—76.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 100) entitled "An Ordinance directing the Department of Public Works to require owners of property abutting on the northwest and southeast sides of Roumfort avenue, Germantown avenue to Boyer street, and on Norwood street, from Mermaid lane to about 225 feet north, to set curbs and lay footway pavements on both sides of the said streets."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Cross, Darrow, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Humphrys, Jeukinson, Kelley, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Umstead, Van

Houten, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—76.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 138) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the resetting of curb and repaving a portion of the south side of Harlan street, between Eighteenth and Nineteenth streets."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Cross, Darrow, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Humphrys, Jenkinson, Kelley, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, MeTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morton, Parry, Pennoek, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—76.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Mr. Hardart moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 153) entitled "An Ordinance to regulate the having, using, storing and keeping of gasoline by public and private garages in quantities over five gallons."

Which was agreed to.

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

The second section was again read, and agreed to.

The third section was again read, and agreed to.

The fourth section was again read, and agreed to.

The fifth section was again read.

Mr. Costello moved that the further consideration of the bill be indefinitely postponed,

Which was agreed to.

Common Council resumed consideration of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 158) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize certain transfers in the annual appropriations to the Department of Supplies, Art Jury and Clerks of Councils, for the year 1912."

The question being on the final passage of the bill,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Betke, Bonnick, W. Burke, Cahill, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, Cross, Darrow, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gleason, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Humphrys, Kelley, Lombardi, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Morton, Ragan, R. Smith, Stuebing, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Ward, Whitaker, White, Williams, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—46.

NAYS—Messrs. Camac, Conn, G. D. Cox, Eldredge, Frankenfield, Gilson, Gourie, Jenkinson, Kreider, Limeburner, McGuigan, Minchert, Mohr, Parry, Pennock, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Walton, and Weglein—25.

NAYS—25.

Less than two-thirds of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was not agreed to,

And the bill fell.

Select Council informed Common Council that they had concurred in the following to wit:

"An Ordinance amending an ordinance approved the twenty-ninth day of December, 1911, entitled 'An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of Public Safety, for the year 1912.'" (Appendix No. 182.)

"An Ordinance to authorize the Department of Public Works to hire steam rollers and other necessary equipment for the maintenance of unpaved and macadamized roads." (Appendix No. 185.)

"Resolution of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit George Woodward to lay a temporary terra cotta drain in Willow Grove avenue, from sewer in Crefeld street, northeastwardly two hundred and forty feet." (Appendix No. 177.)

Mr. R. Smith moved that Common Council do now adjourn.

Which was agreed to.

So Common Council adjourned.

Thursday, June 13, 1912.

Common Council met. Members present:

Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, MeTear, Miller, Mohr, Morrison, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voight, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, McCurdy, *Pres't.*

Mr. Hardart moved that the Journal of the last meeting be approved.

Which was agreed to.

The President presented the following:

Philadelphia, June 13, 1912.

GEORGE MCCURDY, Esq.,

President of Common Council.

DEAR SIR:—Please excuse me from attending to-day's session of Councils.

I am confined to my home with sickness.

Very respectfully,

RICHARD A. COOPER.

Philadelphia, June 13, 1912.

GEORGE McCURDY, Esq.,

President of Common Council.

I regret that an important engagement will prevent me from attending the meeting of Councils, Thursday, June 13th. Kindly have me excused.

Respectfully yours,

JOHN R. MINEHART.

The Secretary to the Mayor was introduced, when he presented a message from the Mayor, enclosing two ordinances relative to the transfer of the Bureau of City Property from the Department of Public Safety to the Department of Public Works. (*Appendix No. 207.*)

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a further message from the Mayor, enclosing a letter from the Secretary of the Board of Recreation, requesting the securing of a lot of ground Twenty-eighth and Passyunk avenue, for a playground. (*Appendix No. 208.*)

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a further message from the Mayor, requesting that the Vice Commission should be recognized as a part of the Municipal Administration and asking an appropriation therefor. (*Appendix No. 209.*)

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a further message from the Mayor, enclosing an ordinance from the Director of the Department of Public Works, with reference to the construction of a sewer in Romain street. (*Appendix No. 210.*)

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a further message from the Mayor, enclosing a communication from the President of the Art

Jury, requesting an appropriation for the year 1912. (*Appendix No. 211.*)

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

The President presented a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay claims against the City for work heretofore done for the Department of Public Health and Charities."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Connelly presented a communication from the Director of the Department of Public Safety, requesting an appropriation to the Bureau of Fire for the purchase of an automobile for the Veterinarian and maintenance of same during the year 1912.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a further communication from the Director of the Department of Public Safety, requesting an appropriation to the Bureau of Fire, for the purchase of an automobile for the Assistant Fire Marshal and maintenance of same during the year 1912.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a further communication from the Director of the Department of Public Safety, enclosing a communication from the Chief of the Electrical Bureau, requesting authority from Councils to make use of a portion of the appropriation from Item 21-D for the purpose of installing new steam piping and connections in the power, engine and heating systems, and for the purpose of installing new incandescent lamps in City Hall.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a further communication from the Director of the Department of Public Safety, requesting an additional appropriation to the Bureau of Fire to pay bills incurred by several members of the Bureau who were

sent to Washington to compete in the First Aid to the Injured Exhibition.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a further communication from the Director of the Department of Public Safety, requesting an additional appropriation to the Bureau of Elevator Inspection, for the year 1912.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the Director of the Department of Supplies to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in payment of supplies delivered between the awarding and executing of certain contracts."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize and direct the Director of the Department of Supplies to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, certain warrants in payment for supplies heretofore furnished during the year 1912."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. C. C. Cox read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance directing that all City employees shall be paid semi-monthly."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Dripps (by request) read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Mayor for unpaid compensation to counsel for the City in the filtration suit."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to open Emilen street, from Lincoln avenue to Allen's lane, in the Twenty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Darrow read in place a bill entitled "An Ordi-

nance to open Tulpehocken street, from Osceola to Morton street, in the Twenty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to grade Tulpehocken street, from Baynton to Morton street, in the Twenty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Horn read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to pave Wyoming avenue, from Orthodox street to Adams avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Gillingham (by request) read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to change the character of paving authorized to be laid on Haworth street, from James to Eadom street."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Limeburner read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an additional appropriation to the Mayor, for the year 1912, to defray the expenses of the Safe and Sane Fourth of July Association."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Gallagher read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to open the unopened portion of Lee street, from Allegheny avenue to Westmoreland street, in the Thirty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate gasoline lamps in the Thirty-third Ward."

Which were referred to the Committee on Gas.

Mr. Pennock read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance selecting a plot of ground bounded by Race street, Fifty-seventh street and Summer street, for the health and enjoyment of the people."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, offered the following, to wit.: "Resolution to locate a gasoline lamp in alley rear 5539 Pearl street, in the Thirty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to open Fifty-fifth street, from Market to Arch street, in the Thirty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. J. S. McQuade offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate gasoline lamps in alley rear Nos. 513 and 537 N. Sixty-third street, in the Thirty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Mr. Woodill read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to locate electric lights in the Thirty-fifth Ward."

Which was referred to the Electrical Committee.

Also, offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate gasoline lamps in the Thirty-fifth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Mr. R. Smith (by request) read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Belfield avenue, from Washington lane to Tulpehocken street."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also (by request), read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to open, to its full width, north side of Chestnut street, from Twelfth to Thirteenth street, in the Ninth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the paving of the unpaved portion of Passyunk avenue, from Eighteenth street to the Schuylkill river."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Hahn read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of Public Safety (Bureau of City Property) for repaving and improving Wharton Square."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Kline read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to locate electric lights in the Thirty-eighth Ward."

Which was referred to the Electrical Committee.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to pave Fox street, from Twenty-second street to Allegheny avenue, in the Thirty-eighth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Miller read in place bills to construct sewers in the following streets in the Thirty-ninth Ward: Winton and Jackson streets, from Eighth to Ninth street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Hardart read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to regulate the having, using, storing and keeping of gasoline by public and private garages in quantities over five gallons."

Which was referred to the Committee on Police and Fire.

Mr. Connelly, Chairman of the Committee on Finance, presented a report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the Director of the Department of Public Works to employ landscape architects to advise with the Department in the preparation of plans and specifications for the completion of the improvement of the Plaza, South Broad street, and League Island Park, to provide for the supervision of the carrying out of the same, and to provide for the payment of said experts." (*Appendix No. 212.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize and direct the Director of the Department of Public Safety to draw, and the City Controller to counter-sign, a warrant to pay the Millard Construction Company twenty-six thousand two hundred and forty-two (26,242) dollars and seventy-seven (77) cents as a final settlement for work done by said company on the Fairhill High Pressure Fire Service contract." (*Appendix No. 213.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to au-

thorize and direct the Director of the Department of Public Works to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of the Millard Construction Company for four thousand three hundred and sixteen (4,316) dollars and ninety-five (95) cents for work done and material furnished under contract No. 154, Queen Lane Filters." (*Appendix No. 214.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance authorizing certain transfers in the annual appropriations to the various Bureaus in the Departments of Public Safety, Public Works, Public Health and Charities, Supplies, City Commissioners, District Attorney, Recorder of Deeds and City Treasurer, for the year 1912." (*Appendix No. 215.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with resolution annexed entitled "Resolution discharging the Committee on Finance from the further consideration of bill entitled 'An Ordinance to authorize and direct the Director of the Department of Public Safety to sell at public sale the lot or piece of ground in the Forty-first Ward of the City of Philadelphia, subject to confirmation of Councils.'" (*Appendix No. 216.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Mr. R. Smith, Chairman of the Committee on Highways, presented a report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the grading of certain streets, to be paid for out of the appropriation made from loan approved May 9, 1912." (*Appendix No. 217.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Director of the Department of Public Works to repave certain streets adjacent to hospitals." (*Appendix No. 218.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the repaving, with wood block, of certain streets, and the work incident thereto." (*Appendix No. 219.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of certain unopened portions of Almond, Fifty-sixth, Gorgas, Locust, Mifflin and Webster streets, Parkside and Susquehanna avenues." (*Appendix No. 220.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to amend the ordinance approved June 15, 1911, authorizing the laying of two rows of granite blocks adjacent to railway tracks where streets are authorized to be paved or repaved with asphalt, and to provide for payment therefor." (*Appendix No. 221.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to permit Valentine H. Smith & Co. to construct a bridge over and a tunnel under Philip street, south of Green street." (*Appendix No. 222.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to permit Berg Bros. to construct vaults under the sidewalks in front of their property on the east side of Eleventh street and on the south side of Commerce street." (*Appendix No. 223.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to permit Drueding Bros. Co. to lay a water main for fire purposes on the north side of Master street, from Orkucy to Sixth street." (*Appendix No. 224.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to prohibit the erection of steps, railings or balconies beyond the building line of the streets or highways in certain sections of the City, declaring such projections to be a nuisance, and providing a penalty for the erection thereof, and providing for the collection of the cost of removal." (*Appendix No. 225.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Director of the Department of Public Works to construct a service test roadway on the Byberry and Bensalem turnpike, from Red Lion road to City line." (*Appendix No. 226.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of the unopened portion of the south side of Chestnut street, from Thirteenth to Juniper street." (*Appendix No. 227.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Mr. Gillingham, Chairman of the Committee on Surveys, presented a report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the construction of the following main sewers: Adams avenue, Cobbs creek intercepting sewers, Cottman street, Fifty-seventh street, Frankford intercepting sewer extension in Valley street, Gunners Run relief in Indiana street, Hartwell lane, Lincoln avenue, Rittenhouse street, Rock Run sewer in Fishers avenue, Seventieth street, Shunk street and Wissahickon High Level cut-off in Stokley street." (*Appendix No. 228.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the construction of certain sewers, to be paid for out of the appropriation made from loan approved May 9, 1912." (*Appendix No. 229.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the construction of new bridges on the line of City avenue, Glenwood avenue, Sixty-fifth street, Seventy-second street, Montgomery street, Sixty-sixth avenue north, Chester avenue, Westmoreland street and Lindley avenue, and work appurtenant thereto, providing for carrying into effect such authority and authorizing the Mayor to enter security for damages to private property." (*Appendix No. 230.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to place on the City plan Alter, Bonsall, Bucknell, Charlton Church, Clymer, Delphine, Fairhill, Franklin, Helen, Latona, Laurens, Livingstone, Manton, Nippon, Randolph, Reese and Ridley streets, Lawnton and Wellens avenues." (*Appendix No. 231.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to place upon the City plan and condemn the plots of ground, with buildings and improvements thereon, situated northwest of Twenty-first and Chew streets, in the Forty-second Ward, for a public playground for the health and enjoyment of the people, and place such ground under the custody and management of the Board of Recreation." (*Appendix No. 232.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to place on the City plan, as a public park, lot of ground bounded by Buckius street, Ash street Richmond street and Bath street." (*Appendix No. 233.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to revise the grade of Forty-sixth street, from Aspen street to Brown street." (*Appendix No. 234.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the revision of the lines of Clarion street, from Wharton to Reed street." (*Appendix No. 235.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to strike from the City plan and vacate Pike street, between Tenth street and Old York road, and Eleventh street, between Erie avenue and Lycoming street." (*Appendix No. 236.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to strike from the City plan and vacate a portion of Dyott street, between Norris and Richmond streets." (*Appendix No. 237.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the revision of the intersection of Johnson street and Wissahickon avenue." (*Appendix No. 238.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the striking from the City plan of Arbutus street, from Lincoln avenue to Hortter street." (*Appendix No. 239.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Mr. Schwarz offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of request to the Philadelphia Rapid Transit Company to furnish free transportation to the members of the Select and Common Councils with their officers, the heads and chiefs of various Departments and Bureaus, Police Sergeants, Lieutenants and Captains." (*Appendix No. 240.*)

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was twice read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Mr. Deutsch offered the following, to wit: "Resolution authorizing the Joint Committee on Health and Charities to visit Wernersville, Pa." (*Appendix No. 241.*)

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was twice read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Select Council informed Common Council that they had passed resolution (Appendix No. 140) entitled "Resolution providing for the summer recess of Councils."

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred.

Mr. Connelly moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 197) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize a certain transfer in the annual appropriations to the Mayor and the City Treasurer, for the year 1912, for the purchase of standard scales for the purpose of protecting the public from the fraudulent manipulation of weights and measures."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read.

Mr. Hardart moved that the further consideration of the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Connelly moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 198), entitled "An Ordinance to authorize certain transfers in the annual appropriations to the various Bureaus in the Departments of Public Safety, Public Works, Public Health and Char-

ties, Supplies, Mayor, Clerks of Councils and City Treasurer, for the year 1912.

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read.

Also, moved to amend by striking out the words and figures: "eighty thousand three hundred and seventy-six (80,376) dollars," and inserting the words and figures: "seventy-eight thousand three hundred and seventy-six (78,376) dollars;" by striking out relative to horse carnival the words and figures: "four thousand (4,000) dollars," and inserting the words and figures: "two thousand (2,000) dollars;" by striking out the words and figures: "nine thousand (9,000) dollars," and inserting the words and figures: "seven thousand (7,000) dollars," and by striking out the words: "Public Health and Charities."

Which was agreed to.

The question being on agreeing to the section as amended,

Mr. Horn moved to further amend by striking out the following: "and for prizes and other expenses incident to the public horse carnival and exhibition to be held in Fairmount Park, in June, under the auspices of the Road Drivers' Association of Pennsylvania, two thousand (2,000) dollars; total, seven thousand (7,000) dollars."

Which was not agreed to.

The question recurring on agreeing to the section as amended.

It was agreed to.

The title was read.

Also, moved to amend by striking out the words: "Public Health and Charities."

Which was agreed to.

The title as amended was agreed to.

The amendments having been printed, by unanimous consent,

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Costello, C. C. Cox, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Howard, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McNigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Mohr, Morrison, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Ross, Simmington, R. Smith, Smithies, Stuebing, Trinkle Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—71.

NAYS—Messrs. G. D. Cox, Gourie, Horn, Renshaw, F. A. Smith—5.

Two-thirds of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Mr. Connelly moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 196) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Director of the Department of Public Works to expend balances of Item 13, Item 14 and Item 23 in the annual appropriation to the Bureau of Highways in any manner to secure the most efficient transportation of the employees of the Bureau of Highways."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The preamble was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camae, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, MeTear, Miller, Mohr, Morrison, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—78.

NAYS—None.

Two-thirds of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 199) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize certain transfers in the annual appropriations to the Departments of City Treasurer and Public Health and Charities, for the year 1912."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camae, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason,

Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, MeTear, Miller, Mohr, Morrison, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—75.

NAYS—None.

Two-thirds of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 200) entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the Director of the Department of Public Works to draw, and the City Controller to counter-sign, warrant in favor of A. K. Smith in the sum of one thousand seven hundred and forty-three (1,743) dollars and fifteen (15) cents for cleaning filters at Torresdale Station."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The preamble was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi,

McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Mohr, Morrison, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't* —77.

NAYS—None.

Two-thirds of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Mr. Gillingham moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 175) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the revision of the lines and grades and the relocation of Delaware avenue, from Christian street to Pattison avenue, and the revision of the lines and grades of streets intersecting the same or adjacent thereto."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read.

Also, moved to amend by striking out the following: "Beginning at Christian street, with a width of not less than one hundred and fifty (150) feet; thence extending southward and along the line of Vandalia (formerly Meadow) street, widening the same upon the west side to the width of one hundred and fifty (150) feet, and curving eastwardly into Commercial avenue; thence extending along the same, widening it to the width of two hundred (200) feet and curving southward into Delaware avenue at or near Porter street," and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "Beginning at or near Queen street, making Delaware avenue not less than one hundred and fifty (150) feet wide; thence of that width curving southwestwardly into Swanson street; thence southwardly, widening Swanson street upon the west side to a width of one hundred and fifty (150)

feet, to a point at or near Morris street; thence following the present line of Commercial avenue, widening the same to a width of two hundred (200) feet, to a point at or near Porter street."

Which was agreed to.

The section as amended was agreed to.

The title was read.

Also, moved to amend by striking out the word "Christian" and inserting the word "Queen."

Which was agreed to,

The title as amended was agreed to.

The amendments having been printed, by unanimous consent,

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Lineburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Mohr, Morrison, Morton, Parry, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—78.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of resolution (Appendix No. 171) entitled "Resolution of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit Henry Stapf to lay a temporary terra cotta drain in Loudon street."

Which was agreed to.

The resolution was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of resolution (Appendix No. 170) entitled "Resolution of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit C. S. Wurts to lay a temporary terra cotta drain in Clarkson street, west of Twenty-first street."

Which was agreed to.

The resolution was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Mr. Trinkle moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 205) entitled "An Ordinance declaring it to be a nuisance and making it unlawful to keep hogs or swine in the City of Philadelphia, except within certain limits; or in any part thereof, excepting in a sanitary manner; and providing penalties for the violation of this ordinance."

Which was agreed to.

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

The second section was again read, and agreed to.

The third section was again read, and agreed to.

The fourth section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Bethke, Bonnick, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, C. C. Cox, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankenfield,

Gallagher, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McGinnis, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Mohr, Morrison, Morton, Parry, Ragan, Reushaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Simmington, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—59.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Select Council informed Common Council that they had received a report from the Committee on Steam Railroads, with bill (Appendix No. 97) annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Pennsylvania Railroad Company to construct, operate and maintain a turnout or siding on the north side of Jefferson street, connecting with siding now on Jefferson street, from a point east of Thirty-first street to the west side of Thirtieth street, in the Twenty-ninth Ward," which they had passed.

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the bill.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Bonnick, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Horn, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Mohr, Morton,

Farry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—69.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Common Council proceeded to second reading of Select Council bill (Appendix No. 105) entitled "An Ordinance to condemn triangular plot of ground bounded by Haverford street, Fifty-first street and Aspen street, in the Forty-fourth Ward, for park purposes."

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

The second section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Horn, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Mohr, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—73.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed,

So Common Council concurred.

Common Council proceeded to second reading of Select Council bill (Appendix No. 123) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Connecting Railway Company, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, lessee, to construct, operate and maintain three additional tracks, and to construct and maintain a new bridge to carry said tracks and existing tracks over Girard avenue, west of the Schuylkill river."

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Cook, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Horn, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, MeTear, Miller, Mohr, Morton, Pennock, Ragan, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, R. Smith, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—68.

NAYS—Messrs. Gilson, Parry, and Weglein—3.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Select Council informed Common Council that they had passed resolution (Appendix No. 127) entitled "Resolution of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit Benjamin Isenberg to lay a temporary terra cotta drain in Ditman street, from Higbee to Comly street."

Also, informed Common Council that they had passed resolution (Appendix No. 128) entitled "Resolution of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit Chas. L. Klauder Co. to lay a temporary terra cotta drain in Lippincott street, from B street westward about 160 feet."

Also, informed Common Council that they had passed resolution (Appendix No. 129) entitled "Resolution of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit John T. Rushton to lay a temporary terra cotta drain in Palethorp street, from a point 100 feet north of Loudon street south to Loudon street, and in Loudon street, from Palethorp street to Mascher street, to connect with sewer in Mascher street."

Also, informed Common Council that they had passed resolution (Appendix No. 130) entitled "Resolution of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit Dr. C. J. Schneider to lay a temporary terra cotta drain in Rockland street, from Fifth street westward about 250 feet."

Also, informed Common Council that they had passed resolution (Appendix No. 131) entitled "Resolution of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit K. T. Cressman to lay a temporary terra cotta drain in Seventh street, from Elkins avenue to Chew street, and in Chew street, from Sixth to Seventh street."

Also, informed Common Council that they had passed resolution (Appendix No. 141) entitled "Resolution of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit R. S. Van Cleave to pave Ruffner and Yelland street, from Schuyler street to a point about 600 feet westward, at private cost."

Also, informed Common Council that they had received

a report from the Committee on Street Railways, with bill (Appendix No. 126) annexed entitled "An Ordinance granting permission to the Union Passenger Railway Company, and its lessee, the Philadelphia Rapid Transit Company, to lay a single tracks railway on Huntingdon street, between Thirty-fourth street and Ridge avenue, and also on Susquehanna avenue, from Thirty-first street to Ridge avenue, connecting with the tracks already laid at east end of said extension: and to construct, maintain and operate the overhead trolley system in connection therewith," which they had passed.

Also, informed Common Council that they had received a report from the Committee on Steam Railroads, with bill (Appendix No. 112) annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Henry Bower Chemical Manufacturing Company to construct and maintain a track or siding along the easterly side of Stanley street, in front of its property, in the Thirty-sixth Ward," which they had passed.

Also, that they had received a further report, from the same Committee, with bill (Appendix No. 113) annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Schnylkill River East Side Railroad Company to alter the tracks in Schnylkill avenue, between the present line of its railroad on the south and a point forty feet north of Reed street, in the Thirty-sixth Ward, for the purpose of giving increased siding facilities to the Philadelphia Rubber Works and to the warehouse and manufactories of Michael Ehret, Jr., & Company, and changing the tracks heretofore authorized by ordinances approved respectively on the sixth day of December, 1904, and on the seventh day of June, 1910," which they had passed.

Also, informed Common Council that they had received a report from the Committee on City Property, with bill (Appendix No. 65) annexed entitled "An Ordinance selecting and appropriating plot of ground bounded by Fifty-eighth, Fifty-ninth, Vine and Callowhill streets, in the Thirty-fourth Ward, for recreation and playground purposes," which they had passed.

Also, informed Common Council that they had received a report from the Electrical Committee, with bill (Appendix No. 125) annexed entitled "An Ordinance to change the location of electric lights in the Twenty-first and Thirty-first Wards," which they had passed.

Also, informed Common Council that they had received a report from the Committee on Water, with bill (Appendix No. 114) annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the laying of water pipe in Chew, Fallon, Gladstone, Irving, Lawrence, Roseberry, Seventh and Twenty-seventh streets, and the Boulevard," which they had passed.

Also, that they had received a further report from the same Committee, with bill (Appendix No. 124) annexed, entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the laying of water pipe in Carpenter, Catharine, Christian, Ditman, Foulkrod, Lambert, Loudon, Rockland and Webster streets and Washington avenue," which they had passed.

Also, informed Common Council that they had concurred in the following, to wit:

"An Ordinance permitting Geo. B. Newton & Co. to erect an iron stairway, connecting their office building with the Chestnut street bridge, on the south side of said bridge, east of Thirtieth street." (Appendix No. 82.)

"An Ordinance directing the Department of Public Works to require owners of property abutting on the northwest and southwest sides of Roumfort avenue, German-town avenue to Boyer street; and on Norwood street, from Mermaid lane to about 225 feet north, to set curbs and lay footway pavements on both sides of the said streets." (Appendix No. 100.)

"Resolution authorizing the Director of the Department of Public Safety to permit the Chief of the Bureau of Building Inspection to act as Secretary of a certain Commission." (Appendix No. 133.)

"An Ordinance to authorize the resetting of curb and repaving of a portion of the south side of Harlan street, between Eighteenth and Nineteenth streets." (Appendix No. 138.)

"An Ordinance selecting and appropriating a certain tract of ground in the Twenty-third Ward as a park and open public place for the health and enjoyment of the people." (Appendix No. 143.)

"Resolution of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit C. S. Wurts to lay a temporary terra cotta drain in Clarkson street, west of Twenty-first street." (Appendix No. 170.)

"Resolution of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit Henry Stapf to lay a temporary terra cotta drain in Loudon street." (Appendix No. 171.)

"Resolution of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit the Abrasive Material Co. to lay a temporary terra cotta drain in James street, from sewer in Kennedy street to northeast side of Fraley street." (Appendix No. 173.)

"An Ordinance to authorize the revision of the lines and grades and the relocation of Delaware avenue, from Queen street to Pattison avenue, and the revision of the lines and grades of streets intersecting the same or adjacent thereto." (Appendix No. 175.)

"An Ordinance authorizing the Director of the Department of Public Works to order and pay warrants for extra work to be performed by William A. Mundy in grading the Kensington and Oxford turnpike, from Levick to Knorr street." (Appendix No. 183.)

"An Ordinance to authorize the Director of the Department of Public Works to expend balances of Item 13, Item 14 and Item 23 in the annual appropriation to the Bureau of Highways in any manner to secure the most efficient transportation of the employees of the Bureau of Highways." (Appendix No. 196.)

"An Ordinance to authorize certain transfers in the annual appropriations to the various Bureaus in the Departments of Public Safety, Public Works, Supplies, Mayor, Clerks of Councils and City Treasurer, for the year 1912." (Appendix No. 198.)

"An Ordinance to authorize certain transfers in the annual appropriations to the Departments of City Treasurer and Public Health and Charities, for the year 1912." (Appendix No. 199.)

"An Ordinance authorizing the Director of the Department of Public Works to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, warrant in favor of A. K. Smith in the sum of one thousand seven hundred and forty-three (1,743) dollars and fifteen (15) cents for cleaning filters at Torresdale Station." (Appendix No. 200.)

"Resolution of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit Hamilton J. Farrell to lay a temporary terra cotta drain in Cemetery avenue, from Kingessing avenue eastward about 105 feet." (Appendix No. 206.)

"Resolution of request to the Philadelphia Rapid Transit Company to furnish free transportation to the members of the Select and Common Councils with their officers, the heads and chiefs of the various Departments and Bureaus, Police Sergeants, Lieutenants and Captains." (Appendix No. 240.)

Mr. Whitaker moved that Common Council do now adjourn.

Which was agreed to,

So Common Council adjourned.

Thursday, June 20, 1912.

Common Council met. Members present:

Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dor-man, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Humphrys, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, Mc-Carthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan, Mc-Gurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Mine-hart, Mohr, Morrison, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill and McCurdy—*Pres't.*

Mr. Whitaker moved that the Journal of the last meet-ing be approved.

Which was agreed to.

The President presented the following:

Chicago, Ill., June 20, 1912.

GEORGE McCURDY, Esq.,

President of Common Council.

Absence from town will prevent my attendance today.

ROBT. SMITH.

The Secretary to the Mayor was introduced, when he presented a message from the Mayor, transmitting a com-munication from the Director of the Department of Public

Safety relative to an appropriation for placing speeding signs in the central portion of the City. (*Appendix No. 242.*)

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

The President presented a bill entitled "An Ordinance to take, use and appropriate property bounded by Seventeenth street, the line of Appletree street, Arch street and the Parkway, and to authorize the opening of so much of the Parkway as is bounded by the line of Appletree street, the southwestwardly line of the Parkway, and a line nearly at right angles to Arch street, extending from Arch street to the line of Appletree street from a point two hundred and fifty-six and sixty-two one-hundredths of a foot east of the eastwardly side of Seventeenth street, and authorizing the entering of security for the payment of damages.

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, presented a communication from the John Bartram Association, relative to the obliteration and destruction of the signs or labels formerly placed on the more important trees in Bartram's Garden.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented communications from the Lu Lu Temple Automobile Club and Quaker City Motor Club, relative to the condition of the pavement on Broad street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Conn read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to repave Hutchinson street, from Locust to Spruce street, in the Eighth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance appropriating the sum of six thousand (6,000) dollars to the Department of Receiver of Taxes, for the purpose of purchasing computing machines, etc."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Connelly read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an additional appropriation to the Department of Supplies, for the year 1912, to provide for payment of certain bills for coal purchased in the open market in contemplation of a strike at the mines, and for demurrage incurred in connection therewith."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an additional appropriation to the Department of Supplies (Fire), for the year 1912, for bedding and furniture."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the Director of the Department of Public Health and Charities, requesting an appropriating for the care of sick and tubercular children of school age.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Morton read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Mayor, for the purchase of an oil painting of ex-Mayor John E. Reyburn."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Darrow read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to strike from the City plan and vacate Old Crefeld road, between Mermaid lane and Lincoln avenue, in the Twenty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to construct a sewer in Crefeld street, from Willow Grove avenue to Lincoln avenue, in the Twenty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to grade Crefeld street, from Willow Grove avenue to Lincoln avenue, in the Twenty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to

pave Crefeld street, from Willow Grove avenue to Lincoln avenue, in the Twenty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to lay water pipe in Crefeld street, from Willow Grove avenue to Lincoln avenue, in the Twenty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Water.

Mr. Horn read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the change of names of Adams, East Penn, West Penn, Penn, Franklin, Oxford, Cedar and Willow streets."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Gillingham (by request) read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to construct a sewer in Addison street, from Sixth street to one hundred and seventy-five feet west, in the Fifth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Gallagher read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to place Third street, from Glenwood avenue to Erie avenue, in the Thirty-third Ward, on the City plan."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Woodill read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of Public Works for the surfacing of County line, from Bustleton pike to Cemetery lane, in the Thirty-fifth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate gasoline lamps in the Thirty-fifth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to lay water pipe in Solly street, from E to F street, in the Thirty-fifth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Water.

Mr. Derr read in place bills to repave the following streets in the Thirty-seventh Ward: Twelfth and Thirteenth streets, from Somerset to Cambria street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Highways.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to resurface Glenwood avenue, from Cambria to Thirteenth street, in front of the National Biscuit Factory."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Walton read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to locate an electric light at the southwest corner Twentieth and Ruscomb streets, in the Forty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Electrical Committee.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to resurface Cheltenham avenue, from York road to Tenth street, in the Forty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. G. D. Cox read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to construct a sewer in Eighth street, from Lycoming street to Hunting Park avenue, in the Forty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Connelly, Chairman of the Committee on Finance, presented a report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize certain transfers in the annual appropriations to the various Bureaus in the Departments of Public Works, Public Safety, Public Health and Charities, Wharves, Docks and Ferries, Mayor, Coroner and City Treasurer, for the year 1912." (*Appendix No. 243.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize certain transfers out of unused balances in sundry loans in the annual appropriations to the various Bureaus in the Departments of Public Safety, Public Works, Public Health and Charities, Wharves, Docks and Ferries, Supplies, Mayor, Board of Revision of Taxes, City Commissioners, Prothonotary, District Attorney, Inspectors of the County Prisons and Commissioners of Fairmount Park, for the year 1912." (*Appendix No. 244.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to au-

thorize a certain transfer in the annual appropriations to the City Treasurer and the Department of Public Works, for the year 1912, for the preparation of maps and plans and engineering study of streams, ponds, pools, etc., and the habits of mosquitos and the best methods of eliminating same." (*Appendix No. 245.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize certain transfers in the annual appropriations to the Department of Supplies, Art Jury and Clerks of Councils, for the year 1912." (*Appendix No. 246.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the construction of buildings for the care of feeble-minded persons, on property owned by the City, at Byberry, west of Bensalem pike and north of South Hampton road." (*Appendix No. 247.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the settlement of claims for damages to real and personal property occasioned by a break in the water mains in Eva street near Shawmont avenue, Roxborough, on November 28, 1911, and authorizing a transfer in the annual appropriations to the Department of Public Works and City Treasurer for the payment of such damages, and authorizing the drawing, countersigning and delivery of warrants in satisfaction thereof." (*Appendix No. 248.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the purchase of properties Nos. 1615 to 1623 Ruffner street for bath house purposes." (*Appendix No. 249.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with resolution annexed entitled "Resolution dis-

charging the Committee on Finance from the further consideration of the bill entitled 'An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Mayor for unpaid compensation to counsel for the City in the filtration suit.'” (*Appendix No. 250.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Mr. Costello, acting Chairman of the Committee on Highways, presented a report, with bill annexed entitled “An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Bonsall, Camac, Cambridge, Delancey, Dickinson, Eleventh, Fifteenth, Fifty-fourth, Franklin, Judson, Locust, Ludlow, Markoe, Marvinne, Media, Mercer, Ninth, Pike, Sixty-fifth, Twelfth, Twenty-third, Ardleigh, Coral, Dexter, Seville, Ditman, Division, Howarth, Norwood, Pratt, Seventy-first, Sprague, Allengrove and Oakland streets, Buist, Windrim and Mt. Pleasant avenues.” (*Appendix No. 251.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled “An Ordinance to take, use and appropriate property bounded by Seventeenth street, the line of Appletree street, Arch street and the Parkway, and to authorize the opening of so much of the Parkway as is bounded by the line of Appletree street, the southwestwardly line of the Parkway, and a line nearly at right angles to Arch street, extending from Arch street to the line of Appletree street, from a point two hundred and fifty-six and sixty-two one-hundredths of a foot east of the eastwardly side of Seventeenth street, and authorizing the entering of security for the payment of damages.” (*Appendix No. 252.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled “An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Markoe street, from Chestnut to Walnut street.” (*Appendix No. 253.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Mr. Dorman offered the following, to wit: “Resolution of request to the Director of the Department of Public

Works to permit Thomas Killough to construct a temporary terra cotta drain in Irving street, from Sixty-first street westward about one hundred and seventy-five feet." (*Appendix No. 254.*)

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was twice read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Mr. Conn offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit Charles E. Jenkins to improve and beautify a portion of the sidewalk on the west side of West Washington Square and the south side of South Washington Square, in the Eighth Ward." (*Appendix No. 255.*)

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was twice read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Mr. Connelly offered the following, to wit: "Resolution authorizing the crediting of certain payments made to the City by the Board of Public Education of the proportion due by said Board for the principal and interest of its share of indebtedness to Item 16 of the appropriation to the Department of City Treasurer, for the year 1912, and directing the presentation of this resolution to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval." (*Appendix No. 256.*)

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was twice read, and agreed to.

The preamble was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, Cahill, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Darrow, Derr, Diamond, Dorman, Dewart, Dripps, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gil-

son, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Horn, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Van Houten, Voigt, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—64.

NAYS—None.

Two-thirds of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the resolution passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of resolution (Appendix No. 216) entitled "Resolution discharging the Committee on Finance from the further consideration of bill entitled 'An Ordinance to authorize and direct the Director of the Department of Public Safety to sell at public sale the lot or piece of ground in the Forty-first Ward of the City of Philadelphia, subject to the confirmation of Councils.'"

Which was agreed to.

The resolution was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 201) entitled "An Ordinance authorizing and empowering the Director of the Department of Wharves, Docks and Ferries to adjust the claim of the Italia Societa di Navigazione a'Vapore, Hartfield, Solari & Company, General Agents, by temporary and partial abatement of rent."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The preamble was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, Cahill, Canac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankensfield, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Humphrys, Kelley, Kline, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—74.

NAYS—None.

Two-thirds of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 212) entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the Director of the Department of Public Works to employ expert landscape architects to advise with the Department in the preparation of plans and specifications for the completion of the improvement of the Plaza, South Broad street and League Island Park, to provide for the supervision of the carrying out of the same, and to provide for the payment of the said experts."

Which was agreed to.

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

The second section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Darrow, Derr, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morrison, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy. *Pres't*—74.

NAYS—None.

Two-thirds of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 215) entitled "An Ordinance authorizing certain transfers in the annual appropriations to the various Bureaus in the Departments of Public Safety, Public Works, Public Health and Charities, Supplies, City Commissioners, District Attorney, Recorder of Deeds and City Treasurer, for the year 1912."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage.

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello,

C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Darrow, Derr, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morrison, Morton, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—74.

NAYS—Mr. Parry—1.

Two-thirds of the members elected having voted in the affirmative.

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Mr. Parry presented the following:

I vote "No" on the principle that I do not know for what I am voting, because of not receiving proceedings until the last minute before the meeting of Councils.

G. C. PARRY.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 213) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize and direct the Director of the Department of Public Safety to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant to pay the Millard Construction Company twenty-six thousand two hundred and forty-two (26,242) dollars and seventy-seven (77) cents as final settlement for work done by said company on the Fairhill High Pressure Fire Service contract."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The preamble was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage.

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, Cahill, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Humphrys, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morton, Parry, Ragan, Ruedinger, Schwarz, Smithies, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy. *Pres't*—64.

NAYS—Messrs. Camac, G. D. Cox, Eldredge, Gourie, Kreider, Renshaw, Ross, Simmington, F. A. Smith, Stauffer, Walton—11.

Two-thirds of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 214) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize and direct the Director of the Department of Public Works to draw, and the City Controller to counter-sign, a warrant in favor of the Millard Construction Company for four thousand three hundred and sixteen (4,316) dollars and ninety-five (95) cents for work done and material furnished under Contract No. 154, Queen Lane Filters."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The preamble was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Dorman, Dewart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Humphrys, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morrison, Morton, Ragan, Ruedinger, Schwarz, Smithies, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—69.

NAYS—Messrs. Renshaw, Simmington, F. A. Smith—3.

Two-thirds of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Mr. Gillingham moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 228) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the construction of the following main sewers: Adams avenue, Cobbs Creek intercepting sewers, Cottman street, Fifty-seventh street, Frankford intercepting sewer extension in Valley street, Gunners Run Relief in Indiana street, Hartwell lane, Lincoln avenue, Rittenhouse street, Rock Run sewer in Fisher avenue, Seventieth street, Shunk street and Wissahickon High Level cut-off in Stokley street."

Which was agreed.

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

The second section was again read, and agreed to.

The third section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Humphrys, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morrison, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—78.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 237) entitled "An Ordinance to strike from the City plan and vacate a portion of Dyott street, between Norris and Richmond streets."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins,

Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Humphrys, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morrison, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—78.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 229) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the construction of certain sewers, to be paid for out of the appropriation made from loan approved May 9, 1912."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Humphrys, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morrison, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A.

Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—79.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative.

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 230) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the construction of new bridges on the line of City avenue, Glenwood avenue, Sixty-fifth street, Seventy-second street, Montgomery street, Sixty-sixth avenue north, Chester avenue, Westmoreland street and Lindley avenue, and work appurtenant thereto, providing for carrying into effect such authority, and authorizing the Mayor to enter security for damages to private property."

Which was agreed to.

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

The second section was again read, and agreed to.

The third section was again read, and agreed to.

The fourth section was again read, and agreed to.

The fifth section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Humphrys, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy,

McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morrison, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walton, Ward, Weglein Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—78.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative.

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 231) entitled "An Ordinance to place on the City plan Alter, Bonsall, Bucknell, Charlton, Church, Clymer, Delphine, Fairhill, Franklin, Helen, Latona, Laurens, Livingstone, Manton, Nippon, Randolph, Reese and Ridley streets, Lawnton and Wellens avenues."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

NAYS—Messrs. Baizley, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dewart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Humphrys, Keene, Kelly, Kline, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morton, Parry, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle,

Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—73.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative.

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Mr. Costello moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 217) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the grading of certain streets, to be paid for out of the appropriation made from loan approved May 9, 1912."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read.

Also, moved to amend by inserting on page 536 before the word "together" the following: "Duncannon avenue, from Second to Fifth street; Hunting Park avenue, from a point west of Wissahickon avenue to Allegheny avenue; Fox street, from Allegheny avenue to Abbottsford avenue; Mercer street, from Buckius to Lefevre street."

Which was agreed to.

The section as amended was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The amendments having been printed, by unanimous consent,

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Humphrys, Keene,

Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morrison, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—78.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 218) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Director of the Department of Public Works to repave certain streets adjacent to hospitals."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gouric, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Humphrys, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morrison, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead,

Van Houten, Voigt, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—78.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 224) entitled "An Ordinance to permit Drueding Bros. Co. to lay a water main, for fire purposes, on the north side of Master street, from Orkney to Sixth street."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Humphrys, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morrison, Morton, Parry, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—77.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 219) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the repaving, with wood blocks of certain streets, and the work incident thereto."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Humphrys, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morrison, Morton, Parry, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—76.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 222) entitled "An Ordinance to permit Valentine H. Smith & Co. to construct a bridge over and a tunnel under Philip street, south of Green street."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankenhof, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Humphrys, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morrison, Morton, Parry, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—77.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Mr. Miller moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 204) entitled "An Ordinance relating to minors working in the streets and public places in Philadelphia."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read,

Also, moved that the bill be recommitted to the Committee on Police and Fire.

Which was agreed to.

Common Council proceeded to second reading of Select Council bill (Appendix No. 113) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Schuylkill River East Side Railroad Company to alter the tracks in Schuylkill avenue, between

the present line of its railroad on the south and a point forty feet north of Reed street, in the Thirty-sixth Ward, for the pupose of giving increased siding facilities to the Philadelphia Rubber Works and to the warehouse and manufactories of Michael Ehret, Jr., & Company, and changing the tracks heretofore authorized by ordinances approved respectively on the sixth day of December, 1904, and on the seventh day of June, 1910."

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankensfield, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Humphrys, Kcene, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minchart, Mohr, Morrison, Morton, Parry, Ragan, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Houten, Voigt, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—77.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Select Council informed Common Council that they had passed resolution (Appendix No. 157) entitled "Resolution relative to accepting a gift of a mask or mouthpiece for a drinking fountain from Mrs. Lucy Pancoast Smith."

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred.

Also, informed Common Council that they had passed resolution (Appendix No. 158) entitled "Resolution authorizing the Joint Committee on Water to visit the various pumping stations and filtration stations of the Bureau of Water and to pay the expenses of same out of Item 7 in the annual appropriation to the Clerks of Councils."

Also, informed Common Council that they had received a report from the Committee on City Property, with bill (Appendix No. 63) annexed entitled "An Ordinance to set aside the lots or premises numbered 2407, 2409, 2411, 2413, 2415 and 2417 South Broad street, in the Thirtieth Ward of the City of Philadelphia, for the exclusive use of a branch of the Free Library of Philadelphia," which they had passed.

Also, that they had received a further report from the same Committee, with bill (Appendix No. 135) annexed entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the Director of the Department of Public Safety to offer at public sale and enter into a lease for the space under Walnut street bridge, between Thirtieth street and the Schuylkill river," which they had passed.

Also, that they had received a further report from the same Committee, with bill (Appendix No. 137) annexed entitled "An Ordinance to transfer the custody and control of property heretofore used as the water works at Chestnut Hill, known as Chestnut Hill Reservoir, from the Department of Public Safety (Bureau of City Property) to the Board of Recreation (Department of Recreation)," which they had passed.

Also, informed Common Council that they had received a report from the Electrical Committee, with bill (Appendix No. 138) annexed entitled "An Ordinance author-

izing and directing the Department of Public Safety (Electrical Bureau) to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants for the payment of electric lights herein authorized," which they had passed.

Also, informed Common Council that they had received a report from the Committee on Steam Railroads, with bill (Appendix No. 139) annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Philadelphia and Reading Railway Company, lessees of the Philadelphia and Reading Terminal Railroad Company, to construct a bridge over Spring Garden street," which they had passed.

Also, informed Common Council that they had concurred in the following, to wit:

"An Ordinance declaring it to be a nuisance and making it unlawful to keep hogs or swine in the City of Philadelphia, except within certain limits; or in any part thereof, excepting in a sanitary manner; and providing penalties for the violation of this ordinance." (Appendix No. 205.)

"An Ordinance authorizing the Director of the Department of Public Works to employ expert landscape architects to advise with the Department in the preparation of plans and specifications for the completion of the improvement of the Plaza, South Broad street and League Island Park, to provide for the supervision of the carrying out of the same, and to provide for the payment of the said experts." (Appendix No. 212.)

"An Ordinance to authorize and direct the Director of the Department of Public Safety to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant to pay the Millard Construction Company twenty-six thousand two hundred and forty-two ((26,242) dollars and seventy-seven (77) cents as final settlement for work done by said company on the Fairhill High Pressure Fire Service contract." (Appendix No. 213.)

"An Ordinance to authorize and direct the Director of the Department of Public Works to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of the Millard Construction Company for four thousand three hun-

dred and sixteen (4,316) dollars and ninety-five (95) cents for work done and material furnished under Contract No. 154, Queen Lane Filters." (Appendix 214.)

"An Ordinance authorizing certain transfers in the annual appropriations to the various Bureaus in the Departments of Public Safety, Public Works, Public Health and Charities, Supplies, City Commissioners, District Attorney, Recorder of Deeds and City Treasurer, for the year 1912." (Appendix No. 215.)

"Resolution discharging the Committee on Finance from the further consideration of bill entitled 'An Ordinance to authorize and direct the Director of the Department of Public Safety to sell at public sale the lot or piece of ground in the Forty-first Ward of the City of Philadelphia, subject to the confirmation of Councils.'" Appendix No. 216.)

"An Ordinance to authorize the grading of certain streets, to be paid for out of the appropriation made from loan approved May 9, 1912." (Appendix No. 217.)

"An Ordinance to authorize the Director of the Department of Public Works to repave certain streets adjacent to hospitals." (Appendix No. 218.)

"An Ordinance to authorize the repaving, with wood blocks of certain streets, and the work incident thereto." (Appendix No. 219.)

"An Ordinance to permit Valentine H. Smith & Co. to construct a bridge over and a tunnel under Philip street, south of Green street." (Appendix No. 222.)

"An Ordinance to authorize the construction of the following main sewers: Adams avenue, Cobbs Creek intercepting sewers, Cottman street, Fifty-seventh street, Frankford intercepting sewer extension in Valley street, Gunners Run Relief in Indiana street, Hartwell lane, Lincoln avenue, Rittenhouse street, Rock Run sewer in Fisher avenue, Seventieth street, Shunk street and Wisahickon High Level cut-off in Stokley street." (Appendix No. 228.)

"An Ordinance to authorize the construction of certain sewers, to be paid for out of the appropriation made from loan approved May 9, 1912." (Appendix No. 229.)

"An Ordinance to authorize the construction of new bridges on the line of City avenue, Glenwood avenue, Sixty-fifth street, Seventy-second street, Montgomery street, Sixty-sixth avenue north, Chester avenue, Westmoreland street and Lindley avenue, and work appurtenant thereto, providing for carrying into effect such authority, and authorizing the Mayor to enter security for damages to private property." (Appendix No. 230.)

"An Ordinance to strike from the City plan and vacate a portion of Dyott street, between Norris and Richmond street." (Appendix No. 237.)

"Resolution authorizing the crediting of certain payments made to the City by the Board of Public Education of the proportion due by said Board for the principal and interest of its share of indebtedness to Item 16 of the appropriation to the Department of City Treasurer for the year 1912, and directing the presentation of this resolution to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval." (Appendix No. 256.)

Mr. Morton moved that Common Council do now adjourn.

Which was agreed to.

So Common Council adjourned.

Thursday, June 27, 1912.

A Special Meeting of Common Council was held this day, pursuant to the following call:

Philadelphia, June 24, 1912.

MR. WILLIAM H. FELTON,
Chief Clerk of Common Council.

DEAR SIR:—Please call a Special Meeting of Common Council on Thursday next, 27th inst., at 10.30 A. M., for the transaction of general business.

Very truly yours,

GEORGE McCURDY,
President of Common Council.

Members present:

Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankenhof, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Humphrys, Jenkinson, Kelley, Kline Kreider Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Rue-dinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't.*

Mr. Umstead moved that the Journal of the last meeting be approved.

Which was agreed to.

The President presented the following:

Atlantic City, June 26, 1912.

GEORGE McCURDY, Esq.,

President of Common Council.

DEAR SIR:—Will you kindly excuse me from attending meeting of Common Council Thursday, June 27, as I am unavoidably detained out of the City.

Very truly yours,

SIMON WALTER.

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Chicago, June 24, 1912.

GEORGE McCURDY, Esq.,

President of Common Council.

DEAR SIR:—Owing to business engagement at this point, I will be unable to attend session of Council on June 27th, and will ask to be excused.

Yours very truly,

WM. H. CROSS.

The Secretary to the Mayor was introduced, when he presented a message from the Mayor, enclosing a communication from the Director of the Department of Public Health and Charities, requesting an appropriation of \$15,000 to check an epidemic of smallpox. (*Appendix No. 257.*)

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a further message from the Mayor, calling the attention of Councils to two ordinances providing for the transfer of the Bureau of City Property to the Department of Public Works, and asking for their passage. (*Appendix No. 258.*)

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. R. Smith moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 168) entitled "An Ordinance directing the Department of Public Works to require owners of property abutting on both sides of Creffield street, from Springfield avenue to Willow Grove avenue; on the northwest side of Parkside avenue, from Bryn Mawr avenue to Monument road; on the east side of Fifty-second street, from Overbrook avenue to Woodbine avenue; and on both sides of Fifty-third street, from Wynnefield avenue to a point north of Woodbine avenue, to connect with the footways already laid, to set curbs and lay footway pavements."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Camac, Conn, Connelly, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Frankenfield, Gallagher, Gilson, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Horn, Humphrys, Jenkinson, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ross, Schwarz, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Stuebing, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walton, Ward, Whitaker, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—57.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 220) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of certain portions of Almond,

Fifty-sixth, Gorgas, Locust, Mifflin and Webster streets, Parkside and Susquehanna avenues."

Which was agreed to.

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

The second section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Camac, Conn, Connelly, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Frankenfield, Gallagher, Gilson, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Horn, Humphrys, Jenkinson, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ross, Schwarz, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Stuebing, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walton, Ward, Whitaker, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—57.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 221) entitled "An Ordinance to amend the ordinance approved June 15, 1911, authorizing the laying of two rows of granite blocks adjacent to railway tracks where streets are authorized to be paved or repaved with asphalt, and to provide for payment therefor."

Which was agreed to.

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

The second section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,
And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Camac, Conn, Connelly, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dormau, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Frankenfield, Gallagher, Gilson, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Horn, Humphrys, Jenkinson, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ross, Schwarz, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Stuebing, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—61.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 227) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of the unopened portion of the south side of Chestnut street, from Thirteenth to Juniper street."

Which was agreed to.

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

The second section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Camac, Conn, Connelly, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart,

Dripps, Eldredge, Frankenfield, Gallagher, Gilson, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Horn, Humphrys, Jenkinson, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ross, Schwarz, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Stuebing, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—61.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 223) entitled "An Ordinance to permit Berg Bros. to construct vaults under the sidewalks in front of their property on the east side of Eleventh street and on the south side of Commerce street."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cooper, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Frankenfield, Gallagher, Gilson, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Horn, Humphrys, Jenkinson, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Stuebing, Um-

stead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—63.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 225) entitled "An Ordinance to prohibit the erection of steps, railings or balconies beyond the building line of the streets or highways in a certain section of the City; declaring such projections to be a nuisance, and providing a penalty for the erection thereof, and providing for the collection of the cost of removal."

Which was agreed to.

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

The second section was again read, and agreed to.

The third section was again read, and agreed to.

The fourth section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Camac, Conn, Connelly, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Frankenfield, Gallagher, Gilson, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Horn, Humphrys, Jenkinson, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Stauffer, Stue-

bing, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—63.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 226) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Director of the Department of Public Works to construct a service test roadway on the Byberry and Bensalem turnpike, from Red Lion road to City line."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The preamble was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankensfield, Gallagher, Gilson, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Horn, Humphrys, Jenkinson, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minchart, Mohr, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—68.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 253) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Markoe street, from Chestnut to Walnut street."

Which was agreed to.

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

The second section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankensfield, Gallagher, Gilson, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Horn, Humphrys, Jenkinson, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—68.

NAYS—None. .

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 232) entitled "An Ordinance to place on the City plan and condemn the plots of ground with buildings and improvements thereon, situated northwest of Twenty-first and Chew streets, in the Forty-second Ward, for a public playground for the health and enjoy-

ment of the people, and place such ground under the custody and management of the Board of Recreation."

Which was agreed to.

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

The second section was again read, and agreed to.

The third section was again read, and agreed to.

The fourth section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankensfield, Gallagher, Gilson, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Horn, Humphrys, Jenkinson, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGinnis, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minchart, Mohr, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—68.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 233) entitled "An Ordinance to place on the City plan as a public park lot of ground bounded by Buckins street, Ash street, Richmond street, and Bath street."

Which was agreed to,

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankensfield, Gallagher, Gilson, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Horn, Humphrys, Jenkinson, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minchart, Mohr, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—68.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 238) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the revision of the intersection of Johnson street and Wissahickon avenue."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankentfield, Gallagher, Gilson, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Horn, Humphrys, Jenkinson, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—69.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative, .

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 234) entitled "An Ordinance to revise the grade of Forty-sixth street, from Aspen street to Brown street."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankentfield, Gallagher, Gilson, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Horn, Humphrys, Jenkinson, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear,

Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, Williams, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—69.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 235) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the revision of the lines of Clarion street, from Wharton to Reed street."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankensfield, Gallagher, Gilson, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Horn, Humphrys, Jenkinson, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—69.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,
And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 236) entitled "An Ordinance to strike from the City plan and vacate Pike street, between Tenth street and Old York road, and Eleventh street, between Erie avenue and Lycoming street."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankensfield, Gallagher, Gilson, Gonrie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Humphrys, Jenkinson, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—69.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,
And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 239) entitled "An Ordinance

to authorize the striking from the City plan of Arbutus street, from Lincoln avenue to Hortter street."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gallagher, Gilson, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Humphrys, Jenkinson, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, MeTear, Miller, Minchart, Mohr, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—71.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 251) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Bonsall, Camac, Cambridge, Delancey, Dickinson, Eleventh, Fifteenth, Fifty-fourth, Franklin, Judson, Locust, Ludlow, Markoe, Marvine, Media, Mercer, Ninth, Pike, Sixty-fifth, Twelfth, Twenty-third, Ardleigh, Coral, Dexter, Seville, Ditman, Division, Howarth, Norwood, Pratt, Seventy-first, Sprague, Allengrove and Oakland streets, Buist, Windrim and Mt, Pleasant avenues."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read.

Also, moved to amend by inserting before the words "Buist avenue" the words "Wolf street, from Passyunk avenue to Twenty-third street."

Also, by inserting after the words "Filbertine, with vitrified brick gutters," the following: "West Hortter street, of the width between curb line as now physically opened, from Germantown avenue to Quincy street, with macadam, with brick gutters."

Which was agreed to.

The section as amended was agreed to.

The title was read.

Also, moved to amend by inserting before the word "Ardleigh" the word "Wolf," and after the word "Oakland" the words "West Hortter."

Which was agreed to.

The title as amended was agreed to.

The amendments having been printed, by unanimous consent,

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankensfield, Gallagher, Gilson, Gourie, Gubbins, Halm, Hardart, Horn, Humphrys, Jenkinson, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*
—71.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,
And the bill passed.

Common Council proceeded to second reading of Select Council bill (Appendix No. 114) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the laying of water pipe in Chew, Fallon, Gladstone, Irving, Lawrence, Roseberry, Seventh and Twenty-seventh streets, and the Boulevard."

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankensfield, Gallagher, Gilson, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Humphrys, Jenkinson, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, MeTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—71.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,
And the bill passed.
So Common Council concurred.

Also, proceeded to second reading of Select Council bill (Appendix No. 124) entitled "An Ordinance to au-

thorize the laying of water pipe in Carpenter, Catharine, Christian, Ditman, Foulkrod, Lambert, Loudon, Rockland and Webster streets and Washington avenue."

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was read.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankensfield, Gallagher, Gilson, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Humphrys, Jenkinson, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, MeTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—71.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Also, proceeded to second reading of Select Council bill (Appendix No. 65) entitled "An Ordinance selecting and appropriating plot of ground bounded by Fifty-eighth, Fifty-ninth, Vine and Callowhill streets, in the Thirty-fourth Ward, for recreation and playground purposes."

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

The second section was again read, and agreed to.

The third section was again read, and agreed to.

The fourth section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankensfield, Gallagher, Gilson, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Humphrys, Jenkinson, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, MeTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—71.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative.

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Also, proceeded to second reading of Select Council bill (Appendix No. 137) entitled "An Ordinance to transfer the custody and control of property heretofore used as the water works at Chestnut Hill, known as Chestnut Hill Reservoir, from the Department of Public Safety (Bureau of City Property) to the Board of Recreation (Department of Recreation)."

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

The second section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankensfield, Gallagher, Gilson, Gleason, Gouric, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Humphrys, Jenkinson, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—73.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Also, proceeded to second reading of Select Council bill (Appendix No. 138) entitled "An Ordinance authorizing and directing the Department of Public Safety (Electrical Bureau) to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants for the payment of electric lights herein authorized."

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankensfield, Gallagher, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Humphrys, Jenkinson, Kline, Krcider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minchart, Mohr, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—71.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative.

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Also, proceeded to second reading of Select Council bill (Appendix No. 63) entitled "An Ordinance to set aside the lots or premises numbered 2407, 2409, 2411, 2413, 2415 and 2417 South Broad street, in the Thirty-ninth Ward of the City of Philadelphia, for the exclusive use of a branch of the Free Library of Philadelphia."

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The preamble was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankensfield, Gallagher, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn,

Hardart, Horn, Howard, Humphrys, Jenkinson, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—72.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative.

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Also, proceeded to second reading of Select Council bill (Appendix No. 139) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Philadelphia and Reading Railway Company, lessees of the Philadelphia and Reading Terminal Railroad Company, to construct a bridge over Spring Garden street."

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankensfield, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Humphrys, Jenkinson, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies,

Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—72.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Also, proceeded to second reading of Select Council bill (Appendix No. 135) entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the Director of the Department of Public Safety to offer at public sale and enter into a lease for the space under Walnut street bridge, between Thirtieth street and the Schuylkill river."

The first and only section was again read.

Mr. Connelly moved to amend by striking out the words "Public Safety" and inserting the words, Wharves, Docks and Ferries."

Which was agreed to.

The section as amended was agreed to.

The title was read.

Also, moved to amend by striking out the words "Public Safety" and inserting the words "Wharves, Docks and Ferries."

Which was agreed to.

The title as amended was agreed to.

The amendments having been printed, by unanimous consent,

The bill was read a third time.

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond,

Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankenhfield, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Humphrys, Jenkinson, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—74.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

So Common Council concurred with an amendment.

Also, proceeded to second reading of Select Council bill (Appendix No. 125) entitled "An Ordinance to change the location of electric lights in the Twenty-first and Thirty-first Wards."

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cabill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankenhfield, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Humphrys, Jenkinson, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A.

Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—74.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Also, proceeded to second reading of Select Council bill (Appendix No. 112) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Henry Bower Chemical Manufacturing Company to construct and maintain a track or siding along the easterly side of Stanley street, in front of its property, in the Thirty-sixth Ward."

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankensfield, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Humphrys, Jenkinson, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, MeTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Reishaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—74.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Also, proceeded to second reading of Select Council bill (Appendix No. 66) entitled "An Ordinance selecting and appropriating a certain piece of ground situated in the Thirty-sixth Ward for park and playground purposes."

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

The second section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Derman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankenhield, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Humphrys, Jenkinson, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, Woodill, and McCurdy. *Pres't*—74.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Also, proceeded to second reading of Select Council bill (Appendix No. 57) entitled "An Ordinance to permit the Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington Railroad Company (Central Division) to lay a siding on the southeast side of said railroad, southeast of Hoffman avenue."

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankensfield, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Humphrys, Jenkinson, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minhart, Mohr, Morton, Parry, Pennoek, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—74.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Also, proceeded to second reading of Select Council bill (Appendix No. 126) entitled "An Ordinance granting permission to the Union Passenger Railway Company, and its lessee, the Philadelphia Rapid Transit Company, to lay a single track railway on Huntingdon street, between Thirty-fourth street and Ridge avenue, and also on Sus-

quehanna avenue, from Thirty-first street to Ridge avenue, connecting with the tracks already laid at each end of said extension; and to construct, maintain, and operate the overhead trolley system in connection therewith.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Darrow, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Humphrys, Jenkinson, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Morton, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—70.

NAYS—Messrs. Gilson, Parry, Trinkle—3.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Also, proceeded to second reading of Select Council resolution (Appendix No. 127) entitled "Resolution of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit Benjamin Isenberg to lay a temporary terra cotta drain in Dittman street, from Higbee street to Comly street."

The resolution was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred.

Also, proceeded to second reading of Select Council resolution (Appendix No. 128) entitled "Resolution of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit the Chas. L. Klauder Co. to lay a temporary terra cotta drain in Lippincott street, from B street westward about 160 feet."

The resolution was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred.

Also, proceeded to second reading of Select Council resolution (Appendix No. 129) entitled "Resolution of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit John T. Rushton to lay a temporary terra cotta drain in Palethorpe street, from a point 100 feet north of Loudon street south to Loudon street, and in Loudon street, from Palethorpe street to Mascher street, to connect with the sewer in Mascher street."

The resolution was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred.

Also, proceeded to second reading of Select Council resolution (Appendix No. 130) entitled "Resolution of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit Dr. C. J. Schneider to lay a temporary terra cotta drain in Rockland street, from Fifth street westward about 250 feet."

The resolution was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred.

Also, proceeded to second reading of Select Council resolution (Appendix No. 131) entitled "Resolution of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit K. T. Cressman to lay a temporary terra cotta drain in Seventh street, from Elkins avenue to Chew street, and in Chew street, from Sixth to Seventh street."

The resolution was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred.

Also, proceeded to second reading of Select Council resolution (Appendix No. 141) entitled "Resolution of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit R. S. Van Cleave to pave Ruffner and Yelland streets, from Schuyler street to a point about 600 feet westward, at private cost."

The resolution was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred.

Mr. Connelly offered the following, to wit: "Resolution relative to the approval of schedules, bills, and contracts during the summer recess of Councils." (*Appendix No. 259.*)

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was twice read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Mr. F. A. Smith offered the following, to wit: "Resolution of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit James Kissick to lay a temporary terra cotta drain in Chancellor street, from Fifty-ninth to Sixtieth street." (*Appendix No. 260.*)

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was twice read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Mr. Hahn offered the following, to wit: "Resolution authorizing the Joint Committee on Soldiers' Monument to visit Antietam Battlefield in September next, on the 50th anniversary of said battle, and directing the presentation of this resolution to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval." (*Appendix No. 261.*)

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was twice read, and agreed to.

The preamble was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The resolution was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows :

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Betlike, Bonnick, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dewart, Eldredge, Flynn, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Horn, Howard, Jenkinson, Keene, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, McCloskey, McElroy, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, Miller, Minehart, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Stauffer, Stubing, Trinkle, Umstead, Voigt, Ward, Weglein, and Woodill—58.

NAYS—None.

Two-thirds of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the resolution passed.

Mr. Connelly, Chairman of the Committee on Finance, presented a report, with bill annexed, entitled "An Ordinance changing the titles of certain officials in the Bureau of Fire." (*Appendix No. 262.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to transfer all balances remaining to the credit of Item 19 in the annual appropriation to the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Highways) for the maintenance of automobiles during 1912, and Item 6, Bureau of Surveys, for horse keep and keep of automobiles, to Item 4, Director's Office, Department of Public Works, for maintenance and equipment of automobiles and uniforms for chauffeurs." (*Appendix No. 263.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the Director of the Department of Supplies to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in payment for coal purchased in the open market in contemplation of a strike at the mines, and for coal heretofore furnished for the City Ice Boats, during the year 1912." (*Appendix No. 264.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize certain transfers in the annual appropriations to the various Bureaus in the Departments of Public Safety, Public Works, Public Health and Charities, Supplies, City Commissioners, City Controller, Clerks of Councils, Law, Board of Revision of Taxes, Register of Wills and City Treasurer, for the year 1912." (*Appendix No. 265.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Also, from the same Committee, presented a further report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the Director of the Department of Supplies to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in payment of supplies delivered between the awarding and executing of certain contracts." (*Appendix No. 266.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Mr. R. Smith, Chairman of the Committee on Highways, presented a report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the repaving of Reed street, from Broad to Fifteenth street." (*Appendix No. 267.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Mr. Gillingham, Chairman of the Committee on Surveys, presented a report, with bill annexed entitled "An Ordinance to strike from the City plan Carlisle street, as now located, from Fishers avenue to Somerville avenue, and to place on the plan in lieu thereof Delphine and Mayfair streets, from Broad to Fifteenth street." (*Appendix No. 268.*)

Which was laid over to be printed.

Mr. Whitaker moved that Common Council take a recess until 2.30 P. M.

Which was agreed to.

The hour of 2.30 P. M. having arrived, the President called Common Council to order.

Mr. Gillingham moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 52) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the revision of the lines and grades of Huron and Telner streets and the intersection of Huron street, Telner street and St. Martins line."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, Cahill, Connelly, C. C. Cox, Darrow Derr, Diamond, Dorman, Dewart, Dripps, Flynn, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Howard, Jenkinson, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCloskey, McElroy, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, Minehart, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ross, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Walton, Ward, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—49.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 102) entitled "An Ordinance

to strike from the City plan Daniel street, from Kingsley street to Washington lane."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, Cahill, Connelly, C. C. Cox, Darrow, Derr, Diamond, Dorman, Dewart, Dripps, Flynn, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Howard, Jenkinson, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCloskey, McElroy, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, Minehart, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ross, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—51.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Select Council informed Common Council that they had concurred in Common Council bill (Appendix No. 231) entitled "An Ordinance to place on the City plan Alter, Bonsall, Bucknell, Charlton, Church, Clymer, Delphine, Fairhill, Franklin, Helen, Latona, Laurens, Livingstone, Manton, Nippon, Randolph, Reese and Ridley streets, Lawnton and Wellens avenues," with the following amendment: By striking out on the 21st line the following: "Laurens street, of the width of fifty feet, from Mauheim to Clapier street;" by striking out on line 4, page 565, the word "Laurens," and amending the title by striking out the word "Laurens."

The question being on agreeing to the amendment of Select Council,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, Cahill, Connelly, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Flynn, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Howard, Jenkinson, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCloskey, McElroy, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, Minchart, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ross, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—53.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred in the amendment of Select Council.

Also, informed Common Council that they had passed resolution (Appendix No. 166) entitled "Resolution of request to the Mayor to return to Select Council, Select Council bill (Appendix No. 105) entitled "An Ordinance to condemn triangular plot of ground bounded by Haverford street, Fifty-first street and Aspen street, in the Forty-fourth Ward, for park purposes.'"

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred.

Also, informed Common Council that they had passed resolution (Appendix No. 162) entitled "Resolution of request to the Director of the Department of Public Safety to direct the course of Pennypack creek north of the stables of the House of Correction, by digging a canal to connect same with the Delaware river."

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred.

Also, informed Common Council that they had received a report from the Committee on Street Railways, with resolution (Appendix No. 154) annexed entitled "Resolution of request to the Philadelphia Rapid Transit Company to extend its railway tracks on Torresdale avenue, from Cottman street to Blakiston street," which they had passed.

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred.

Also, informed Common Council that they had received a report from the Committee on Law, with bill (Appendix No. 156) annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Department of Public Works to strike from their books all charges for water rent and penalties for the year 1911 against property No. 406 Wharton street, occupied by the Jewish Consumptive Hospital," which they had passed.

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the bill.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, Cahill, Camac, Connelly, Cooper, C. C. Cox, Darrow, Derr, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Howard, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCloskey, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, Miller, Minehart,

Morton, Parry, Ragan, Renshaw, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—57.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Also, informed Common Council that they had received a report from the Committee on Water, with bill (Appendix No. 151) annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the laying of water pipe in Bambrey, Brooklyn, Cayuga, Coulter, Eighth, Ella, Henry, Kerbaugh, Sixth, Seventh, Solly, Stillman, Vaux and Wingohocking streets, Cemetery avenue and Warden drive," which they had passed.

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the bill.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, Cahill, Camac, Connelly, Cooper, C. C. Cox, Darrow, Derr, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gallagher, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Howard, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCloskey, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minchart, Morton, Parry, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trin-

kle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Ward, Weglein, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—56.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Mr. McCloskey moved that Common Council do now adjourn.

Which was agreed to.

So Common Council adjourned.

Thursday, June 27, 1912.

Common Council met. Members present:

Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Hahn, Horn, Howard, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*.

Mr. Keene moved that the Journal of the last meeting be approved.

Which was agreed to.

The President presented a communication from the Philadelphia Medical Society, requesting an appropriation for the erection of a modern building for a Pathological Department at Philadelphia General Hospital.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the Board of Managers having charge of and collecting historical relics for the Museum of Independence Hall, protesting against the placing of the memorial tablet to Commodore Stephen Decatur on the outside wall of Independence Hall.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on City Property.

Also (by request), read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to pave Sansom street, from Fifty-fourth to Fifty-fifth street, in the Forty-sixth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Kline read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to lay water pipe in Stokley street, from Hunting Park avenue to Abbottsford avenue, in the Thirty-eighth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Water.

Mr. Walton read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to construct a sewer in Tenth street, from Fishers avenue to Duncannon avenue, in the Forty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Diamond read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Surveys) for the construction of a bridge over the Richmond Branch of the Philadelphia and Reading Railway, at Seventh street and Glenwood avenue."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. F. A. Smith read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to pave Sansom street, from Forty-sixth to Forty-seventh street, in the Forty-sixth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Gallagher read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to place upon the City plan and condemn the plot of ground bounded by Indiana avenue, Boudinot street, C street and private property owned by Peter Cavanaugh, in the Thirty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to vacate Hart lane, from Boudinot street to Indiana avenue, in the Thirty-third Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. W. Burke read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize and grant permission to Philadelphia News Stand Advertising and Distributing Company to

place and maintain stands for the sale and distribution of newspapers and printed matter."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. J. S. McQuade read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to locate an electric light at the northeast intersection of Westminster and Haverford avenues, in the Thirty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Electrical Committee.

Also, offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate a gasoline lamp middle of alley east of Fifty-seventh street, between Media street and Lansdowne avenue, in the Thirty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Mr. Umstead offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate gasoline lamps in the Thirty-fourth Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Mr. R. Smith read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to relocate electric lights from Twenty-second street, between Reed and Dickinson streets, to Morris street, between Eighteenth and Nineteenth streets; and from Wharton street, between Twenty-third and Twenty-fourth streets, to southwest corner Twenty-third and Morris streets, in the Thirty-sixth Ward."

Which was referred to the Electrical Committee.

Also (by request), read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the grading of Lindley avenue and Sixth street."

Which was referred to the Committee on Highways.

Mr. Connelly presented a communication from the Director of the Department of Public Works, requesting an appropriation for modern office appliances in the office of said Director; and also from the Bureau of Water, for the purchase of Underwood computing typewriters.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from the Director of the Department of Public Safety, requesting an increase

in the salary of the stenographers in the office of said Director.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance signifying the desire of the corporate authorities of the City of Philadelphia to increase the indebtedness of the said City in the sum of five million (5,000,000) dollars for permanent municipal improvements."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to levy and fix the rate of taxes for the year 1913."

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. C. C. Cox offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate gasoline lamps in the Twenty-first Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Mr. Dripps read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to locate an electric light southwest side of Musgrove street, between Locust avenue and Church lane, in the Twenty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Electrical Committee.

Mr. Gillingham (by request) read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the construction of a sewer in Lindley avenue."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Kreider offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to locate a gasoline lamp rear 1858 N. Eleventh street, in the Thirty-second Ward."

Which was referred to the Committee on Gas.

Mr. Connelly moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 248) entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the settlement of claims for damages to real and personal property occasioned by a break in the water mains in Eva street, near Shawmont avenue, Roxborough, on November 28, 1911, and authorizing a transfer in the annual appropriations to the Department of Public Works and City Treasurer for the payment of

such damages, and authorizing the drawing, counter-signing and delivery of warrants in satisfaction thereof."

Which was agreed to.

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

The second section was again read, and agreed to.

The preamble was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bonnick, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn. Connelly, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Hahn, Horn, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, McCloskey, McElroy, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—67.

NAYS—None.

Two-thirds of the members elected having voted in the affirmative.

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 249) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the purchase of properties Nos. 1615 to 1623 Ruffner street for bath house purposes."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cabill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Hahn, Horn, Howard, Humphrys, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCloskey, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walton, Ward, Weglein, White, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—70.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 203) entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the Mayor to abrogate the contract between the City of Philadelphia and the Sax & Abbott Construction Company, dated December 22, 1911, for the erection of a Home for the Feeble Minded in the Forty-first Ward, and authorizing a certain transfer in the annual appropriations to the Mayor and the City Treasurer, for the year 1912, to accomplish the same.

Which was agreed to.

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

The second section was again read, and agreed to.

The preamble was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frank-
enfield, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Hahn, Horn, Howard, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCloskey, McElroy, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walton, Ward, Weglein, White, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—71.

NAYS—None.

Two-thirds of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 245) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize a certain transfer in the annual appropriations to the City Treasurer and the Department of Public Works, for the year 1912, for the preparation of maps and plans, and engineering study of streams, ponds, pools, etc., and the habits of mosquitos and the best methods of eliminating same."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read.

Mr. Trinkle moved further consideration of the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Connelly moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 244) entitled "An

Ordinance to authorize certain transfers out of unused balances in sundry loans in the annual appropriations to the various Bureaus in the Departments of Public Safety, Public Works, Public Health and Charities, Wharves, Docks and Ferries, Supplies, Mayor, Board of Revision of Taxes, City Commissioners, Prothonotary, District Attorneys, Inspectors of the County Prisons and Commissioners of Fairmount Park, for the year 1912."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frank-enfield, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Hahn, Horn, Howard, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCloskey, McElroy, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, Me-Tear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morton, Parry, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz; Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—71.

NAYS—None.

Two-thirds of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 243) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize certain transfers in the annual appropriations to the various Bureaus in the Departments of Public Works, Public Safety, Public Health and Charities,

Wharves, Docks and Ferries, Mayor, Coroner and City Treasurer, for the year 1912."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read.

Also, moved to amend by striking out on 8th line, page 579, the words and figures "thirty-one thousand four hundred and forty-four (31,444) dollars," and inserting the words and figures "thirty-three thousand four hundred and forty-four (33,444) dollars;" also, by striking out on the 35th line, page 579, the words and figures "four thousand (4,000) dollars," and inserting the words and figures "six thousand (6,000) dollars."

Which was agreed to.

The section as amended was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The amendments having been printed, by unanimous consent,

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Hahn, Horn, Howard, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morton, Parry, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Woodill, and McCurdy. *Pres't*
—72.

NAYS—None.

Two-thirds of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 247) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the construction of buildings for the care of feeble-minded persons on property owned by the City at Byberry, west of the Bensalem pike and north of South Hampton road."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read.

Also, moved to amend by striking out the words "west of the Bensalem pike and north of South Hampton road."

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Woodill moved that the bill be referred to the Committee on Health and Charities.

Which was not agreed to.

The question being on agreeing to section as amended,

It was agreed to.

The title was read.

Mr. Connelly moved to amend by striking out the words "west of the Bensalem pike and north of South Hampton road."

Which was agreed to.

The title as amended was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Hahn, Horn, Howard, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Lime-

burner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—72.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 202) entitled "An Ordinance authorizing and directing the settlement of the claim of the Filbert Paving and Construction Company against the City for the annulment of the contract for a bulkhead on the Schuylkill river in front of Bartram Park, by payment to said company of the sum of ten thousand (10,000) dollars; and authorizing a certain transfer in the annual appropriation to the City Treasurer and Department of Wharves, Docks and Ferries, for the year 1912."

Which was agreed to.

The first section was again read, and agreed to.

The second section was again read, and agreed to.

The preamble was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, Cahill, Conn, Connelly, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dewart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Hahn, Horn, Howard, Jenkin-

son, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—70.

NAYS—Mr. W. Burke.

Two-thirds of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 246) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize certain transfers in the annual appropriations to the Department of Supplies, Art Jury and Clerks of Councils, for the year 1912."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read.

Mr. Jenkinson moved to amend by striking out the words and figures "nine thousand (9,000) dollars," and inserting the words and figures "seven thousand four hundred (7,400) dollars," by striking out the words and figures "three thousand six hundred (3,600) dollars," and inserting the words and figures "two thousand (2,000) dollars," and by striking out the words and figures "four thousand five hundred (4,500) dollars," and inserting the words and figures "two thousand nine hundred (2,900) dollars."

Which was agreed to.

Mr. Woodill moved that the bill be laid on the table.

Which was not agreed to.

The question being on agreeing to the section as amended,

It was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The amendments having been printed, by unanimous consent,

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gilson, Gleason, Hahn, Horn, Howard, Jenkinson, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCloskey, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Morton, Pennock, Renshaw, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walton, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—62.

NAYS—Messrs. R. D. Burke, Gourie, Keene, Parry, and Ruedinger—5.

Two-thirds of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Mr. Connelly moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 262) entitled "An Ordinance changing the title of certain officials in the Bureau of Fire."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, Cahill, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, C. C.

Cox, G. D. Cox, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gillingham, Gleason, Gourie, Hahn, Horn, Howard, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Morton, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—67.

NAYS—Mr. Gilson—1.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 264) entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the Director of the Department of Supplies to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in payment for coal purchased in the open market in contemplation of a strike at the mines, and for coal heretofore furnished for the City Ice Boats, during the year 1912."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Hahn, Horn, Howard, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGuigan, Mc-

Gurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Morton, Parry, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—71.

NAYS—None.

Two-thirds of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 263) entitled "An Ordinance to transfer all balances remaining to the credit of Item 19 in the annual appropriation to the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Highways) for the maintenance of automobiles during 1912, and Item 6, Bureau of Surveys, for horse keep and keep of automobiles, to Item 4, Director's Office, Department of Public Works, for maintenance and equipment of automobiles and uniforms for chauffeurs."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The preamble was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Hahn, Horn, Howard, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Mine-

hart, Morton, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—70.

NAYS—None.

Two-thirds of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Also, moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 265) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize certain transfers in the annual appropriations to the various Bureaus in the Departments of Public Safety, Public Works, Public Health and Charities, Supplies, City Commissioners, City Controller, Clerks of Councils, Law, Board of Revision of Taxes, Register of Wills and City Treasurer, for the year 1912."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read.

Mr. Conn moved to amend by striking out in line 22 the words and figures "thirty-three thousand two hundred (33,200) dollars," and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "thirty-nine thousand two hundred (39,200) dollars," and by inserting in line 47 after the words "Department of Public Works," the following: "(Director's Office): To Item 7 (new), for computing machines, two thousand (2,000) dollars. (Bureau of Water): To Item 27 (new), for computing machines and office appurtenances for billing purposes, four thousand (4,000) dollars."

Which was not agreed to.

Mr. Eldredge moved to strike out on page 607, line 5, the following: "To Item 1, so that the salary of the Assistant Medical Inspector in charge of child hygiene shall be at the rate of two thousand (2,000) dollars per annum, from July 1, three hundred (300) dollars," and by strik-

ing out the words and figures "thirty-three thousand two hundred (33,200) dollars," and inserting the words and figures "thirty-two thousand nine hundred (32,900) dollars."

Which was agreed to.

The section as amended was agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The amendments having been printed, by unanimous consent,

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, Darrow, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gillingham, Gleason, Hahn, Horn, Howard, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minchart, Morton, Pennock, Ragan, Ruedinger, Simmington, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein White, and Woodill—59.

NAYS—Carnae, G. D. Cox, Derr, Gilson, Gourie, Kreider, Parry, Renshaw, Ross, Schwarz, F. A. Smith, and Whitaker—12.

Two-thirds of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

And the bill passed.

Mr. Connelly moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 266) entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the Director of the Department of Supplies to draw, and the City Controller to counter-sign, warrants in payment of supplies delivered between the awarding and executing of certain contracts."

Which was agreed to.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Flynn, Gillingham, Gourie, Horn, Keene, Kelley, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCloskey, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Woodill, and McCurdy. *Pres't* —62.

NAYS—None.

Two-thirds of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Mr. R. Smith moved to proceed to second reading of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 252) entitled "An Ordinance to take, use and appropriate property bounded by Seventeenth street, the line of Appletree street, Arch street and the Parkway, and to authorize the opening of so much of the Parkway as is bounded by the line of Appletree street, the southwestwardly line of the Parkway, and a line nearly at right angles to Arch street, extending from Arch street to the line of Appletree street, from a point two hundred and fifty-six and sixty-two one-hundredths of a foot east from the easterly side of Seventeenth street, and authorizing the entering of security for the payment of damages."

Which was agreed to.

The first section was again read.

Also, moved to amend by inserting after the word "beginning," on the 6th line from bottom of page 595, the following: "Also, all the property bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a point on the southwest corner of Sixteenth and Appletree streets, thence westwardly along the south side of Appletree street, as formerly laid out upon the City plan, fifty feet; thence southwardly parallel with Sixteenth street and along the east side of the Parkway forty-three and forty-seven one-thousandths of a foot to the northeast side of the Parkway; thence southeastwardly along the same twenty-four feet and fifty-four one-hundredths of a foot to a point on the north side of the Parkway; thence eastwardly along the same and parallel with Appletree street, as formerly laid out upon the City plan, twenty-nine feet and seventy-three one-hundredths of a foot to the west side of Sixteenth street; thence northwardly along the same fifty-seven feet to the first mentioned point and place of beginning."

Which was agreed to.

The section as amended was agreed to.

The second section was again read.

Also, moved to amend by striking out all after the words "Public Works," and inserting the following: "is hereby authorized to notify the owners of property over and through which so much of the Parkway will pass as is within the lines thereof, between the corner of Sixteenth and Arch streets and Appletree street, as formerly laid out upon the City plan, that at the expiration of three months from the date of said notice the same will be required for public use."

Which was agreed to.

The section as amended was agreed to.

The third section was again read.

Also, moved to amend by striking out in the second line the words "and directed," and by striking out the figure "3," and inserting the figure "2."

Which was agreed to.

The section as amended was agreed to.

The title was read.

Also, moved to amend by striking out all after the word "appropriate," and inserting the following: "certain properties, bounded by Sixteenth street, the line of Appletree street and the Parkway, and also properties bounded by Seventeenth street, the line of Appletree street, Arch street and the Parkway, and to authorize the opening of so much of the Parkway as is bounded by the line of Appletree street and Sixteenth street and Arch street, and authorizing the entering of security for the payment of damages."

The title as amended was agreed to.

The amendments having been printed, by unanimous consent,

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, Cahill, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Hahn, Horn, Howard, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minchart, Mohr, Morton, Parry, Pennoek, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Stauffer, Stuebing, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—70.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Select Council informed Common Council that they had received a report from the Committee on Law, with bill (Appendix No. 155) annexed entitled "An Ordinance directing the Department of Public Works and City Solic-

itor to strike from their records claims for laying water pipe in front of certain churches and Evangelical Home for the Aged," which they had passed.

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the bill.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, W. Burke, Cahill, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Horn, Kelley, Klein, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, MeTear, Miller, Minchart, Mohr, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—69.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Also, informed Common Council that they had received a report from the same Committee, with bill (Appendix No. 161) annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the payment of bill for the construction of sewer in Beulah street, south from Reed street, in front of the St. James Church," which they had passed.

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the bill.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Hahn, Horn, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Minehart, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Woodill and McCurdy, *Pres't*—68.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Also, informed Common Council that they had received a report from the Committee on Street Railways, with bill (Appendix No. 153) annexed entitled "An Ordinance granting permission to the Twenty-second street and Allegheny avenue Passenger Railway Company, and its lessee, the Philadelphia Rapid Transit Company, to lay a double track railway on Tenth street, beginning at Erie avenue and connecting with the tracks on said Erie avenue northwardly to Lycoming avenue and westwardly to Old York road, connecting with the double tracks on Old York road; also, a double track extension on Luzerne street and on Butler street, from Tenth street to Old York road, connecting with the tracks on both of said streets; and to

maintain and operate the overhead trolley system in connection therewith," which they had passed.

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the bill.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Hahn, Horn, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—71.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Also, informed Common Council that they had received a report from the Committee on Steam Railways, with bill (Appendix No. 159) annexed entitled "An Ordinance to grant permission to the Spreckels Sugar Refining Company to lay a railroad track across Dickinson street, at Meadow street, to connect the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company's tracks on Meadow street with the Spreck-

els Sugar Refining Company's tracks on Dickinson street above Meadow street," which they had passed.

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the bill.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankentfield, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Hahn, Horn, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, MeTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morton, Parry, Pennoek, Ragan, Renshaw, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—71.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Also, informed Common Council that they had received a report from the same Committee, with bill (Appendix No. 160) annexed entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Pennsylvania Railroad Company to construct, operate, and maintain a track or siding to and into property of Wm. Cramp & Sons' Ship and Engine Company, at the inter-

section of Richmond and Dyott streets, in the Eighteenth Ward," which they had passed.

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the bill.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankentfield, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Hahn, Horn, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—70.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Also, informed Common Council that they had passed resolution (Appendix No. 163) entitled "Resolution discharging the Committee from the further consideration of a communication from his Honor, the Mayor, in reference to placing a memorial tablet upon Independence Hall in honor of Commodore Stephen Decatur."

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred.

Also, informed Common Council that they had passed resolution (Appendix No. 165) entitled "Resolution authorizing the Joint Committee on Law to employ a stenographer."

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The resolution was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Hahn, Horn, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Minchart, Morton, Parry, Ragan, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—66.

NAYS—None.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Common Council proceeded to second reading of Select Council resolution (Appendix No. 158) entitled "Resolution authorizing the Joint Committee on Water to visit the various pumping stations and filtration stations of the

Bureau of Water and to pay the expenses of same out of Item 7 in the annual appropriation to the Clerks of Councils."

The resolution was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The resolution was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bethke, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cook, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, Darrow, Derr, Deutsch, Diamond, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gillingham, Gleason, Gourie, Hahn, Horn, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, S. McQuade, McTear, Minehart, Morton, Parry, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Woodill, and McCurdy, *Pres't*—66.

NAYS—None.

Two-thirds of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

So Common Council concurred.

The Secretary to the Mayor was introduced, when he presented a message from the Mayor in reference to the ordinance installing water meters, and stating he had called a Special Meeting of Councils for Monday, July 1, 1912, at 3 P. M., to consider the same. (*Appendix No. 269.*)

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

The President presented the following:

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR.

Philadelphia, June 27, 1912.

GEORGE McCURDY, Esq.,

President of Common Council.

DEAR SIR:—Please call a Special Meeting of Common Council to be held on Monday next, July 1, at 3 P. M., for the transaction of general business.

Very truly yours,

RUDOLPH BLANKENBURG,

Mayor.

Mr. Renshaw offered the following, to wit: "Resolution requesting the Finance Committee to report out of said Committee an ordinance in regard to the installation of water meters." (*Appendix No. 270.*)

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was twice read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Select Council informed Common Council that they had concurred in the following, to wit:

"An Ordinance to authorize the revision of the lines and grades of Huron and Telner streets and the intersection of Huron street, Telner street and St. Martins lane." (*Appendix No. 52.*)

"An Ordinance to strike from the City plan Daniel street, from Kingsley street to Washington lane." (*Appendix No. 102.*)

"An Ordinance directing the Department of Public Works to require owners of property abutting on both sides of Crefeld street, from Springfield avenue to Willow Grove avenue; on the northwest side of Parkside avenue, from Bryn Mawr avenue to Monument road; on the east

side of Fifty-second street, from Overbrook avenue to Woodbine avenue; and on both sides of Fifty-third street, from Wynnefield avenue to a point north of Woodbine avenue, to connect with the footways already laid, to set curbs and lay footway pavements." (Appendix No. 168.)

"An Ordinance authorizing and empowering the Director of the Department of Wharves, Docks and Ferries to adjust the claim of the Italia Societa di Navigazione a'Vapore, Hartfield, Solari & Company, General Agents, by temporary and partial abatement of rent." (Appendix No. 201.)

"An Ordinance authorizing and directing the settlement of the claim of the Filbert Paving and Construction Company against the City for the annulment of the contract for a bulkhead on the Schuylkill river in front of Bartram Park, by the payment to said company of the sum of ten thousand (10,000) dollars; and authorizing a certain transfer in the annual appropriation to the City Treasurer and Department of Wharves, Docks and Ferries, for the year 1912." (Appendix No. 202.)

"An Ordinance authorizing the Mayor to abrogate the contract between the City of Philadelphia and the Sax & Abbott Construction Company, dated December 22, 1911, for the erection of a home for the feeble-minded in the Forty-first Ward, and authorizing a certain transfer in the annual appropriations to the Mayor and the City Treasurer, for the year 1912, to accomplish the same." (Appendix No. 203.)

"An Ordinance to authorize the opening of certain portions of Almond, Fifty-sixth, Gorgae, Locust, Mifflin and Webster streets, Parkside and Susquehanna avenues." (Appendix No. 220.)

"An Ordinance to permit Berg Bros. to construct vaults under the sidewalks in front of their property on the east side of Eleventh street and on the south side of Commerce street." (Appendix No. 223.)

"An Ordinance to permit Drueding Bros. Co. to lay a water main, for fire purposes, on the north side of Master street, from Orkney to Sixth street." (Appendix No. 224.)

"An Ordinance to prohibit the erection of steps, railings or balconies beyond the building line of the streets or highways in a certain section of the City; declaring such projections to be a nuisance, and providing a penalty for the erection thereof, and providing for the collection of the cost of removal." (Appendix No. 225.)

"An Ordinance to authorize the Director of the Department of Public Works to construct a service test roadway on the Byberry and Bensalem turnpike, from Red Lion road to City line." (Appendix No. 226.)

"An Ordinance to authorize the opening of the unopened portion of the south side of Chestnut street, from Thirteenth to Juniper street." (Appendix No. 227.)

"An Ordinance to place on the City plan and condemn the plots of ground, with buildings and improvements thereon, situated northwest of Twenty-first and Chew streets, in the Forty-second Ward, for a public playground for the health and enjoyment of the people, and place such ground under the custody and management of the Board of Recreation." (Appendix No. 232.)

"An Ordinance to place on the City plan as a public park lot of ground bounded by Buckius street, Ash street, Richmond street and Bath street." (Appendix No. 233.)

"An Ordinance to revise the grade of Forty-sixth street, from Aspen street to Brown street." (Appendix No. 234.)

"An Ordinance to authorize the revision of the lines of Clarion street, from Wharton to Reed street." (Appendix No. 235.)

"An Ordinance to strike from the City plan and vacate Pike street, between Tenth street and Old York road, and Eleventh street, between Erie avenue and Lycoming street." (Appendix No. 236.)

"An Ordinance to authorize the revision of the intersection of Johnson street and Wissahickon avenue." (Appendix No. 238.)

"An Ordinance to authorize the striking from the City plan of Arbutus street, from Lincoln avenue to Hortter street." (Appendix No. 239.)

"An Ordinance to authorize certain transfers in the annual appropriations to the various Bureaus in the Departments of Public Works, Public Safety, Public Health and Charities, Wharves, Docks and Ferries, Mayor, Coroner and City Treasurer, for the year 1912." (Appendix No. 243.)

"An Ordinance to authorize certain transfers out of unused balances in sundry loans in the annual appropriations to the various Bureaus in the Departments of Public Safety, Public Works, Public Health and Charities, Wharves, Docks and Ferries, Supplies, Mayor, Board of Revision of Taxes, City Commissioners, Prothonotary, District Attorney, Inspectors of the County Prisons and Commissioners of Fairmount Park, for the year 1912." (Appendix No. 244.)

"An Ordinance to authorize certain transfers in the annual appropriations to the Department of Supplies, Art Jury and Clerks of Councils, for the year 1912." (Appendix No. 246.)

"An Ordinance to authorize the construction of buildings for the care of feeble-minded persons on property owned by the City at Byberry." (Appendix No. 247.)

"An Ordinance authorizing the settlement of claims for damages to real and personal property occasioned by a break in the water mains in Eva street, near Shawmont avenue, Roxborough, on November 28, 1911, and authorizing a transfer in the annual appropriations to the Department of Public Works and City Treasurer for the payment of such damages, and authorizing the drawing, countersigning and delivery of warrants in satisfaction thereof." (Appendix No. 248.)

"An Ordinance to authorize the purchase of properties Nos. 1615 to 1623 Ruffner street for bath house purposes." (Appendix No. 249.)

"An Ordinance to authorize the paving of Bonsall, Camac, Cambridge, Delancey, Dickinson, Eleventh, Fifteenth, Fifty-fourth, Franklin, Judson, Locust, Ludlow, Markoe, Marvine, Media, Mercer, Ninth, Pike, Sixty-fifth, Twelfth, Twenty-third, Wolf, Ardleigh, Coral, Dexter,

Seville, Ditman, Division, Howarth, Norwood, Pratt, Seventy-first, Sprague, Allengrove, Oakland and West Horter streets, Buist, Windrim and Mt. Pleasant avenues." (Appendix No. 251.)

"Ordinance to take, use and appropriate certain properties bounded by Sixteenth street, the line of Appletree street and the Parkway, and also properties bounded by Seventeenth street, the line of Appletree street, Arch street and the Parkway, and to authorize the opening of so much of the Parkway as is bounded by the line of Appletree street and Sixteenth street and Arch street, and authorizing the entering of security for the payment of damages." (Appendix No. 252.)

"An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Markoe street from Chestnut to Walnut street." (Appendix No. 253.)

"Resolution of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit Thomas Killough to construct a temporary terra cotta drain in Irving street, from Sixty-first street westward about one hundred and seventy-five feet." (Appendix No. 254.)

"Resolution of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit Charles E. Jenkins to improve and beautify a portion of the sidewalk on the west side of West Washington Square and the south side of South Washington Square, in the Eighth Ward." (Appendix No. 255.)

"Resolution relative to the approval of schedules, bills and contracts during the summer recess of Councils." (Appendix No. 259.)

"Resolution of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit James Kissick to lay a temporary terra cotta drain in Chancellor street, from Fifty-ninth to Sixtieth street." (Appendix No. 260.)

"Resolution authorizing the Joint Committee on Soldiers' Monument to visit Antietam Battlefield in September next on the Fiftieth Anniversary of said battle, and directing the presentation of this resolution to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval." (Appendix No. 261.)

"An Ordinance changing the titles of certain officials in the Bureau of Fire." (Appendix No. 262.)

"An Ordinance to transfer all balances remaining to the credit of Item 19 in the annual appropriation to the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Highways) for the maintenance of automobiles during 1912, and Item 6, Bureau of Surveys, for horse keep and keep of automobiles, to Item 4, Director's Office, Department of Public Works, for maintenance and equipment of automobiles and uniforms for chauffeurs." (Appendix No. 263.)

"An Ordinance authorizing the Director of the Department of Supplies to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in payment for coal purchased in the open market in contemplation of a strike at the mines, and for coal heretofore furnished for the City Ice Boats during the year 1912." (Appendix No. 264.)

"An Ordinance to authorize certain transfers in the annual appropriations to the various Bureaus in the Departments of Public Safety, Public Works, Public Health and Charities, Supplies, City Commissioners, City Controller, Clerks of Councils, Law, Board of Revision of Taxes, Register of Wills and City Treasurer, for the year 1912." (Appendix No. 265.)

"An Ordinance authorizing the Director of the Department of Supplies to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in payment of supplies delivered between the awarding and executing of certain contracts." (Appendix No. 266.)

Also, informed Common Council that they had concurred in the amendments of Common Council to Select Council bill (Appendix No. 135) entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the Director of the Department of Wharves, Docks and Ferries to offer at public sale and enter into a lease for the space under Walnut street bridge, from Thirtieth street to the Schuylkill river."

Mr. Van Houten moved that Common Council do now adjourn.

Which was agreed to.

So Common Council adjourned.

Monday, July 1, 1912.

Common Council met this day, pursuant to the following call:

Philadelphia, June 28, 1912.

MR. WILLIAM H. FELTON,

Chief Clerk of Common Council.

DEAR SIR:—I am just in receipt of a communication from his Honor, the Mayor, requesting me to call a Special Session of Common Council for Monday, July 1, at 3 o'clock P. M. In compliance with his Honor's request, you are hereby directed to call a Special Meeting of Common Council for Monday, July 1, at 3 o'clock P. M., for the transaction of general business.

Yours truly,

GEORGE McCURDY,

President of Common Council.

Members present:

Messrs. Baizley, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Cross, Derr, Deutsch, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Finnesey, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minchart, Mohr, Morrison, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, and Woodill.

Mr. J. S. McQuade (President, *pro tem.*) in the Chair.

The President (*pro tem.*) presented the following:

Philadelphia, July 1, 1912.

MR. WILLIAM H. FELTON,

Chief Clerk of Common Council.

DEAR SIR:—I regret that owing to my duties in connection with to-day's Sheriff's sale, it will be impossible for me to preside at to-day's Council meeting. I have appointed Mr. John S. McQuade to act in my place. Had I been able to be present, I should have made clear my position in regard to to-day's Council meeting. Under the circumstances I will ask you to read this short statement to the members.

I had no objection to the meeting being held at the desire of the Mayor, but I had a most decided objection to the manner of its being called, as being both illegal and discourteous. Any request of the Mayor for a Special Meeting will always be cheerfully acceded to by me, but this was the second time he had ordered you as Chief Clerk to call a meeting, which he had no right to do, so I thought it time to correct the error. When the Mayor's Secretary called upon me and acknowledged their error and gave me a proper request for to-day's meeting, I immediately complied with the request and issued the call.

The question of the merit of the bill was not the issue in this controversy, although the officials seem to think so. That is a matter to be decided by the votes of the members without any dictation from me. Having established the legality of my position, I leave the subject for discussion to the Honorable members of Councils.

Yours truly,

GEORGE McCURDY,

President of Common Council.

Also, presented a communication from the North Kensington Business Men's Association, protesting against the passage of bill installing water meters.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a communication from John S. Hother-sall, U. S. N., retired, relative to the effect on the City's revenue by the installation of water meters.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

The Secretary to the Mayor was introduced, when he presented a message from the Mayor, returning without his approval Common Council bill (Appendix No. 219) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the repaving with wood blocks of certain streets, and the work incident thereto." (*Appendix No. 271.*)

The message was read.

The question being, Shall the bill pass notwithstanding the objections of the Mayor?

Mr. R. Smith moved that the message and bill be referred to the Committee on Highways.

Which was agreed to.

Also, presented a further message from the Mayor, requesting the passage of the ordinance appropriating five thousand (5,000) dollars to the Department of Public Works for a study of the mosquito problem in Philadelphia. (*Appendix No. 272.*)

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Also, presented a further message from the Mayor, transmitting a resolution entitled "Resolution to authorize the Director of the Department of Supplies to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, certain warrants for coal purchased in the open market in contemplation of a strike at the mines, and for the storage of and demurrage incurred in connection therewith; also, for supplies heretofore furnished during the year 1912." (*Appendix No. 273.*)

Which was read.

Mr. Connelly offered the following, to wit: "Resolution to authorize the Director of the Department of Supplies to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, cer-

tain warrants for coal purchased in the open market in contemplation of a strike at the mines, and for the storage of and demurrage incurred in connection therewith; also, for supplies heretofore furnished during the year 1912, and directing the presentation of this resolution to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval." (*Appendix No. 274.*)

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was twice read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The resolution was read a third time,

And on its final passage,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Conn, Connelly, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Cross, Derr, Deutsch, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Finnesey, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gourie, Gubbins, Hahn, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGuigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morrison, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, Weglein, Whitaker, White, Williams, and Woodill—76.

NAYS—None.

Two-thirds of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the resolution passed.

Mr. Dorwart read in place bills to construct sewers in the following streets in the Twenty-first Ward: Cliveden, Upsal and Hortter streets, from Park Line drive to Wis-

sahickon avenue; and Park Line drive, from Johnson to Upsal street.

Which were referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Howard read in place bills to locate electric lights in the Twenty-second Ward.

Which were referred to the Electrical Committee.

Mr. Simmington offered the following, to wit: "Resolutions to locate gasoline lamps in the Twenty-eighth Ward."

Which were referred to the Committee on Gas.

Mr. J. S. McQuade read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the revision of a portion of Plan No. 170, in the Thirty-fourth Ward, by striking from the City plan Arlington street, from Fifty-second to Fifty-fourth street; the revision of the lines and grades of Fifty-third street, from Berks street to Lebanon avenue; the revision of the lines and grades of Georges lane, from Columbia avenue to Berks street; and to place on the City plan Georges lane, from Berks street to Lebanon avenue."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Mr. Costello read in place a bill entitled "An Ordinance to construct a sewer in Comly street, from State road to the Delaware river."

Which was referred to the Committee on Surveys.

Select Council informed Common Council that they had passed resolution (Appendix No. 170) entitled "Resolution of request to the Joint Standing Committee on Finance and Water, in conjunction with the Director of the Department of Public Works, to consider the question of the installation of water meters, with the probable effect on the revenues and expenses of the City."

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

So Common Council concurred.

Mr. Baizley, seconded by Mr. Kelley, moved to reconsider the vote by which Common Council bill (Appendix No. 245) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize a certain transfer in the annual appropriations to the City Treasurer and the Department of Public Works, for the year 1912, for the preparation of maps and plans, and engineering study of streams, ponds, pools, etc., and the habits of mosquitos and the best methods of eliminating same," was indefinitely postponed at the last meeting.

On which the yeas and nays were required, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Connelly, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Cross, Derr, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Finnesey, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gubbins, Hahn, Horn, Howard, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morrison, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Renshaw, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Walton, Ward, and Woodill—63.

NAYS—Messrs. Deutsch, Gourie, Hardart, McGuigan, McTear, Ragan, Ruedinger, Whitaker, and White—9.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to.

The question recurring on the final passage of the bill,

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Connelly, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, G. D. Cox, Cross, Derr, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Finnesey, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gubbins, Hahn, Horn, Howard, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McCloskey, McElroy, Mc-

Guigan, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, Miller, Minchart, Mohr, Morrison, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Renshaw, Ross, Schwarz, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies, Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Ward, White, Williams, and Woodill—65.

NAYS—Messrs. Deutsch, Gourie, McTear, Ragan, Ruedinger, Weglein, and Whitaker—7.

Two-thirds of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

Mr. Connelly offered the following, to wit: "Resolution discharging the Committee on Finance from the further consideration of Select Council bill (Appendix No. 152) entitled "An Ordinance to repeal ordinance approved June 27, 1904, prohibiting the installation of water meters." (*Appendix No. 275.*)

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the resolution.

The resolution was twice read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

Mr. R. Smith moved that Common Council take a recess for fifteen minutes.

Which was agreed to.

Upon reassembling,

Select Council informed Common Council that they had received a report from the Committee on Water, with bill (Appendix No. 152) annexed entitled "An Ordinance to repeal an ordinance approved June 27, 1904, prohibiting the installation of water meters," which they had passed.

Common Council proceeded to second reading of the bill.

The first and only section was again read, and agreed to.

The title was agreed to.

The bill was read a third time,

And on its final passage.

The yeas and nays were required according to law, and were as follows:

YEAS—Messrs. Baizley, Bonnick, R. D. Burke, W. Burke, Cahill, Camac, Connelly, Cooper, Costello, C. C. Cox, Cross, Derr, Deutsch, Dorman, Dorwart, Dripps, Eldredge, Finnesey, Flynn, Frankenfield, Gallagher, Gillingham, Gilson, Gleason, Gubbins, Hardart, Horn, Howard, Jenkinson, Keene, Kelley, Kline, Kreider, Limeburner, Lombardi, McCarthy, McElroy, McGurk, J. S. McQuade, McTear, Miller, Minehart, Mohr, Morrison, Morton, Parry, Pennock, Ragan, Renshaw, Ruedinger, Ross, Simmington, F. A. Smith, R. Smith, Smithies. Stauffer, Stuebing, Trinkle, Umstead, Van Houten, Voigt, Walter, Ward, White, Williams, and Woodill—66.

NAYS—Messrs. McGuigan, Weglein, and Whitaker—3.

A majority of the members elected having voted in the affirmative,

It was agreed to,

And the bill passed.

So Common Council concurred.

Also, informed Common Council that they had concurred in the following, to wit:

“An Ordinance to authorize a certain transfer in the annual appropriations to the City Treasurer and the Department of Public Works for the preparation of maps and plans and an engineering study of streams, ponds, pools, etc., and the habits of mosquitos and the best methods of eliminating the same.” (Appendix No. 245.)

“Resolution to authorize the Director of the Department of Supplies to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, certain warrants for coal purchased in the market in contemplation of a strike at the mines, and for the storage of and demurrage incurred in connection therewith; also, for supplies heretofore furnished during the year 1912, and directing the presentation of this resolution to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval.” (Appendix No. 274.)

“Resolution discharging the Committee on Finance from the further consideration of Select Council bill (Appendix No. 152) entitled ‘An Ordinance to repeal ordinance approved June 27, 1904, prohibiting the installation of water meters.’” (Appendix No. 275.)

Mr. Connelly moved that Common Council do now adjourn.

Which was agreed to.

So Common Council adjourned.

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APPENDIX.

APPENDIX No. 1.

A RESUME OF PHILADELPHIA'S MUNICIPAL DEVELOPMENT AND PROGRESS, 1907-1911.

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR, CITY HALL.

Philadelphia, December 4, 1911.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—It is with a profound sense of grateful appreciation that I address your Honorable Bodies to-day, and through you the splendid citizenship of the City of Philadelphia, which has supported and encouraged the officers of the various Departments of the City government during the past four and one-half years in our efforts to make our Home City a better, healthier, more prosperous and happier municipality in which to reside. True, there have been times when the efforts which we made seemed in vain, when the earnest attempt to give the City a business administration has seemed well nigh impossible, due to the obstacles that were placed in our way by self-centered men, by those who did not or would not understand. As an offset to these annoyances, however, we to-day have the satisfaction of looking backward, of seeing the growth of our City during that period, of recounting and summarizing the work that has been performed, of appreciating that the bulk of the people of our City are anxious and willing to aid in all movements towards her progressive betterment.

On April 3, 1911, I rendered my Fourth Annual Report as Mayor, and that the sequence of the reports of coming administrations shall not be broken, I submit this,

not as an Annual Report, but rather as a record of achievement, not with pride, but with satisfaction, not for glory, but for information, in order that the public's appreciation of the service which you performed, which all officials have performed, may be obtained. Since the adoption of the Bullitt Bill, it has been the fashion to regard the Mayor as the fountain-head, as the throne, as the dispenser of all good, of all evil, as the one man who holds in the palm of his hand the destinies of the City, the power to make or mar its future. To my mind this is a popular misconception of the powers, duties and responsibilities of the office, which has arisen by reason of the public press featuring the Mayor. It is your Honorable Bodies, representative of the forty-seven wards of the City, the great Departments of the City government, many of whose officers are elected and independent of the control of the Mayor, through which the great business of the City is handled. To you, therefore, and to the heads of the Departments, I renew my expression of gratitude for your services in behalf of the City and join with her citizens in thanks.

Let us consider briefly the character, quantity, and manner in which the work has been performed. The Department of Public Works I select first, departing from the usual order of seniority adopted in previous reports, as the Department of Public Works, while not brought into the close contact with the citizens that exists between them and the Department of Public Safety, is, nevertheless, the one that does the greatest amount of constructive work for the City's betterment, and to my mind it is a constructive administration that is deserving of the highest praise rather than one that performs its duties in a prefunctory manner. What, then, has this administration done for the betterment of the City? What has it done to leave behind it monuments of the development of the City? What has it done for future generations, in order to make the City a more livable and more workable place in which to reside?

Each of us may well be proud to have contributed, even in a small degree, to bring about the collective and

organized co-operation that has resulted in the building up of the City's structures, that has facilitated its progress, the delivery of goods and merchandise, the interchange of transportation from place to place, the shortening of distance, the grading of streets, the paving of them, the broadening and planning of them, all of which has resulted in great good to the City. During the administration there have been completed, or are now under course of construction, 58 bridge contracts, the most important of which were the Walnut lane bridge, over the Wissahickon creek, the Wyoming avenue bridge, over Frankford creek, and the Passyunk avenue bridge, over the Schuylkill river, together with the widening of Chestnut street bridge.

It is a great tribute to the City and her officials that the Walnut lane bridge, at the time of its completion, was the largest single-span concrete bridge in the world; that it was planned entirely by City officials, erected under City supervision, and that many engineers doubted its strength and feasibility. To-day, it has only been exceeded a few feet by a bridge in Europe and one in Cleveland, Ohio, both of which are copies of the Walnut lane bridge, and were only constructed after proof had been given of the wisdom and efficiency of Philadelphia's engineers.

The building of this bridge meant a great deal to the residents of Germantown and Roxborough, enabling them to have quick and easy transportation from the one section to the other, and saving them a detour of three miles. It will mean not only assistance and aid to the residents of those localities, but will result in the building up of a new section of the City, bringing to the City increased revenue sufficient to pay for the cost of construction.

In like manner will the Passyunk avenue bridge, upon its completion, bring to the City increased revenue in the development of lands that are now unoccupied on both its eastern and western ends, as it will afford quick transportation to and from the center of the City and the southwestern portion and suburban district beyond, and will result, undoubtedly, in the establishment of new transit facilities. Here again the genius of the City engineers

has been demonstrated. The Passyunk avenue bridge represents a new departure, as far as the City is concerned, in bridge building, and is an indication of the willingness and adaptability of our Departments to adopt those ideas that are best suited for the purposes required. The widening and improvement of the Chestnut street bridge means a great corresponding benefit to West Philadelphia. It is, indeed, surprising to consider the marvelous growth of West Philadelphia within the past ten years, and particularly during the last four years, to consider that the fourteenth City of the United States has grown upon the west bank of the Schuylkill river. The great bulk of the traffic to and from that section is confined to three bridges, namely, Market, Chestnut and Walnut streets. The Chestnut street bridge is one of the City's oldest bridges across the Schuylkill, and by reason of its construction, was not adapted to the great traffic that is compelled to traverse it. For that reason, it can be readily appreciated what it will mean to the City to have a better connecting link between West Philadelphia and the City proper.

The City's activities, however, have not been confined solely to bridge building, and I mention it merely as an indication of some of the constructive work that many Philadelphians are apt to overlook. It has been a pleasure to watch the gradual elimination of grade crossings throughout the City. At the present time the grade crossings between Green street and Hunting Park avenue on the line of the Philadelphia and Reading Railroad, have been abolished, wiping out twenty-six dangerous grade crossings in the very heart of the City, over which thousands of people cross daily.

In 1907 work was begun on the change of grade of the City plans along the line of the Philadelphia and Trenton Railroad from Norris to Butler streets, in order that all grade crossings of that railroad might be abolished.

At the present time work is being pushed on the Richmond Branch of the Philadelphia and Reading Railroad from Somerset to Richmond street, and it is anticipated that this work will be finished in a comparatively short time.

The work finished or begun under this administration will result in the elimination of over 80 grade crossings and the saving of time, not to mention the enormous value of the saving of human lives, is an achievement of which any City might well be proud, even if no other work had been accomplished.

Turning to the consideration of sewers, we find that the administration has been active in that line. From 1907 to 1911, the City has constructed 17,492 miles of main and over 85 miles of branch sewers, thus providing for the growth of the City and giving extended and better sewer facilities to the old portions of the City, which, by reason of their congestion of population, rendered the old sewers inadequate and necessitated their enlargement or restoration with new and improved sewers. The City has been encouraged, assisted and aided to a great extent by the builders and others engaged in making our City better; in developing and creating new values of property; in raising the benefits to be derived from the utilization of property, thus increasing the assessed value thereof, all of which has meant increased returns in revenue and all of which means better facilities and more comfort.

Hand in hand with the work which has been done by the Bureau of Surveys, the Bureau of Highways, despite the repeated injunction suits that were brought to restrain the execution of City contracts and subjected the City officials to annoyance, abuse and allegations of corruption, has made a commendable showing. One hundred and fifty-one miles of new and improved pavement have been laid in this City during the last four years, while in the previous four years but 74 miles of new and improved pavement were laid—an increase of over 100 per cent., which, indeed, in view of the litigation above referred to, is a remarkable showing. This work consisted of 101.01 miles of new paving and 51.42 miles of repaving old cobble and rubble streets with new and improved pavement, and 29.53 miles of new macadam roads. This work has been done quietly, unostentatiously, and with a view merely of rendering efficient and capable service to the citizenship.

Certain large operations of the Bureau of Highways,

however, are deserving of special mention. It has been my aim and policy and of those associated with me to bring to Philadelphia and Philadelphians the realization of the City's assets and possibilities, to teach and to demonstrate the opportunities that are afforded in Philadelphia and in no other large city in the United States, to make a "City Wonderful." By that I mean, not that which people call a "City Beautiful," but to keep pace with the progressive municipalities of this country and Europe that are endeavoring to teach their citizens the thought that the added attractiveness of a city, from an aesthetic standpoint, means a great deal in its development, means more happiness and comfort to the people and the raising of the standard of citizenship. Accordingly, parkways and boulevards have been developed, and I believe that in time to come, if these boulevards are completed and constructed along the same broad lines that have been planned, the citizens of Philadelphia will, indeed, be proud of them and glory in their possession.

In 1907 work was resumed on the construction of the Northeast Boulevard, and in 1908 it was completed from Broad to Second street. The work was continued in 1909, when it was stopped by injunction proceedings and was not resumed until 1910. It is indeed unfortunate that the City has been hampered in the development of this beautiful driveway and avenue, that will mean not a mere driveway for pleasure, but a ready and quick means of access to the largest section of Philadelphia to-day lying undeveloped; a section that is a beautiful country, that is one of the best in Philadelphia for residential purposes, and the construction of that avenue bringing its people and its residents in quick and easy communication with the center of the City, will result in great good for the City. In like manner it has been the aim of this administration to finish and complete the southern boulevard, making a proper and fitting avenue of approach to the great Government Navy Yard at League Island, making a fitting terminus to one of the world's greatest thoroughfares, and developing and bringing into use that great section of Philadelphia south of Shunk street that is so sus-

ceptible of splendid development that the wonder is that it has not been hitherto developed. If I may be permitted to comment on a peculiar indifference and lack of progressiveness on the part of Philadelphia, I may call your attention to the attitude of citizens towards that section. Between the Schuylkill and Delaware rivers, south of Shunk street, fifteen minutes' ride by trolley from the heart of the City, lies a territory undeveloped, and the reason is that it is lowland and no attempt has been made to develop the river banks. Here, then, is the opportunity for the planning of a new City, an opportunity for the citizens to take advantage of, if they but adopt the same spirit that has characterized them in their business operations, namely (that which can be done will be done), this improvement will be speedily brought about. With the planning of streets, with the proper embankment of rivers, with the filling in of certain places here and there, with the construction of commercial facilities on both the Delaware and Schuylkill, with the abolition of grade crossings, there will spring up in that section a great commercial and residential district with a water front on three sides, easily accessible, with splendid railroad facilities, in close proximity to the center of the City, that will make it, indeed, a favored section. The best proof of the advantages and utility of the development of that section is the work which the Girard Estate has done and is doing there. Those of you who have visited it will realize that the Girard Estate properties in the neighborhood of Eighteenth and Shunk streets represent a new feature of civic development, and the waiting list of people who have made application to the Girard Estate for the rental of these properties and the moving into them of people from all sections of West, Northwest and Northeast Philadelphia, is proof positive of what can be done. The construction of the Southern Boulevard is the first of the great improvements of that section. This is almost entirely constructed to the width of 300 feet and is entirely complete between the northern boundary of League Island and the Parkway to the width of 150 feet. It would have been completed over a year ago had not the work also been

stopped by injunction suits in 1909, which prevented the resuming of work until late in 1911.

Hunting Park avenue represents another step in the development of the City as it has been opened to its full width and paved with asphalt, making a magnificent drive-way. The crowning glory, however, of the parkways and boulevards is the Parkway from the City Hall to Fairmount Park, and I sincerely trust the good work that has been done by your Honorable Bodies and the City officials in furthering the development of the same will be continued by our successors, and that the City will soon derive the benefit that will come from the completion of this great avenue: an avenue of learning, art, science, and literature; an avenue of beauty and of great usefulness to the City. Much property has been acquired, and the Commission authorized by your Honorable Bodies to negotiate for the acquirement of property along the line of the Parkway, consisting of the City Solicitor, City Controller and myself, have made many settlements at a fair price, many of them at ten per cent. over the assessed value of the property, and in a few instances a higher price was paid where the necessities of the case demanded it. This property has been acquired, a great deal of it has been demolished, and the City has already witnessed the appreciation of the Parkway by reason of the requests that have been received from the Philadelphia College of Pharmacy, the American Philosophical Society, the Franklin Institute, the Temple University and the Central Manual Training School, for sites along the line thereof. The passage of the Act of the Legislature of June 8, 1907, authorizing the City to acquire property within two hundred feet of the lines thereof, and granting to the City authorities the control thereof, in order to maintain the high standard of beauty, the construction of buildings and the correspondingly high standard of regulation as to the conduct of the occupations and business carried on there, assures the uniform character of the Parkway. In line with the construction of the Parkway, a temporary drive-way from Logan Square to Spring Garden street has been constructed and is now in use daily by thousands of citi-

zens, who, by their practice of using it, show their appreciation. Two hundred thousand dollars is available and in the hands of the Park Commission, which is now engaged in the preparation of plans for the construction of an Art Museum to be located at Fairmount Reservoir. The plans that have been drawn for the construction of the approach to the Art Museum and the plaza and surrounding buildings will create a center of beauty unsurpassed by any other City in the World. The Art Gallery has long been delayed, and I congratulate you and the citizens that the active work in connection therewith has now been started and that the City will now have a proper and fitting place to house the paintings, statuary and the many other objects of art that are within its borders. The \$1,000,000 created by the loan bill of 1898, that had been so long lying idle for the construction of a fitting building for a Free Library, is now being put into use, the properties from Nineteenth to Twentieth and from Vine to Wood streets have been purchased, and its construction is about to begin. When completed it will give to Philadelphia the possession of a library building equal to that of New York or Boston, a building which should have been constructed many years ago. This building, located along the line of the Parkway, will also add to its attractiveness and usefulness.

Another noteworthy matter is the completion of the Filtration Plant, which has resulted in the purification of the water supply of the City. The citizens to-day are enjoying better water than ever, and the enormous decrease in mortality from typhoid fever is ample justification for the expenditures that have been made. In the Bureau of Water, the business methods of administration adopted have not only brought about the completion of the filtration system, but decreased the cost of operation and increased the receipts of the Department, making a highly commendable record.

The citizens who reside in the older portions of the City, and who traverse day by day the same routes that they have been accustomed to traversing to and from their business, little realize the work which we have done for the

broadening of the City, for its extension, and it is indeed well to recall that of the 150 miles of new streets that have been opened, two-thirds of them have been paved during this administration and houses erected thereon. There is no surer index of the prosperity and credit of the City during the last four and half years than the construction of new streets and the new paving made necessary thereby.

Upon the completion of the subway under Market street from the Delaware to the Schuylkill river, a demand was made by the Market street merchants for the immediate paving of that thoroughfare, and it was their opinion and belief that their purpose would be best served with creosoted wood blocks. This was a new type of paving for Philadelphia, and because its durability had not been proven by prior use in this City, I deferred consideration of it until such time as the matter had been given a thorough discussion, and many arguments had been advanced by those in favor of granite blocks, asphalt and wood blocks. It was finally decided by your Honorable Bodies, upon the insistent demand of the Market street merchants, that the wood block paving be laid, and the City laid a splendid pavement from Second street to the Schuylkill with wood block and from Second street to Delaware avenue with granite block. In addition thereto, through the co-operation of the Electric Lighting Company, a new system of improved street lighting has been erected from the Delaware to the Schuylkill on Market street, which lighting was finished on January 1, 1909, giving to the merchants of Market street the best paved, and the best lighted retail business street in the world. The success of this system of lighting was so great and the expressions of commendation were so universal that the City officials extended it until to-day not only Market street, but Chestnut street from the Delaware to the Schuylkill, Walnut street from the Delaware to the Schuylkill, Arch street from the Delaware to Twenty-first street, and Girard avenue from Broad street to Front, and Broad street from Spruce street to Girard avenue, are enjoying the benefits of the improved system of lighting. A comparison of the present lighting of

the central section of the City with that which prevailed at the beginning of the administration is hardly necessary, as the citizens know and can readily see the work that has been performed. During the period 2,184 lamps of 2,000 candle power each have been added, making a total of 14,011 public arc lights maintained by the City, producing a light equal to that of over 35,000,000 candles. It is well to note the increase of public arc lights during this administration more than equals the total number of public arc lights in the City of Paris, and is twice as great as the total number of public arc lights maintained by the City of Vienna, and the total number of public arc lights in the City of Philadelphia is greater than the total number in the cities of New York, London, Brussels, Vienna, Paris and Berlin, with a few other cities thrown in, combined. This improvement has resulted in a transformation of the retail business and central sections of the City of Philadelphia, making it to-day the best lighted, best paved and best policed section in any city in the world. The City, through the efforts of Chief McLaughlin, has secured the erection of poles without cost to the City. I have stated that the central section of the City is to-day the best policed, and in connection with that it is well to bear in mind that the entire City of Philadelphia to-day is one of the best policed cities in the United States.

The Department of Public Safety, under the efficient directorship of Henry Clay, has always been active, always been willing to co-operate in any movement for the good of the City, and its management and operation has been of marked ability. The police force has been completely reorganized; new standards of efficiency adopted; new uniforms designed for the men; new regulations as to discipline established, until to-day they are on a military footing exceeded only by that of the regular army of the United States. The Traffic Squad established by Director Clay has brought to the attention of the people more than any other agency the high grade of efficiency existing throughout the force. This squad at present consists of 360 men under the control of a graduate of the United States Army, and has proven its usefulness in many ways, protecting the

people and directing them in their daily walks in the pursuit of their business, aiding, assisting them and rendering invaluable service in handling the great congestion incident to the rapid growth of the central section of the City. Not only has the Traffic Squad demonstrated its efficiency, but the entire police force has a record of which any city might well be proud. During the four and three-quarter years there have been 383,776 arrests, and out of 19,027 robberies reported, where the estimated value of the goods stolen amounted to \$1,182,961.86, \$618,267.31 has been recovered, while the total value of the property recovered by the force amounted to \$2,329,456.19. It is indeed high proof of their efficiency when it is borne in mind that out of 681,212 homes reported vacant but 210 were entered. In addition to the duty of patrolling the City, apprehending criminals and protecting the lives and property of the citizens, the police force has been called upon to take part in a great many extraordinary events calculated to severely test the efficiency of any similar body in the world. For instance, I refer to the celebration of the B. P. O. E., July 15 to 20, 1907; the annual automobile races in Fairmount Park in 1908, 1909, 1910 and 1911; the Founders' Week Celebration, from October 3 to 10, 1908, and the great railway strike, lasting from February to April 17, 1910.

The reorganization of the police force increased the number of employees from 3,097 to 3,845, of which increase 745 were patrolmen, and four new police districts have been created, in addition to the increase in the force, to provide for the rapidly growing outlying sections of the City. Corresponding credit and appreciation should be given to the men of the Fire Department, who have rendered noble service in behalf of the City, who have always been ready and eager to respond to the call of duty, and the value of whose service is best shown by the fact that they were called upon to extinguish 15,129 fires, the total loss of which amounted to \$8,161,613, while the insurance on the buildings affected and their contents amounted to \$208,674,426, or \$200,000,000 more than the loss. This enormous amount could have been saved if the citizens had favored the recommendation which I have repeatedly made

during the last four years to your Honorable Bodies. I have urged and pleaded that a fire patrol be established composed of men who have seen service in the Fire or Police Departments and who are incapacitated for the performance of their duties by reason of their age—men who could visit manufacturing establishments, business houses, office buildings, theaters, amusement halls and places where the greater fire risks exist and inspect them at frequent intervals, looking towards the disposition of waste material and the arrangement of merchandise and goods, wiring and such matters as tend to increase the fire risk. In other words, that this patrol be established to eliminate the cause of fire, aiding the City in relieving it of the necessity of maintaining at great expense an efficient agency for the suppression of fire when at a smaller expense a fire could be prevented, the elimination of the causes of fire, the removal of the necessity for the enormous amount of insurance which citizens are carrying and which it has been proved is far greater than necessary.

The greatest catastrophe which the Fire Department ever suffered was in December, 1910, when, while subduing a fire on North Bodine street, thirteen firemen and one police officer were killed. This was a great disaster, the greatest in the history of the Department, and the public showed their appreciation of the services rendered by the Fire Department when it generously contributed nearly \$115,000 to provide a fund for the payment of interest for the support and maintenance of the families and dependents of the deceased firemen and policemen. There would be no necessity for contributions of that sort, there would be no tax on the people and the pockets of the City, and, greater, there would not have been a single one of those lives lost if a fire patrol had been established prior to the outbreak of that fire, as it was proved by investigation afterwards that the cause of the fire was a simple one that could easily have been obviated if the proper investigation had been made as suggested many times. Philadelphia, however, has been active in providing every measure for the suppression of fire, even though little attention has been given to the means for the prevention of

fire, and, in line with the efforts for suppression, the high pressure service has been extended and completed until it now covers a territory extending from Walnut street on the south to Allegheny avenue on the north, and from the Delaware river to Broad street. Two pumping stations have been erected, one at Delaware avenue and Race street and the other at Fairhill Reservoir, making it the most complete high pressure fire system in the world. This service has been installed at a cost of approximately \$2,000,000, and has caused a reduction in insurance rates, but a far greater saving to the City could be made by means of the simple establishment of a fire patrol. Ten fire stations were also erected during the administration and many new pieces of apparatus purchased and the number of the force increased, until to-day the service is beyond criticism, as it has been for many years past.

Ample provision has been made for the health, comfort and happiness of the people in the acquisition of parks and park sites. Thirty small parks and squares have been established at a cost of \$315,000. Work has been done on the City Hall at a cost of \$554,000; much property has been acquired for the police and fire stations and small parks at a total cost of \$578,200; eight new police stations have been erected and ten new fire stations and four combination police and fire stations. Seven new bath houses have been erected, and that they are appreciated is shown by the fact that during the last four years the bath-houses were patronized by 28,748,463 people.

The Bureau of Building Inspection has been unusually active, having issued permits during the administration for 74,616 operations at an estimated cost of \$173,186,895, while in the course of their work the inspectors have made 306,159 visits.

The Bureau of Boiler Inspection, in addition to conducting examinations and inspecting smoke nuisances and prosecuting violators thereof has been actively engaged.

The Bureau of Elevator Inspection, created in 1908, was subjected to severe criticism on the part of manufacturers and business men, who thought they would have an additional tax imposed on them, to which they should

not have been liable, but it has exceeded its value by the efficient manner in which the inspection of elevators has been carried on. The Bureau is now on a self-sustaining basis, the receipts of the first nine months in 1911 exceeding the expenditures by \$2,455. Since its inception, the Bureau has made 48,605 inspections and during the entire period of its existence there have been only 83 accidents, and of these 30 were fatal.

The Director, Assistant Director and Chiefs of the Department of Public Safety have all labored with one thought and one idea, and that was to give faithful and efficient work for the City. The Department has been severely criticised in the closing days, its officers have been accused of wrong doing, and attempts have been made to belittle and disparage the work they have done, but I believe that time will show the public's appreciation of the conscientious and sincere manner in which they performed their duties. I thank them all, indeed, not for myself, but for the City, and I herewith record my appreciation, both as Mayor and as a citizen, of what they accomplished, and the spirit and willingness with which the service was at all times performed.

The record speaks for itself, and, despite the assertions which evil self-seeking people may make, the administration of the Department has been honest and capable. The public can read the figures which I have given merely for the purpose to recall, with a little more exactitude than is generally observed, what they did. I do not believe that there is a single citizen who will not say that the police force of the City of Philadelphia was ever better managed or conducted on a higher plane than it is to-day; that the Fire Department was ever composed of a braver and more faithful set of men than it is to-day; that the improvement in street lighting has been of the greatest benefit to the City and her citizens, especially in the central section of the City; that the inspection agencies of the Department have been conducted in a highly successful and painstaking manner; that great improvements have been made on the public parks for the health of the people, the improvement and erection of new bath houses and their in-

spection, for the comfort of the people; the erection of new police and fire stations and the creation of new police districts for the safety of the people, has been a record of progress and a record for the greater good of the City.

The chief operations of the Department of Public Safety, of course, are through the Police Department, bringing it in touch daily with the citizens through their contact with the officers of that Bureau, and it is safe to say that there is not a city in the world covering the area of Philadelphia with the same ratio between the area and population that is as free from crime. In the beginning of the administration, Director Clay issued strict and positive orders to the police that all forms of gambling and vice, which was then rampant throughout the City, should be stamped out and obliterated. It is a safe assertion to make that there is not another city in the world so free from the street vice, from the scenes that are witnessed nightly in large centers of population, as Philadelphia.

The Department of Health and Charities, under the direction of Dr. Joseph S. Neff, succeeded in lowering the death rate of Philadelphia, in raising the standard of sanitation throughout the City, in eliminating contagious disease as far as possible, and inculcated a love of health and life and insured better housing conditions. In the spring of 1908 a campaign of publicity was organized to educate the masses in general hygiene and sanitation, which proved profitable and has been continued.

The medical profession at large in many cities, and Philadelphia was not an exception, has frequently been in constant friction with the municipal health officers. Their co-operation, however, has been secured and many successes of the past two years have been made possible through that co-operation.

Philadelphia's Health Department, indeed, has made decided progress in its position throughout the country at large, made possible in part by its being represented at various national associations. The head of the Department is a member of the Executive Committee of the

Board of Directors of the National Association for the Study and Prevention of Infant Mortality, and he will be the official representative of Philadelphia and Chairman of an important committee at the annual Congress of the American Public Health Association, including United States, Canada, Mexico and Cuba, to be held in Havana December next.

The rate of mortality has been decreased each year during the present administration, that of 1909 being the lowest in the history of the City and 1910 was the lowest with the exception of 1909. I quote verbatim from Bulletin No. 108, Department of Commerce and Labor, Bureau of Census, United States Government, in their Mortality Statistics for the year 1909: "Among the cities with the largest amounts of decrease in the actual number of deaths returned for 1909, as compared with the previous year, are Philadelphia, Pa., 897; Boston, Mass., 696; Pittsburgh, Pa., 687; New Orleans, La., 575; Cincinnati, O., 512. *The continued decrease in the number of deaths in Philadelphia is noteworthy, the decrease for the year 1908, compared with 1907, having been 1,560.* The decrease in preventable diseases, particularly typhoid fever, pneumonia, tuberculosis, is marked.

The erection and equipment of a Hospital for Contagious Diseases, which has been said by some of the most noted men in the world on the occasion of their visit to Philadelphia in the fall of 1909, including Drs. Koch, Panvitz, of Berlin, Galmette, of Paris, and others, to be the best adapted for the purpose in the world.

The most successful and widespread in their results of the various exhibitions were the National Tuberculosis Congress, brought to this City through the generosity of many citizens and the co-operation of hospitals, dispensaries and associations interested in the anti-tuberculosis campaign, and the Milk Exhibit, held in the spring of this year.

The organization of a systematic campaign for the prevention of unnecessary infant mortality and the inauguration of a corps of municipal nurses was the first step toward the creation of a Division of Child Hygiene.

Other important improvements have been the reorganization of medical school inspection; the creation of an Ophthalmological and Dental Clinic in the City Hall for the care of the eyes and teeth of indigent school children, the first, I am informed, maintained by a municipality in this country; the creation and organization of a Division of Tenement House Inspection; the equipment of the By-berry Farms; providing for the care of 250 insane and sanitarily caring for 125 tuberculosis patients.

One of the most effective pieces of work was a three years' educational campaign to impress upon the members of the State Legislature the necessity of playing their part in the care of the feeble minded. This resulted in an appropriation from the Legislature of \$200,000 and an appropriation from Councils of \$250,000 for the erection of a Home for Feeble Minded, which will be the first institution of its kind erected and maintained by a municipality in the United States.

As a creation of the past four and one-half years the Department of Wharves, Docks and Ferries has necessarily been compelled to devote a considerable portion of its time to the preliminary arrangements for the forming of an organization competent to carry out the work of the Department, for the preparation of rules and methods to guide them in their course of conduct, and for the building up of a cohesive and efficient organization. Necessarily hampered in the beginning of their work by lack of funds, they have rendered splendid and capable service for the City in so far as it was possible. The dredging work carried on by the Department has been considerable, and has resulted in the increased depth of the harbor sufficient to accommodate the largest steamship of modern development.

Since 1907, 1,380,445 cubic yards have been dredged; 815,564 cubic yards were done by private contractors at a cost of \$125,456, and 564,881 cubic yards done by the City, at a cost of \$44,956.70, showing the value of the dredging plant, which was purchased by the City at a cost of \$259,197.42, and is now complete and rendering extensive and important work in the dredging of the harbor.

The most important achievement of the Department of Wharves, Docks and Ferries has been the completion of Municipal Pier No. 19, North Wharves, completed November 1, 1911, at a cost of \$652,799.40. This pier represents the most advanced type of any pier on the Atlantic seacoast, and is one of the notable piers of the world. It is a double-decked pier of concrete and steel construction, the lower floor being utilized for the handling of freight and has direct connection by sunken railroad tracks, being laid on the pier in order that cars may be loaded direct from steamships and shipped via the Belt Line to all parts of the United States. The upper floor of the pier is adapted to both freight and passenger traffic and has ample facilities for the handling of immigrants, the inspection of baggage by customs officers and the inspection of passengers by quarantine officials. The pier is also equipped with freight elevators of large capacity, and is all in all the most advanced step that has ever been taken for the development of our maritime interests. It will afford accommodation for the largest steamship afloat and, as a beginning of the port development, is a signal illustration of the possibilities of the port. I believe it marks the beginning of an epoch of great development in Philadelphia's commercial prosperity.

In addition to the dredging of the harbor and the construction of Vine street pier, the Department has also drawn many plans for the construction of piers of the most advanced type at other points, has made many repairs to existing piers, has fought consistently for the highest development of Philadelphia's commercial interests, has deepened the Schuylkill channel and has acquired 407.7 acres of land that can be utilized for piers and basins. Its officers have traveled abroad on behalf of the City on inspection trips for the purpose of studying every possible means for the advancement of our port, and its Director, Hasskarl, has been most energetic in the performance of his duties.

Preliminary drawings have been made for another large pier at Dock street, and land has also been acquired on Del-

aware avenue, at Vine and Callowhill streets and at Dock street, at a cost of \$306,280 to the City.

The total amount of work completed from 1907 to date has cost \$1,804,983.74, and there is at present under contract work amounting, it is estimated, to \$327,003.25, and money is also available for dredging in the Delaware and Schuylkill rivers, for the construction of bulkheads on the Delaware and Schuylkill river fronts, and for repairs to piers, amounting to \$473,017.75. The entire record of the Department has, therefore, been one of considerable progress insofar as appropriations were available. The chief feature, however, of the activities of the Department has been the consequent stimulation of all the port's activities.

The Department of Supplies, like all other Departments of the City government, has necessarily been impeded and restricted in its operation by the decisions of the Courts, which have been narrow and tending rather toward impeding the City's progress than facilitating her improvement. For instance, I refer to the decision made and by some people thought to be of great value, known as the "Pay-as-you-go" Act decision, which required that for all supplies and materials purchased by the City, a prior appropriation and contract was necessary. In other words, the City, at the beginning of every year, must know with the greatest degree of exactness, the precise amount of material that will be required, the precise amount of supplies that will be necessary, the kind and character of work which is to be performed, the conditions that will be confronted in the performance of the work, and the different kinds and classifications of materials required, and an appropriation is to be made to the Department of Supplies to provide for all these contingencies and to meet all these requirements. The City, however, has to do the work, has to meet these obligations and requirements, has to live up to and perform that which is expected and the citizenship demands and the City's growth requires. Coal has to be bought for the Water Works, paint has to be furnished, food has to be purchased, materials of all classes and descriptions have to be bought;

the poor, the insane, the helpless and the afflicted cared for, and there are demands upon the Supplies Department to furnish these supplies to the Fire Department, to the Police Department, to the Water Bureau, to the Bureau of Charities, to the Bureau of Health, that cannot be avoided, that cannot be disregarded and that have to be done, and so the Director of the Department of Supplies is forced to buy materials, is forced to obtain the consent of contractors to supply material at their own risk, to make what they call "donations," looking toward future action and future legislation by Councils to pay for them. This is unbusinesslike, unfair and unjust to the contractors and unfair to the City; it means additional time, labor and cost; it means a new system of bookkeeping; it means that the requests must go to Councils, that 135 members must sit and pass upon bills which are matters for the Director to consider alone, and for which purpose the Department was created by the Act of Assembly. The little incidental costs to pay a bill of that character often represent practically the amount of the entire bill. For instance, it may be necessary to have an ordinance of Councils to pay a bill anywhere from \$5 to \$100,000, and the proportionate cost involved in the payment of a \$5 bill is often overlooked; that it must be authorized by Councils; that it must be printed in the Appendix of Councils; that copies of it must be given to the members of Councils, and after signature by the Mayor, it must be printed in five daily and two Sunday papers; that it must be printed in the Ordinances for that year; in other words, that there is a cost of very nearly \$5 additional entailed by reason of the extra legislation required to pay a petty bill of the Department; that, in addition to the clerical work of the Department and its officers, there must be the entire work of the membership of both branches of Councils, the work of the Committee to which the matter may have been referred, of the officers of Councils, of the Mayor and of the Mayor's Office, consuming in value far more time than the cost of the said petty bill. I shall quote from the report which has been submitted to me by Director Klemmer, which gives this matter in the clearest light.

"This Department requested from Councils an appropriation of \$2,804,920 for the purpose of supplies for the year 1911. This request was responded to by Councils with an appropriation in the sum of \$1,114,530; to this amount Councils have from time to time during the year made additional appropriations in the sum of \$771,542.54. This amount of money fell far short of supplying the actual necessities of the City. As the various items of appropriation became exhausted and upon receipt of urgent requisitions from the various Bureaus, this Department acquainted the various contractors with the conditions, and in almost every instance the contractors volunteered to supply the said goods at the schedule price until such times as Councils could provide for payment. So that, notwithstanding the fact that Councils failed to appropriate a sufficient amount of money to purchase supplies for the entire year, the City, through the kindness of these contractors, has been enabled to procure supplies at the same figure as though the appropriations had been ample for the entire year. The amount of money expended, together with the amount that will be required to pay for these "donations," so to speak, will approximate \$3,000,000; in other words, Councils will be asked to appropriate in the aggregate the sum of \$1,000,000 to compensate the contractors for supplies actually needed and for which no appropriation was made, hence for which no contracts could have been entered into.

"The year just closing has been a very exacting one, as an entirely new system incident to keeping check on "donations" had to be installed, besides the fact that efficient and expeditious service could not be given to the Bureaus making requisitions, as in every instance where an item of appropriation was exhausted considerable time was required in ascertaining whether the contractor was willing to accommodate the City.

"It is well enough for those not familiar with existing conditions to criticise the Department for its apparent unbusinesslike methods, but it was a condition and not a theory that confronted the Department. Whether money was available or not, the business of the City had to go on.

The pumping stations could not be stopped for lack of coal or oil, neither could we refuse to honor requisitions for feed for the horses, or requisitions for food and clothing for the City's wards in the Philadelphia Hospital. The charges of this Department are mainly fixed charges; for instance, it is known at the beginning of the year that the sum of \$700,000 is required for the purchase of coal for the pumping stations, and Councils in their annual appropriations appropriated only \$200,000 of this sum. This Department is obliged to procure the coal in some manner or other rather than permit the pumping stations to be shut down, thus causing a water famine in the City, with all the dire ills that would follow such a course. The Department prefers to be criticised for erring on the side of mercy, rather than to stand upon the legal ground of 'No appropriation, no supplies.'

"The inmates of the Philadelphia Hospital have to be fed, clothed and kept warm, whether Councils make appropriations for these purposes or not. The fault has not been with this Department, but with the system of financiering that permits dire necessities of the City to go a-begging.

"Notwithstanding the financial conditions that have embarrassed this Department, it is a fact that the City is paying less for its supplies, with a longer time to pay for them, than any individual, business house or corporation in the City of Philadelphia."

I mention this matter, as it seems to me the best answer that can be given to those critics of the City Government who have insisted that we should follow in strict conformity acts that have been unwisely passed by the Legislature; that have outlived their period of usefulness, and that we should attempt to administer to the needs of the present with the methods of the past. The decision which I have mentioned was not the only decision that has embarrassed this administration, and, although it has been said that I have been a critic of the courts, that I have ridiculed the judges, that I have flouted the authority of the law and that the administration was a lawless one with disrespect for the courts and the judges, at this time I want to record

my belief in the authority of the courts, my belief in the judges and my respect for the law. I do not believe, however, that the courts which had cognizance of the various acts affecting the City took into consideration those broad, business-like principles of administration and justice, with a view towards safeguarding the public in their rights and for the greater good of the greater number. If I have criticised them, I believe it has been just criticism; I believe that it has been criticism based upon a sincere and firm belief that our City was a great municipal corporation; that we as executors and legislators were compelled to look to the necessities and wants of the 1,600,000 inhabitants rather than to the strict technical observance of the laws. If all the laws of this Commonwealth were enforced to-day, no one can deny that the people would rebel. Every lawyer and every judge knows that all the laws cannot be enforced; that there must be some degree of latitude; that there must be a reading into the statutes; that there must be a due regard for the rights of the people, for the rights of the State and for the rights of property. The "Pay-as-you-go" Act was but one instance.

In another instance, perhaps more notably to the City's detriment and harm, was the decision of the \$8,000,000 loan case, in which it was held that because the borrowing capacity of the City, as stated in the advertisement published in an inconspicuous manner in the newspapers, was not as great as the actual borrowing capacity of the City, which had been published and made known through the newspaper columns of the public press, that the City possessed the authority to negotiate the loan if the people voted in the affirmative, which they did in a great majority, despite the fact that the citizenship knew the City possessed the authority and that a great majority of the citizens wished the loan to be negotiated, because of this mere technicality which had been complied with in spirit, and, as far as the means available to the Department heads permitted, the people's wish must be set aside, the City's progress impeded and the City be placed to the additional cost of possibly \$100,000 to meet the expense of conducting another election. Greater than that, however, was the

harm done to the citizenship by being compelled to wait over a year for the enjoyment of public improvements that were needed. In other words, that which this administration has accomplished in reality has been accomplished in a period of three years, one and one-half years of the administration, or 33 1-3 per cent. of its time being wasted and nullified by reason of the attacks made by a group of citizens, actuated by the meanest motives.

I will not mention all the suits that have been instituted, as they are known to you, but in closing want to refer to the suit which has just been decided—the granting of the injunction restraining the City from the erection of the Convention Hall in Fairmount Park. The citizenship of the City, after long debate and consideration, voted upon a loan in the sum of one and a half million dollars to begin the construction of a Convention Hall in Fairmount Park. Here again the people knew where the building was to be located, had argued the matter, pro and con, for many weeks, with great and general interest, and had decided that it was the proper place in which to erect a Convention Hall. It was understood by all of the people who voted upon the bill that the sum required would be in excess of the appropriation, and when the matter was submitted to the Commissioners of Fairmount Park, they having authority, by virtue of the Act of Assembly, to decide on the location of buildings within the Park limits, voted unanimously that a permit be granted to the municipality to erect the Convention Hall in the Park. Indeed, the Commissioners were glad of the opportunity to secure a splendid building of that character within the limits of the territory controlled by them. There was no thought in placing it there other than securing the most favorable location and saving the City several millions of dollars which it would have to expend in the purchase of any other site, of making it the crowning glory of the Parkway, of creating a great civic center and pleasure ground for the accommodation of the hundreds of thousands of Philadelphia citizens. Although the beginning of the work of construction was necessarily delayed greatly by the eight million dollars loan decision, the bids were advertised for

and received in ample time to begin the work of construction and to have an incomplete, though adequate structure for the German Saengerfest to be held in this City in 1912, which had been induced to come to Philadelphia by promises to provide adequate and fitting accommodation for their convention. The materials that were put into the structure of this hall were to be a part of the permanent structure, and although the structure was to be used before it was completed, there was no intention of diverting the City's funds for the purpose of the construction of a purely temporary structure, but rather the sum of one and one half million dollars was to defray the expenses of beginning the construction of a building which was to cost, according to the estimates submitted, about \$4,200,000. We find that the Court has decided that the \$1,500,000 was to be used for a temporary structure; we find that they decided that the City had no right to erect any structure in Fairmount Park; that the Park Commissioners had no right to grant authority to the City to do so. It is very evident, however, that the Court has erred; that it was not a temporary structure, that it was a permanent structure; that the Court has overlooked the boat houses erected by various athletic clubs, the railroad stations, power houses and other buildings connected with electric railways; has overlooked the carrouseis and other places of amusement erected by private enterprises; has overlooked the fact that every one of the improvements in Fairmount Park has been by ordinance of Councils and by the expenditure of City moneys; has overlooked the fact that the franchises were granted to private railway corporations to run an electric railway through Fairmount Park, to construct stations, car barns, power houses and other necessary structures incident to the operation of the road; has practically intimated that Fairmount Park was a portion of the City of Philadelphia set aside to develop into a garden of weeds and an unused pasture lot.

This in brief has been the record of the administration; a record of progress, a record of activity, and before closing I will summarize briefly that which I consider the greatest achievements of the administration; namely, the

creation of two new police districts; the erection of eight new police stations; ten new fire stations and four combination police and fire stations; the creation of seven new bath houses; the establishment of thirty new parks and squares; the improvement of League Island Park; the rehabilitation of the Electrical Bureau; the completion of the high pressure fire system; the creation of the Division of Fire Escapes of the Bureau of Fire; the creation of the Bureau of Elevator Inspection; the Bureau of Contracts and Statistics; the improved lighting of the central section of the City; the suppression of vice; the completion of the Torresdale Pumping Station and the Lardner's Point Pumping Station; the completion of the Queen Lane Filtration Plant; the deepening and improving of the channel of the Delaware river; the completion of over 16 miles of main sewers and 85 miles of branch sewers; the revision and extension of the City plan; the placing of 385 streets upon the City plan; the confirmation of the Parkway plan; the purchase of Parkway property; the securing of enabling legislation for its control and the beginning of the actual development of the Parkway; the acquirement of Pennypack Creek Park; Cobb's Creek Park; Wister's Woods, and many small parks—a total of 2,075 acres of parks having been placed upon the City plan since April 1, 1907, exclusive of the extensions to Fairmount Park purchased by the Commissioners; the improvement of the Northeast Boulevard; the preparation of plans for and the beginning of the work on the improvement of South Philadelphia; the preparation of and development of the comprehensive plans for the improvement of the City; the formation of a Permanent Committee on Comprehensive Plans to insure the public's interest and the consideration of the scientific development of the municipality; the building of 58 new bridges and the reconstruction of many old ones; the experimental station established for the study of sewage disposal; the purchase of land for a sewage disposal plant; the abolition of grade crossings on the Philadelphia and Reading Railroad from Spring Garden street to Wayne Junction, and on the Richmond Branch from Somerset to Richmond street; and the abolition of

grade crossings along the line of the Philadelphia and Trenton Railroad from Norris to Butler street; the erection of a new municipal hospital for contagious diseases; the purchase of land and the award of the contract for a Hospital for the Feeble Minded; the purchase of land for the site of a Home for the Indigent; the establishment of a tubercular camp; the extensive alterations to the Philadelphia Hospital; the establishment of a municipal corps of visiting nurses; public sanitariums on the recreation piers; the establishment of a municipal dental and eye clinic; the creation of the Bureau of Tenement House Inspection; the raising of the standard of milk, and the general public interest aroused by the Department of Public Health and Charities through exhibitions and other methods of publicity calculated to interest the public in scientific means for the prevention of disease; the decrease of the mortality of the City to the lowest recorded in its history; the passage by your Honorable Bodies of 1,664 ordinances for the improvement and betterment of the City; the organization and creation of the Department of Wharves, Docks and Ferries; the improvement of the Delaware and Schuylkill river fronts; the establishment of the municipal dredging plant; the filling in of City property along the river front; the completion of the largest and most modern pier on the Atlantic seaboard; the contracting for another large pier; the bulk-heading of the river front so as to complete the bulk-heading in front of old City property; the purchase of land for harbor improvements and municipal dry-dock and portal of tunnel under the Schuylkill river; the formulation and preparation of plans for the extensive improvement of the harbor and port of Philadelphia; the widening of Delaware avenue and the purchase of land thereon for the accommodation of the structures erected by the Department.

I have summarized these that in closing it may be brought to your attention that the administration has been one of activity; has been one devoted to the best interests of the City, and the the expenditures have been made with a reasonable regard for the growth of the City, for the

necessities of the present and for the adequate provision for the future development. In other words, it has been our good fortune to have participated in the enactment of legislation and of directing the executive work not only for the present development of our City, but for its future; the administration has successfully met all the requirements that the citizenship has imposed upon it; its duties and obligations to the citizens have been met at all times in an adequate manner; there has been no cause of complaint, and all the work that has been performed has been done without increasing the tax rate of the City; the same low tax rate that was in force at the beginning of the administration is in force to-day; the borrowing capacity of the City to-day is greater than it was four years ago, and the public has been immeasurably benefited and has enjoyed many advantages without assuming any new burdens or new obligations.

It is a record that I believe all may be proud to have participated in or contributed in a small degree. In one respect, I believe, the administration has differed materially from preceding administrations. In the beginning I realized the necessity of providing for the City's growth and extension, that the municipality was growing and increasing at a rapid rate; that over 300,000 inhabitants were being added each decade; that the old plans that had been laid down by the founders of our City, although adequate at the time, were inadequate to meet the needs of a rapidly growing municipality; that the increase in transportation facilities, while to a certain extent diffusing the population, necessarily resulted in a further crowding of the congested area. The study of the plans for the future development of our City impelled me to the belief of the necessity of securing the co-operative, unbiased and intelligent advice of the City's best business and professional men. Accordingly, I called a meeting of the leading business and professional men of this City, which authorized the creation of an advisory committee to formulate plans for the City's development. This committee gave great study and consideration to the problems presented to it and evolved the plans that are to-day known as the "comprehensive plans for the future development of the City of

Philadelphia." The interest manifested in this matter soon resulted in the establishment by your Honorable Bodies of the Permanent Committee on Comprehensive Plans, the members of which were chosen from the Committee of Seventy, as the Committee of Seventy had been chosen from the citizenship, and to this Committee has been entrusted the further duty of continuing the study and formulating the plans for the future and of offering such suggestions and advice as to them seems to be for the best interest of the City. In accordance with the ordinance of your Honorable Bodies, I created a committee representative, I believe, of the City's best interests and calculated to best serve the City, and although I do not at this time wish to make any suggestions for the future guidance of the new Councils, your organization ending to-day, I ask all of you to continue your active interest in the City's development; to continue your studies for the future development of the City and not revert to the old, hap-hazard method of providing only for the present and ignoring the future, which resulted in the necessary expenditure of large sums of money to undo that which had been wrongly done.

I am thankful, indeed, that at all times during this administration I have had the earnest, hearty and cordial support of your Honorable Bodies. The City officials are indeed deserving of high praise and I believe them to be the most highly efficient public servants any municipality has ever had. It has been a source of great pleasure and delight to me to have been surrounded by the men of the various Departments, all working for the common good, and by the evident desire of your Honorable Bodies at all times and on all occasions to serve your City well and faithfully, at all times to render the best possible service for our City, and that our stewardship of the City's interests has been actuated by the purest, highest and best motives—the preservation of Philadelphia's honor and the extension of Philadelphia's growth, development, prosperity and happiness.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN E. REYBURN,

Mayor.

APPENDIX No. 2.

RESOLUTION

Of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit William and Harvey Rowland to lay a temporary terra cotta drain in Lewis street, from sewer in Tacony street to a point about 125 feet southeast of Tacony street.

Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the Director of the Department of Public Works be requested to permit William and Harvey Rowland to lay a temporary terra cotta drain in Lewis street, from sewer in Tacony street to a point about 125 feet southeast of Tacony street. The said drain to be laid under the supervision and to the satisfaction of the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Surveys) without expense to the City of Philadelphia, and shall not release the owners of property from paying the regular frontage charges whenever a sewer shall be laid in said street.

APPENDIX No. 3.

RESOLUTION

Of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit George Allen to lay a temporary terra cotta drain in the east side of Thompson street, 107 feet south of Ontario street.

Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the Director of the Department of Public Works be requested to permit George Allen to lay a temporary terra cotta drain in the east side of Thompson street 107 feet south of Ontario street. The said drain to be laid under the supervision and to the satisfaction of the Department of Public Works (Bureau

of Surveys) without expense to the City of Philadelphia, and shall not release the owners of property from paying the regular frontage charges whenever a sewer shall be laid in said street.

APPENDIX No. 4.

RESOLUTION

To appoint a Joint Special Committee of five members from each Chamber to make preparations for an appropriate celebration of the dawn of the year 1912, and to suspend Joint Rule No. 30 of the Select and Common Councils.

Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That a Joint Special Committee of five members from each Chamber shall be appointed for the purpose of making arrangements for an appropriate celebration of the dawn of the year 1912. The cost of the same not to exceed the sum of five thousand (5,000) dollars, to be charged to Item 7 in the annual appropriation to the Clerks of Councils, for the year 1912.

Resolved, That Joint Rule No. 30 of the Select and Common Councils be suspended for the purpose of enabling the Clerks of Councils to present this resolution to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval.

APPENDIX No. 5.

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR.

Philadelphia, December 14, 1911.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—I beg to call your attention to the important gathering of members of the Northeast Saengerbund, which will hold its Twenty-third National Saengerfest in Philadelphia in 1912, from June 29th to July 4th, under the auspices of the United Singers of Philadelphia. A large concert hall will be needed to accommodate the six to seven thousand singers expected and the probable audiences of twenty thousand people and upwards at each concert.

A hall of such dimensions will have to be erected specially for the occasion. For the last two years the City administration, through its then Mayor, the Honorable John E. Reyburn, has repeatedly promised the Philadelphia Singers that such a hall would be erected by the City without any cost to the Singers, but, unfortunately, the late decision of the court in the recent injunction case prevented such consummation.

This decision was a great blow to the Singers, as they had entire confidence in the promise made to them, and they naturally made no other arrangements for a site or hall. The last National Saengerfest was held in the City of Philadelphia in 1897. It attracted vast numbers of strangers and proved of much educational value to the citizens of Philadelphia through the magnificent concerts given by the singing societies coming from all parts of the Eastern States of our country.

Philadelphia's hospitality is noted, and it would be a calamity to disappoint not only the United Singers of Philadelphia, but all kindred societies, as well as our citizens. I would therefore ask your Honorable Bodies to appropriate the sum of fifty thousand (50,000) dollars to-

wards the erection of a concert hall, the total expenses of which would amount to probably not less than one hundred thousand (100,000) dollars.

Will you kindly give this request your earliest possible attention, as no time must be lost in order to complete the hall in time for the festival, from June 29th to July 4th.

Very respectfully yours,

RUDOLPH BLANKENBURG,

Mayor.

APPENDIX No. 6.

RESOLUTION

Of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit the General Construction Company to lay a temporary vitrified pipe drain in Quincy and Emlen streets.

Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the Director of the Department of Public Works be requested to permit the General Construction Company to lay a temporary vitrified pipe drain in Quincy street, from Pelham road westward about one hundred and sixty-nine feet, and in Emlen street, from Pelham road northwestward about three hundred and thirty feet. The said drain to be laid under the supervision and to the satisfaction of the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Surveys), without expense to the City of Philadelphia, and shall not release the owners of property from paying the regular frontage charges whenever a sewer shall be laid in said street.

APPENDIX No. 7.

RESOLUTION

Of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit Armstrong & Wiley to lay a temporary terra cotta drain in the south side of Sansom street, from Fifty-sixth street east about 125 feet.

Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the Director of the Department of Public Works be requested to permit Armstrong & Wiley to lay a temporary terra cotta drain in the south side of Sansom street, from Fifty-sixth street east about 125 feet. The said drain to be laid under the supervision and to the satisfaction of the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Surveys), without expense to the City of Philadelphia, and shall not release the owners of property from paying the regular frontage charges whenever a sewer shall be laid in said street.

APPENDIX No. 8.

RESOLUTION

Of request to the Committee on Commerce and Navigation to investigate the charges that the mud was returning to the Delaware river after being dredged.

Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the Committee on Commerce and Navigation be authorized and requested to investigate the charges that the mud was returning to the Delaware river after being dredged.

APPENDIX No. 9.

RESOLUTION

Requesting the Director of the Department of Public Safety to advertise for a lot for fire and police purposes in the vicinity of Nineteenth street and Hunting Park avenue, Thirty-eighth Ward.

Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the Director of the Department of Public Safety be authorized to advertise for a lot for fire and police purposes in the vicinity of Nineteenth street and Hunting Park avenue and report to Councils the result of such advertisement, with such recommendations in connection therewith as he sees fit to make.

APPENDIX No. 10.

Philadelphia, December 21, 1911.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred an ordinance entitled “An Ordinance to approve the sureties on the official bonds of Michael J. Ryan, City Solicitor; George D. Porter, Director of the Department of Public Safety; George W. Norris, Director of the Department of Wharves, Docks and Ferries; Morris L. Cooke, Director of the Department of Public Works; and Herman Loeb, Director of the Department of Supplies,” respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

John P. Connelly (*Ch’n*), E. Buchholz, Chas. Seger, H. J. Trainer, G. P. Darrow, Thomas J. Morton, Thomas J. Ryan, Edward W. Patton, Chas. A. Gillingham, Peter E. Costello, John F. Flaherty, Robert S. McElroy, George D’Autrechy, John H. Baizley, John H. Hahn, Wm. E. Finley.

• AN ORDINANCE

To approve the sureties on the official bonds of Michael J. Ryan, City Solicitor; George D. Porter, Director of the Department of Public Safety; George W. Norris, Director of the Department of Wharves, Docks and Ferries; Morris L. Cooke, Director of the Department of Public Works; Herman Loeb, Director of the Department of Supplies; and John D. Powers and Frank J. Gorman, County Commissioners.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Fidelity and Deposit Company, of Baltimore, Md., be, and it is hereby approved as surety on the official bond of Michael J. Ryan, City Solicitor, in the sum of ten thousand (10,000) dollars, for the faithful performance of his duties; that

the United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, of Baltimore, Md., be, and it is hereby approved as surety on the official bond of George D. Porter, Director of the Department of Public Safety, in the sum of twenty-five thousand (25,000) dollars, for the faithful performance of his duties; that the United States Fidelity and Guaranty Company, of Baltimore, Md., be, and it is hereby approved as surety on the official bond of George W. Norris, Director of the Department of Wharves, Docks and Ferries, in the sum of twenty-five thousand (25,000) dollars, for the faithful performance of his duties; that the National Surety Company, of New York, be, and it is hereby approved as surety on the official bond of Morris L. Cooke, Director of the Department of Public Works, in the sum of twenty-five thousand (25,000) dollars, for the faithful performance of his duties; that the National Surety Company, of New York, be, and it is hereby approved as surety on the official bond of Herman Loeb, Director of the Department of Supplies, in the sum of twenty-five thousand (25,000) dollars, for the faithful performance of his duties; that the National Surety Company, of New York, be, and it is hereby approved as the surety on the official bond of John D. Powers, County Commissioner, in the sum of ten thousand (10,000) dollars, for the faithful performance of his duties; that the Massachusetts Bonding and Insurance Co., of Boston, Mass., be, and it is hereby approved as the surety on the official bond of Frank J. Gorman, County Commissioner, in the sum of ten thousand (10,000) dollars, for the faithful performance of his duties.

APPENDIX No. 11.

Philadelphia, December 21, 1911.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which
was referred an ordinance entitled “An Ordinance di-

recting the City Treasurer to withdraw the Tradesmen's Trust Company deposit from his daily returns," respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

John P. Connelly (*Ch'n*), E. Buchholz, Chas. Seger, H. J. Trainer, G. P. Darrow, Thomas J. Morton, Thomas J. Ryan, Edward W. Patton, Chas. A. Gillingham, Peter E. Costello, John F. Flaherty, Robert S. McElroy, George D'Autreehy, John H. Baizley, John H. Hahn, Wm. E. Finley.

AN ORDINANCE

Directing the City Treasurer to withdraw the Tradesmen's Trust Company deposit from his daily returns.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the City Treasurer be, and is hereby authorized to withdraw from the sworn returns made by him the amount on deposit in the Tradesmen's Trust Company City Fund Account, and to open a bank account, to be known as "Suspense Account," to keep the same alive.

APPENDIX No. 12.

Philadelphia, December 21, 1911.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance to provide for the transfer of unexpended balances appropriated or borrowed for school purposes to the use of the school authorities of the School District of Philadelphia, and authorizing the countersigning of a warrant or warrants for said purposes," respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the an-

nexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

John P. Connelly (*Ch'n*), E. Buchholz, Chas. Seger, H. J. Trainer, G. P. Darrow, Thomas J. Morton, Thomas J. Ryan, Edward W. Patton, Chas. A. Gillingham, Peter E. Costello, John F. Flaherty, Robert S. McElroy, George D'Antrechy, John H. Baizley, John H. Hahn, Wm. E. Finley.

AN ORDINANCE

To provide for the transfer of unexpended balances appropriated or borrowed for school purposes to the use of the school authorities of the School District of Philadelphia, and authorizing the drawing and countersigning of a warrant or warrants for said purpose.

WHEREAS, By Act of Assembly approved the eighteenth day of May, 1911, entitled "An Act to establish a public school system in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, together with the provisions by which it shall be administered, and prescribing penalties for the violation thereof; providing revenue to establish and maintain the same, the method of collecting such revenue, and repealing all laws, general, special or local, or any parts thereof, that are or may be inconsistent therewith," it was provided that from and after the beginning of the first school year following the approval of said Act, all the public school property in this Commonwealth now held, owned or possessed by any municipality for the use of any school district, or for school purposes, was thereby transferred and assigned to the proper school district established by said Act, and that at the beginning of the first school year succeeding the approval of the said Act, all the funds and personal property of any kind, including any funds or appropriations made by any municipality for such school district, should become the property of such district succeeding thereto;

AND WHEREAS, At the beginning of the school year succeeding the approval of said Act, to wit: January 1, 1912, there will be in the City Treasury certain unex-

pended balances of money collected and appropriated for educational purposes, and also, certain unexpended balances of City loans created for school purposes; now, therefore,

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That in order to facilitate the transfer of said funds as directed by said Act of Assembly, the President of the Board of Directors of the School District of Philadelphia be, and he is hereby authorized to draw, on or after the first day of January, 1912, and the City Controller is authorized to countersign, a warrant or warrants upon the City Treasurer in favor of the Treasurer of the School District of Philadelphia for the said unexpended balances, and upon the drawing, countersignature and presentation of said warrant or warrants, the City Treasurer shall credit the amount thereof to the School District of Philadelphia, and shall hold the same as the Treasurer of the said School District of Philadelphia for school purposes and subject to the order of the proper school authorities.

APPENDIX No. 13.

Philadelphia, December 21, 1911.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Law Department, for the year 1912,” respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

John P. Connelly (*Ch’n*), E. Buchholz, Chas. Seger, H. J. Trainer, G. P. Darrow, Thomas J. Morton, Thomas J. Ryan, Edward W. Patton, Chas. A. Gillingham, Peter

E. Costello, John F. Flaherty, Robert S. McElroy, George D'Autrechy, John H. Baizley, John H. Hahn, Wm. E. Finley.

AN ORDINANCE

To make an appropriation to the Law Department, for the year 1912.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the sum of one hundred and seventy-six thousand four hundred and ninety (176,490) dollars be, and the same is hereby appropriated to the Law Department, for the year 1912.

Item 1. For salaries: City Solicitor, ten thousand (10,000) dollars; first assistant, six thousand (6,000) dollars; one assistant, at five thousand (5,000) dollars; four assistants, four thousand (4,000) dollars each; nine assistants, three thousand (3,000) dollars each; two assistants, two thousand five hundred (2,500) dollars each; five assistants, two thousand four hundred (2,400) dollars each; one assistant, two thousand (2,000) dollars; three assistants, one thousand eight hundred (1,800) dollars each; six assistants, one thousand five hundred (1,500) dollars each: *Provided*, That neither such assistant or assistants, nor any member of a law firm with which any such assistant or assistants may be associated in the practice of law, or otherwise, shall be employed, engaged, or render service or services as counsel or attorney against the City, in any Court proceeding or proceedings, in which the City and County of Philadelphia, or any Department or Bureau thereof, directly or indirectly, may be a party, either in a civil or criminal case, under penalty of immediate dismissal; cashier, one thousand eight hundred (1,800) dollars; two clerks, one thousand five hundred (1,500) dollars each; two stenographers, one thousand five hundred (1,500) dollars each; four clerks, one thousand four hundred (1,400) dollars each; five stenographers and clerks, one thousand two hundred and fifty (1,250) dollars each; seven clerks, one thousand two hundred (1,200) dollars each; five clerks, one thousand (1,000) dollars each; two writ servers, one thousand (1,000) dollars each;

two messengers, one thousand (1,000) dollars each; custodian, one thousand (1,000) dollars; two clerks, nine hundred (900) dollars each; librarian, nine hundred (900) dollars; two cleaners, four hundred and twenty (420) dollars each; matron, one thousand (1,000) dollars; special evidence agent, one thousand five hundred (1,500) dollars; total, one hundred and forty-one thousand four hundred and ninety (141,490) dollars.

Item 2. For Prothonotary's costs, Magistrates' costs and expenses in City cases, one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Item 3. For experts, fifteen thousand (15,000) dollars.

Item 4. For miscellaneous expenses, two thousand (2,000) dollars.

Item 5. For advertising, affidavits, postage, serving notices and blue prints, ten thousand (10,000) dollars.

Item 6. For conveyancing and expenses of conveyancing, and road jurors, four thousand five hundred (4,500) dollars.

Item 7. For law books, five hundred (500) dollars.

Item 8. For witness fees, two thousand (2,000) dollars.

And warrants shall be drawn by the City Solicitor in conformity with existing ordinances.

All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith be, and the same are hereby repealed.

APPENDIX No. 14.

Philadelphia, December 21, 1911.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred the bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Commissioners of Fairmount Park,

for the year 1912," respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

John P. Connelly (*Ch'n*), E. Buchholz, Chas. Seger, H. J. Trainer, G. P. Darrow, Thomas J. Morton, Thomas J. Ryan, Edward W. Patton, Chas. A. Gillingham, Peter E. Costello, John F. Flaherty, Robert S. McElroy, George D'Autrechy, John H. Baizley, John H. Hahn, Wm. E. Finley.

AN ORDINANCE

To make an appropriation to the Commissioners of Fairmount Park, for the year 1912.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the sum of five hundred and thirteen thousand and seventy-eight (513,078) dollars and seventy-five (75) cents be, and the same is hereby appropriated to the Commissioners of Fairmount Park, for the year 1912.

Item 1. For salaries: Park Solicitor, one thousand two hundred (1,200) dollars; secretary, three thousand (3,000) dollars; clerk, one thousand four hundred (1,400) dollars; chief engineer and superintendent, four thousand five hundred (4,500) dollars; landscape gardener, two thousand (2,000) dollars; assistant engineer, one thousand six hundred and fifty (1,650) dollars; chief clerk, one thousand three hundred and fifty (1,350) dollars; messenger, nine hundred (900) dollars; total, sixteen thousand (16,000) dollars: *Provided*, The chief engineer and superintendent shall give his entire time and undivided attention to the duties of his office.

Item 2. For incidentals, cleaning office, stationery, printing, analysis of water, hire of vehicles, rental of telephones, and printing annual report, three thousand (3,000) dollars.

Item 3. For maintenance of Park, including care of roads, walks, drives, etc., fuel, stationery, maintenance and repair of automobiles and incidentals, one hundred

and fifty thousand (150,000) dollars; *Provided*, Not more than seven men shall be paid forty (40) dollars a month from this item to perform such duties as the superintendent may designate: *Provided, further*, That the Commissioners are authorized to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, one warrant for the payment of all employees on the general maintenance roll: *Provided, further*, That said employees shall give proper warrant of attorney in favor of the Secretary of the Commission, as approved by the City Controller.

Item 4. For music and care of music pavilions, fourteen thousand (14,000) dollars: *Provided*, No award for music shall be made unless approved by Councils' Committee on Fairmount Park: *Provided, also*, That said musicians shall be members of an incorporated society of musicians of Philadelphia and citizens of the United States.

Item 5. For the care of Horticultural Hall and Arboretum, including fuel, attendance, materials and repairs, maintenance of fountains and water supply, twenty thousand (20,000) dollars.

Item 6. For the care of nurseries, planting, transplanting and trimming trees, preservation of woodlands and purchase of new stock, four thousand (4,000) dollars.

Item 7. For the pay, equipment and incidental expenses of the Park Guard: Captain, at two thousand (2,000) dollars per annum; lieutenant, one thousand five hundred (1,500) dollars per annum; four sergeants, at three (3) dollars and fifty (50) cents per day each; one hundred and nine guards, at two (2) dollars and seventy-five (75) cents per day each; driver, park ambulance, at fifty (50) dollars per month; six attendants at women's retiring houses, at thirty (30) dollars per month each; ten attendants at women's retiring houses, six months, at thirty (30) dollars per month each; for uniforms and equipments, three thousand five hundred (3,500) dollars; for fuel, stationery, care and repair of station houses, guard boxes, keep of horses and other incidental expenses, three thousand (3,000) dollars; total, one hundred and twenty-nine thousand and seventy-eight (129,078) dollars and seventy-five (75) cents.

Item 8. For sprinkling drives and for purchase of new wagons and repairs to old, fifteen thousand (15,000) dollars.

Item 9. For the maintenance of St. George's House, five hundred (500) dollars.

Item 10. For care and maintenance of Memorial Hall, twenty thousand (20,000) dollars.

Item 11. For repairing and improving Memorial Hall, two thousand five hundred (2,500) dollars.

Item 12. For improving and macadamizing drives, three thousand (3,000) dollars.

Item 13. For repairs to buildings, erection of shelters, retiring houses and urinals; also, the erection and repair of fences, four thousand (4,000) dollars: *Provided*, That not less than two thousand (2,000) dollars be expended for the erection of new shelters, retiring houses and urinals.

Item 14. For repairs to settees and picnic tables, one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Item 14½. For purchase of settees and picnic tables, three thousand (3,000) dollars: *Provided*, It shall be expended prior to July 1, 1912.

Item 15. For maintenance and extension of present system of electric lights, thirty-seven thousand five hundred (37,500) dollars; for maintenance and extension of Welsbach incandescent naphtha lamps, ten thousand five hundred (10,500) dollars; total, forty-eight thousand (48,000) dollars: *Provided*, That the price paid shall not be in excess of that paid by the City in the localities of the Park.

Item 16. For extension and improvement of the water supply and for developing springs in various sections of the Park, one thousand five hundred (1,500) dollars.

Item 17. For care, maintenance and improvement of Hunting Park, eight thousand five hundred (8,500) dollars; for electric lighting, one thousand five hundred (1,500) dollars; for music, one thousand (1,000) dollars; total, eleven thousand (11,000) dollars: *Provided*, The price paid for electric lighting shall not be in excess of that paid by the City in that locality.

Item 18. For the purchase of manure and fertilizers, two thousand five hundred (2,500) dollars; cutting grass and mowing lawns and destruction of poisonous vines, five thousand (5,000) dollars; total, seven thousand five hundred (7,500) dollars.

Item 19. For the betterment of the ground used and the maintenance of the Zoological Garden, fifty thousand (50,000) dollars: *Provided*, That this sum shall be paid on March 1st and September 1st, in equal payments, on the certificate of the President of the Board of Public Education that one hundred and twenty-five thousand (125,000) tickets have been distributed before March 1st and a like number before September 1st, entitling pupils of the public schools to admission.

Item 20. For the preservation and care of present forest trees, and purchase of appliances, destruction of caterpillars and other insects, three thousand five hundred (3,500) dollars.

Item 21. For care and maintenance of Burholme Park, five thousand (5,000) dollars.

Item 22. For Park Guards' Pension Fund, one thousand five hundred (1,500) dollars.

Provided, That before Item 19, for Zoological Garden, shall become available, Councils shall be represented in the Board of Managers of said Garden by one member from Select Council and one from Common Council, to be selected by each branch thereof: *And provided*, That the Commissioners of Fairmount Park be, and they are hereby requested to enforce the provisions of the Act of Assembly of April 14, 1868, prohibiting the sale of intoxicating liquors within the limits of said Park: *Provided, also*, That no warrant shall be drawn against this appropriation unless the meetings of the Commission and its committees shall be open to the public: *Provided, further*, That before any warrants for contract work are countersigned by the City Controller, the contractor shall file an affidavit with him that the provisions of the ordinance of Councils entitled "An Ordinance for the employment only of American citizens by contractors doing work for the City of Philadelphia," approved December 16, 1896, has been complied with.

And warrants for said appropriation shall be drawn by the said Commissioners in conformity with existing ordinances.

All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith be, and the same are hereby repealed.

APPENDIX No. 15.

Philadelphia, December 21, 1911.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Mayor, for the year 1912,” respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

John P. Connelly (*Ch’n*), E. Buchholz, Chas. Seger, H. J. Trainer, G. P. Darrow, Thomas J. Morton, Thomas J. Ryan, Edward W. Patton, Chas. A. Gillingham, Peter E. Costello, John F. Flaherty, Robert S. McElroy, George D’Autrechy, John H. Baizley, John H. Hahn, Wm. E. Finley.

AN ORDINANCE

To make an appropriation to the Mayor, for the year 1912.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the sum of five hundred and nine thousand three hundred (509,300) dollars be, and the same is hereby appropriated to the Mayor, for the year 1912.

Item 1. For salary of Mayor, twelve thousand (12,000) dollars.

Item 2. For salaries: Mayor’s secretary, six thousand (6,000) dollars; chief clerk, two thousand (2,000) dol-

lars; confidential clerk, one thousand two hundred (1,200) dollars; clerk, one thousand (1,000) dollars; messenger, one thousand two hundred (1,200) dollars; total, eleven thousand four hundred (11,400) dollars.

Item 3. For miscellaneous advertising, postage, hire of vehicles, telegraph and messenger service, meals for regular employees when on extra or night work, car fare, newspapers, cleaning offices and incidentals, ten thousand (10,000) dollars.

Item 4. For maintenance of automobile and salaries of chauffeurs, five thousand (5,000) dollars.

Item 5. Bureau of Contracts and Statistics: Chief, two thousand four hundred (2,400) dollars; assistant, one thousand eight hundred (1,800) dollars; accountant, one thousand five hundred (1,500) dollars; clerk, one thousand two hundred (1,200) dollars; assistant accountant and stenographer, one thousand (1,000) dollars; messenger, five hundred (500) dollars; total, eight thousand four hundred (8,400) dollars.

Item 6. For advertising ordinances, twenty thousand (20,000) dollars: *Provided*, That in no case shall the rate exceed ten (10) cents per line for papers that have a bona fide circulation up to and including fifty thousand (50,000); fifteen (15) cents per line for papers that have a circulation between fifty thousand (50,000) and one hundred and twenty-five thousand (125,000), and twenty (20) cents per line for papers that have a circulation of over one hundred and twenty-five thousand (125,000): *Provided, further*, That all ordinances be printed in agate type in all the editions of the newspapers accepting such advertisement.

Item 7. For printing certificates for City loan, six hundred (600) dollars.

Item 8. For salary of loan and transfer agent, eighteen thousand (18,000) dollars.

Item 9. For the purpose of enabling the Mayor to offer rewards for the discovery of perpetrators of any crime, upon the approval of the Presidents of the Select and Common Councils, five hundred (500) dollars.

. Item 10. To the Board of Trustees, for the promotion and maintenance of a Free Library: For salaries, eighty-seven thousand two hundred (87,200) dollars; for rent, twenty-eight thousand five hundred (28,500) dollars; bindery, ten thousand (10,000) dollars; electric lighting, three thousand five hundred (3,500) dollars; insurance, two thousand (2,000) dollars; hauling and general expenses, four thousand five hundred (4,500) dollars; repairs and alterations, four thousand (4,000) dollars; books, nineteen thousand five hundred (19,500) dollars; maintenance of eleven Carnegie branch libraries (maintenance at 10 per cent., as per ordinance of January 11, 1904), sixty-five thousand four hundred (65,400) dollars; maintenance of Oak Lane branch, six thousand (6,000) dollars; for repairs to Carnegie branches, one thousand (1,000) dollars; total, two hundred and thirty-one thousand six hundred (231,600) dollars: *Provided*, Payments be made in quarterly installments: *And Provided*, That the minimum salary paid to Librarians in charge of branches shall be nine hundred (900) dollars.

Item 11. To the Board of Trustees of the Philadelphia Museums, for the maintenance and repairs of the Museums, forty-two thousand (42,000) dollars; for care and improvement of grounds, one thousand (1,000) dollars; allowance for extra labor, etc., in power house for Almshouse, per ordinance of Councils, three thousand (3,000) dollars; total, forty-six thousand (46,000) dollars: *Provided*, Payments be made in quarterly installments for maintenance, and for balance as bills are presented.

Item 12. To the Pennsylvania Academy of the Fine Arts, fifteen thousand (15,000) dollars: *Provided*, Payments be made quarterly: *Provided, further*, That fifty thousand tickets are supplied the Board of Education for the use of children of the public schools.

Item 13. For the Pennsylvania Museum and School of Industrial Art, twenty-five thousand (25,000) dollars.

Item 14. For Teachers' Annuity and Aid Association, ten thousand (10,000) dollars.

Item 15. For the purpose of official entertaining, five thousand (5,000) dollars.

Item 16. For the Committee on Comprehensive Plans, created by ordinance approved July 11, 1911: salaries, executive head, ten thousand (10,000) dollars per annum; chief clerk, three thousand five hundred (3,500) dollars per annum; stenographer, one thousand two hundred (1,200) dollars per annum; messenger, six hundred (600) dollars per annum; total, fifteen thousand three hundred (15,300) dollars. Miscellaneous expenses, incidentals, postage, supplies, carfare, ice, transportation, compensation of such experts and employes as the City may engage, and for such expenses as may be incurred incident to the work of the Committee and the preparation of Comprehensive Plans, etc., fifteen thousand (15,000) dollars; total, thirty thousand three hundred (30,300) dollars.

Item 17. For care and maintenance and acquirement of property for the Parkway, five thousand (5,000) dollars.

Item 18. Cost of matriculation examination for Free Scholarships, five hundred (500) dollars.

Item 19. For a safe and sane July 4th, five thousand (5,000) dollars.

Item 20. For the erection of a temporary Convention Hall, fifty thousand (50,000) dollars.

And warrants shall be drawn by the Mayor in conformity with existing ordinances.

All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith be, and the same are hereby repealed.

APPENDIX No. 16.

Philadelphia, December 21, 1911.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance to authorize certain transfers in the annual appropriations

to the various Bureaus in the Departments of Public Works, Public Health and Charities, Wharves, Docks and Ferries, Mayor, Board of Recreation, City Controller, Board of Revision of Taxes and City Treasurer, for the year 1911," respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

John P. Connelly (*Ch'n*), E. Buchholz, Chas. Seger, H. J. Trainer, G. P. Darrow, Thomas J. Morton, Thomas J. Ryan, Edward W. Patton, Chas. A. Gillingham, Peter E. Costello, John F. Flaherty, Robert S. McElroy, George D'Autrechy, John H. Baizley, John H. Hahn, Wm. E. Finley.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize certain transfers in the annual appropriations to the various Bureaus in the Departments of Public Safety, Public Works, Public Health and Charities, Wharves, Docks and Ferries, Mayor, Board of Recreation, City Controller, Board of Revision of Taxes and City Treasurer, for the year 1911.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the City Controller be, and he is hereby authorized to make the following transfers in the annual appropriations to the various Bureaus in the Departments of Public Safety, Public Works, Public Health and Charities, Wharves, Docks and Ferries, Mayor, Board of Recreation, City Controller, Board of Revision of Taxes and City Treasurer, for the year 1911, viz.: Department of Public Safety (Bureau of Police): From Item 1, for salaries, ten thousand three hundred and nine (10,309) dollars and seventeen (17) cents. Public Works (Bureau of Water): From Item 1, for salaries, two thousand (2,000) dollars; from Item 14, for wages of employees at filter stations, one thousand (1,000) dollars. Health and Charities (Director's Office): From Item 11, for the establishment of a system of boarding out foundlings, one thousand four hundred (1,400) dollars. (Bureau of Health): From Item 1, for salaries,

five hundred (500) dollars. (Bureau of Charities): From Item 11, for labor on repairs to buildings, roads and grounds, plumbing, gas and steam fitting, five hundred (500) dollars. Wharves, Docks and Ferries: From Item 22 (loan of July 1, 1909), for the construction of a bulkhead along the easterly side of Delaware avenue, from the south side of Vine street to a distance of fifty-six (56) feet, more or less, north of the north line of Callowhill street, twelve thousand three hundred and sixty (12,360) dollars and twenty-four (24) cents; from Item 26D8, for making test borings and driving test piles on site of proposed new bulkhead from South street to Christian street, and from Callowhill street to Fairmount avenue, four thousand three hundred and ninety-six (4,396) dollars and ninety (90) cents. Mayor: From Item 18½, to pay certain bills, sixteen hundred (1,600) dollars; from Item 38, for the care and maintenance of the Parkway, two thousand eight hundred (2,800) dollars. Board of Recreation: From Item 3, for playgrounds salaries, six hundred (600) dollars; from Item 4, for electric lighting, four hundred (400) dollars; from Item 7, for shelters and public comforts, three hundred (300) dollars; from Item 8, for grading, draining and resurfacing, eight hundred (800) dollars; from Item 9, for fencing and enclosure, six hundred (600) dollars; from Item 12, for heating apparatus, five hundred (500) dollars. Board of Revision of Taxes: From Item 3, for salaries, seven hundred and fifty (750) dollars; from Item 8, for carriage hire for assessors in outside districts, two hundred (200) dollars; from Item 9, for hire of automobile or carriages for members of the Board, four hundred (400) dollars. Total, forty-one thousand four hundred and sixteen (41,416) dollars and thirty-one (31) cents, to the following: Public Works (Bureau of Water): To Item 6, for repairs to boilers and machinery, one thousand (1,000) dollars; to Item 11, for advertising, postage, horse-shoeing, repairs to wagons, carts, harness, pavements, incidental and miscellaneous expenses, two thousand (2,000) dollars; to Item 26, to pay bill of East Jersey Pipe Co., now on file in the office of the City Controller, three thousand two

hundred and ninety-three (3,293) dollars and fifty-five (55) cents; to pay bill of James McNeal Bro. Co., now on file in the office of the City Controller, one thousand six hundred and thirty-six (1,636) dollars and fifty (50) cents; to pay bill of Carroll-Porter Boiler Tank Co., now on file in the office of the City Controller, one thousand two hundred and seventy-nine (1,279) dollars and thirty-five (35) cents; total, six thousand two hundred and nine (6,209) dollars and forty (40) cents.

Health and Charities (Director's Office): To Item 2, for postage, car fare and incidental expenses, etc., one thousand and forty-one (1,041) dollars and twelve (12) cents. (Bureau of Health): To Item 3, for postage and incidental expenses, five hundred (500) dollars; to Item 7, for special sanitary inspection and general expenses, to pay bills of the Department of Health, New York City, for hydrophobia serum purchased during 1909, fifty (50) dollars. (Bureau of Charities): To Item 9, for postage, carfare and incidentals, five hundred (500) dollars; to pay bill of Bell Telephone Company for installing telephone system at Byberry and for toll service, three hundred and eight (308) dollars and eighty-eight (88) cents; total, eight hundred and eight (808) dollars and eighty-eight (88) cents.

Wharves, Docks and Ferries: To Item 28 (new) (loan), for the completion of a pier and bulkhead at the foot of Dock and Spruce streets, on the Delaware river, including electric lighting and steel inspection, twelve thousand three hundred and sixty (12,360) dollars and twenty-four (24) cents, and to Item 28d (new), for the same purpose, four thousand three hundred and ninety-six (4,396) dollars and ninety (90) cents; total, sixteen thousand seven hundred and fifty-seven (16,757) dollars and fourteen (14) cents.

Mayor: To Item 8, for advertising ordinances, four thousand four hundred (4,400) dollars.

Board of Recreation: To Item 6, for playgrounds and recreation center equipment and supplies, tables, chairs, benches, erecting drinking fountains and repairs to buildings and apparatus, three thousand two hundred (3,200) dollars.

City Controller: To Item 6, to provide for monthly statements of balances in all items for the use of the Finance Committee of Councils, one thousand five hundred (1,500) dollars:

Provided, That the balance in this item, December 31, 1911, shall not merge. Board of Revision of Taxes: To Item 4, for extra clerk hire, seven hundred and fifty (750) dollars; to Item 5, for stationery, printing, blanks, blank books, binding and rebinding, four hundred (400) dollars, of which sum one hundred and fifty (150) dollars is to pay for a new set of Assessors' books, and the Board of Revision is authorized and directed to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of the Dunlap Printing Company for this amount; to Item 7, for incidentals, postage, house cleaning and advertising appeals, two hundred (200) dollars. City Treasurer: To Item 17, to complete settlement with the State of Pennsylvania for the maintenance of the indigent insane in the several State hospitals, two thousand five hundred and ninety-nine (2,599) dollars and seventy-seven (77) cents.

APPENDIX No. 17.

Philadelphia, December 21, 1911.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance directing that balances in certain items in the annual appropriations for the year 1911, to the various Bureaus in the Departments of Public Safety, Public Works, Mayor, Board of Recreation, Clerks of Councils, Commissioners of Fairmount Park and Board of Revision of Taxes, shall not merge December 31, 1911," respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

John P. Connelly (*Ch'n*), E. Buchholz, Chas. Seger, H. J. Trainer, G. P. Darrow, Thomas J. Morton, Thomas J. Ryan, Edward W. Patton, Chas. A. Gillingham, Peter

E. Costello, John F. Flaherty, Robert S. McElroy, George D'Autrechy, John H. Baizley, John H. Hahn, Wm. E. Finley.

AN ORDINANCE

Directing that balances in the annual appropriations for the year 1911, to the various Bureaus in the Departments of Public Safety, Public Works, Mayor, Board of Recreation, Clerks of Councils, Commissioners of Fairmount Park and Board of Revision of Taxes, shall not merge December 31, 1911.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That all balances remaining December 31, 1911, to the credit of certain items in the annual appropriations to the various Bureaus in the Departments of Public Safety, Public Works, Mayor, Board of Recreation, Clerks of Councils, Commissioners of Fairmount Park and Board of Revision of Taxes, viz.: Departments of Public Safety (Fire), Item 1: Public Works (Bureau of Surveys), Item 36; Mayor, Items 3, 4 and 8; Board of Recreation, Item 6, 7 and 11; Clerks of Councils, Item 7½; Commissioners of Fairmount Park, Items 15 and 25; and Board of Revision of Taxes, Item 4, shall not merge December 31, 1911.

APPENDIX No. 18.

Philadelphia, December 21, 1911.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred an ordinance entitled “An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Board of Recreation, for the year 1912,” respectfully report that they have carefully

considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

John P. Connelly (*Ch'n*), E. Buchholz, Chas. Seger, H. J. Trainer, G. P. Darrow, Thomas J. Morton, Thomas J. Ryan, Edward W. Patton, Chas. A. Gillingham, Peter E. Costello, John F. Flaherty, Robert S. McElroy, George D'Autrechy, John H. Baizley, John H. Hahn, Wm. E. Finley.

AN ORDINANCE

To make an appropriation to the Board of Recreation, for the year 1912.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the sum of one hundred and fifty-three thousand three hundred and eighty (153,380) dollars be, and the same is hereby appropriated to the Board of Recreation, for the year 1912.

Item 1. For salaries: Executive secretary, three thousand (3,000) dollars; stenographer, seven hundred and twenty (720) dollars; messenger, six hundred (600) dollars; total, four thousand three hundred and twenty (4,320) dollars.

Item 2. For stationery, printing, postage, telephone, car fare, cleaning office, ice, towels, soap, drawing materials, printing annual report, hire of vehicles, telephone and messenger service, office furnishing, fixtures and supplies and incidentals, one thousand five hundred (1,500) dollars.

Item 3. For playground employees' salaries: One principal, one thousand three hundred (1,300) dollars; seven principals at one thousand two hundred (1,200) dollars each; six assistant principals, one thousand (1,000) dollars each; eighteen teachers, nine hundred and sixty (960) dollars each; twenty-eight assistant teachers, seven hundred and eighty (780) dollars each; four caretakers, eight hundred (800) dollars each; thirteen caretakers, seven hundred and twenty (720) dollars each; four assistant caretakers, six hundred (600) dollars each; four special officers of pavilions, seven hundred and twenty (720) dol-

lars each, and uniforms, forty (40) dollars each; eight janitors, seven hundred and twenty (720) dollars each; seven assistant janitors, six hundred (600) dollars each; eleven watchmen, six hundred (600) dollars each; wages, temporary employees, two thousand two hundred and twenty (2,220) dollars; total, ninety-one thousand six hundred (91,600) dollars.

Item 4. For the purchase, planting, transplanting, trimming and preservation of trees, plants, flowers, grass and shrubbery, one thousand five hundred (1,500) dollars.

Item 5. For the maintenance of grounds, including walks and incidental repairs to appurtenances, appliances and apparatus, one thousand five hundred (1,500) dollars.

Item 6. For repairs to buildings, erection of shelters, retiring houses and urinals, erection and repair of fences and enclosures, erection and repair of drinking fountains, fifteen thousand (15,000) dollars.

Item 7. For the purchase and repair of benches, chairs and tables, one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Item 8. For fuel and heating, one thousand nine hundred and sixty (1,960) dollars.

Item 9. For maintenance, extension and care of lights, five thousand (5,000) dollars.

Item 10. For removing snow and ice from walks and pavements, one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Item 11. For playground apparatus, appurtenances and appliances, five thousand (5,000) dollars.

Item 12. For heating apparatus, one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Item 13. For the construction of wading pools, three thousand (3,000) dollars.

Item 14. For resurfacing and draining of grounds, twenty thousand (20,000) dollars.

Provided, That for the payment of the salaries of the principals, assistant principals, teachers, assistant teachers, caretakers, assistant caretakers, janitors, assistant jani-

tors, watchmen, special officers, and all other permanent or temporary employees embraced in Item 3, one warrant shall be drawn in the name of the executive secretary, and payment to said employees shall thereupon be made by such executive secretary: *And provided*, The said Board shall be allowed, when they deem it to the best interest of the City, to purchase or contract, without advertising, bills not exceeding the sum of five hundred (500) dollars.

APPENDIX No. 19.

Philadelphia, December 21, 1911.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred an ordinance entitled “An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of Wharves, Docks and Ferries, for the year 1912,” respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

John P. Connelly (*Ch’n*), E. Buchholz, Chas. Seger, H. J. Trainer, G. P. Darrow, Thomas J. Morton, Thomas J. Ryan, Edward W. Patton, Chas. A. Gillingham, Peter E. Costello, John F. Flaherty, Robert S. McElroy, George D’Autrechy, John H. Baizley, John H. Hahn, Wm. E. Finley.

AN ORDINANCE

To make an appropriation to the Department of Wharves,
Docks and Ferries, for the year 1912.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the sum of one hundred and fifty-seven thousand two hundred and ten (157,210) dollars be, and the same is hereby appropriated to the Department of Wharves, Docks and Ferries, for the year 1912.

Item 1. For salaries: Director, ten thousand (10,000) dollars; assistant director, four thousand (4,000) dollars; secretary, two thousand five hundred (2,500) dollars; five dockmasters, two thousand (2,000) dollars each, and uniforms, forty (40) dollars each; collector of rents and wharfage, two thousand four hundred (2,400) dollars; register of arrivals and clearances, one thousand eight hundred (1,800) dollars; chief clerk, one thousand five hundred (1,500) dollars; chief inspector, two thousand (2,000) dollars; inspector of dock dredging, one thousand (1,000) dollars, and uniforms, forty (40) dollars; three inspectors, one thousand (1,000) dollars each, and uniforms, forty (40) dollars each; two stenographers, nine hundred (900) dollars each; notice server, nine hundred (900) dollars, and uniforms, forty (40) dollars; messenger and clerk, nine hundred (900) dollars, and uniforms, forty (40) dollars; two clerks, one thousand two hundred (1,200) dollars each; superintendent of piers and wharfinger, one thousand (1,000) dollars each, and uniforms, forty (40) dollars each; special officer, seven hundred and twenty (720) dollars, and uniforms, forty (40) dollars; chief draughtsman, one thousand eight hundred (1,800) dollars; total, forty-nine thousand two hundred and eighty (49,280) dollars.

Item 2. For office rent of Department's offices in Bourse Building, three thousand nine hundred (3,900) dollars: *Provided*, That the lease shall not be renewed unless by resolution of Councils.

Item 3. For advertising, postage and car fare, one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Item 4. For office and miscellaneous supplies, five hundred (500) dollars.

Item 5. For repairs and alterations to City wharves, bulkheads, landings and recreation piers, ten thousand (10,000) dollars.

Item 6. For fees of auctioneers, five hundred (500) dollars.

Item 7. For miscellaneous expenses, advertising, transportation, incidentals and postage, City ice boats and dredging plant, eight hundred (800) dollars.

Item 8. For expenses of operating City ice boats, salaries and wages: Superintendent of boats, two thousand five hundred (2,500) dollars; clerk and watchman, nine hundred (900) dollars; wages, thirteen thousand two hundred (13,200) dollars; total, sixteen thousand six hundred (16,600) dollars.

Item 9. For repairs to ice boats, machinery and equipment, one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Item 10.^{*} For dues to Maritime Exchange, one hundred (100) dollars.

Item 11. For removing ashes and refuse from City piers, and lighting temporary immigrant station at Pier No. 80, South Wharves, three hundred (300) dollars.

Item 12. For salaries of employees to prepare plans and specifications, and to superintend the construction of new piers, bulkheads or other river improvements: Engineer, four thousand (4,000) dollars; three first assistant engineers, two thousand five hundred (2,500) dollars each; one first assistant engineer, two thousand (2,000) dollars; two second assistant engineers, two thousand (2,000) dollars each; one third assistant engineer, one thousand eight hundred (1,800) dollars; chief draughtsman, two thousand (2,000) dollars; draughtsman, one thousand eight hundred (1,800) dollars; draughtsman, one thousand five hundred (1,500) dollars; architectural draughtsman, one thousand eight hundred (1,800) dollars; keeper of plans and records, one thousand three hundred (1,300) dollars; assistant keeper of plans and records, one thousand (1,000) dollars; inspector of dock dredging, one thousand (1,000) dollars; six inspectors of pier repairs, nine hundred (900) dollars each; two inspectors, nine hundred (900) dollars each; one chainman, nine hundred (900) dollars; masonry and concrete inspector, one thousand eight hundred (1,800) dollars; assistant masonry and concrete inspector, nine hundred (900) dollars; secretary to board of engineers, nine hundred (900) dollars; typewriter and clerk, nine hundred (900) dollars; total, forty-two thousand three hundred (42,300) dollars.

Item 13. For maintenance of inspection boats "Eunomia" and "Inspector," two thousand five hundred (2,500) dollars.

Item 14. For expenses of operating the City dredging plant, salaries, wages and maintenance, at the rate of: Captain, one hundred and fifty (150) dollars per month; captain, one hundred and twenty-five (125) dollars per month; two captains, one hundred (100) dollars per month each; chief engineer, one hundred and ten (110) dollars per month; three chief engineers, ninety (90) dollars per month each; dredge operator, seventy-five (75) dollars per month; two assistant engineers, seventy (70) dollars per month each; eight firemen, forty (40) dollars per month each; sixteen deck hands, thirty-five (35) dollars per month each; two oilers, forty (40) dollars per month each; two coal passers, thirty (30) dollars per month each; steward, fifty-five (55) dollars per month; three stewards, forty-five (45) dollars per month each; mate, fifty-five (55) dollars per month; scowman, thirty-five (35) dollars per month; and subsistence, fifteen (15) dollars per month each; total, twenty-one thousand three hundred and thirty (21,330) dollars.

Item 15. For repairs to tug boats, dredges, machinery and equipment, five thousand (5,000) dollars.

Item 16. For extending fire main from House of Correction grounds to House of Correction wharf, one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Item 17. For water rent for fire main, one hundred (100) dollars.

Item 18. For repairs to property other than wharf property owned by the City, under control of the Department of Wharves, Docks and Ferries, one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Provided, That the Director shall be allowed, when it is in his judgment to the best interests of the City, to purchase or contract, without advertising, bills not exceeding the sum of five hundred (500) dollars.

All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith be, and the same are hereby repealed.

APPENDIX No 20.

Philadelphia, December 21, 1911.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred an ordinance entitled “An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of Supplies, for the year 1912,” respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

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AN ORDINANCE

To make an appropriation to the Department of Supplies,
for the year 1912.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the sum of one million seven hundred and fifty-seven thousand one hundred and five (1,757,105) dollars be, and the same is hereby appropriated to the Department of Supplies, for the year 1912.

Director’s Office.

Of the amount appropriated to this Department, the sum of forty-one thousand three hundred and eighty (41,380) dollars is for the expenses of the Director’s Office, as follows:

Item 1. For salaries: Director, ten thousand (10,000) dollars: *Provided*, The Director shall give his entire time and undivided attention to the duties of his office; assistant director, four thousand (4,000) dollars; chief clerk, two thousand five hundred (2,500) dollars; auditor, one

thousand eight hundred (1,800) dollars; warrant clerk, one thousand two hundred (1,200) dollars; requisition clerk, one thousand five hundred (1,500) dollars; stenographer, one thousand two hundred (1,200) dollars; file clerk, one thousand (1,000) dollars; two assistant warrant clerks, one thousand one hundred (1,100) dollars each; three bookkeepers, one thousand (1,000) dollars each; two inspectors, one thousand (1,000) dollars each; bill clerk, two miscellaneous clerks, two assistant stenographers, assistant requisition clerk, assistant file clerk and messenger; nine hundred (900) dollars each; weigher, eight hundred (800) dollars; janitor, four hundred and eighty (480) dollars; total, thirty-eight thousand eight hundred and eighty (38,880) dollars.

Item 2. For stationery, postage, printing, advertising, meals for regular employees on extra or night work, keep of horse and vehicle, not exceeding four hundred (400) dollars, two thousand five hundred (2,500) dollars.

SECT. 2. Of the amount appropriated to this Department, the sum of thirty-two thousand five hundred (32,500) dollars is for the expenses of the Mayor, Civil Service Commission, Law Department and Receiver of Taxes, as follows:

Mayor's Office.

Item 1. For stationery, printing and supplies, one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Item 2. For printing and binding the Mayor's Annual Message and accompanying documents, five thousand (5,000) dollars.

Item 3. To the Board of Trustees for the promotion and maintenance of a Free Library: For stationery, coal and supplies, nine thousand (9,000) dollars.

Item 4. To the Board of the Philadelphia Museums, for coal, three thousand (3,000) dollars; for stationery, building material and supplies, two thousand (2,000) dollars; total, five thousand (5,000) dollars.

Item 4½. For coal used in the Philadelphia Museums, on account of Department of Public Health and Charities, three thousand (3,000) dollars.

Civil Service Commission.

Item 5. For stationery and printing, two thousand (2,000) dollars.

Law.

Item 6. For blank books, stationery, paper books, blanks and supplies, two thousand five hundred (2,500) dollars.

Receiver of Taxes.

Item 7. For blank books, stationery, printing, rebinding books, and supplies for main and branch offices, five thousand (5,000) dollars.

Public Health and Charities.

SECT. 3. Of the amount appropriated to this Department, the sum of six hundred and twenty-one thousand (621,000) dollars is for the expenses of the Department of Public Health and Charities, as follows:

Director's Office.

Item 1. For printing, stationery and supplies, five hundred (500) dollars.

Health.

Item 2. For stationery, printing, books and supplies, two thousand (2,000) dollars.

Item 3. For executing the Registration Act, printing rules and information for the preservation of public health, two thousand (2,000) dollars.

Item 4. For vaccine virus, and antitoxin and other biological products, three thousand (3,000) dollars.

Item 5. For disinfecting material, two thousand (2,000) dollars.

Item 6. For groceries, meats, butter, eggs, milk, vegetables and ice at the Philadelphia Hospital for Contagious Diseases, forty-five thousand (45,000) dollars.

Item 7. For clothing, bedding, furniture, brushes, soap, drugs, coffins, instruments and supplies for Philadelphia

Hospital for Contagious Diseases, four thousand (4,000) dollars.

Item 8. For fuel, twenty thousand (20,000) dollars.

Item 9. For horses, vehicles and harness, one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Item 9½. For feed and bedding for horses, three thousand (3,000) dollars.

Item 10. For materials, apparatus and incidentals, for laboratories, one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Item 11. For food and bedding for horses at antitoxin laboratory, one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Item 12. For new apparatus, chemicals and materials for laboratory, one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Charities.

Item 13. For stationery, printing, paper and printing material and supplies, one thousand five hundred (1,500) dollars.

Item 14. For flour, corn meal, oat meal and wheaten preparations, sixty thousand (60,000) dollars.

Item 15. For meats and fish, ninety thousand (90,000) dollars.

Item 16. For groceries, vegetables, ice and tobacco, one hundred and twenty-five thousand (125,000) dollars.

Item 17. For milk and cream, seventy thousand (70,000) dollars.

Item 18. For dry goods, notions, clothing, head and foot wear, one hundred thousand (100,000) dollars.

Item 19. For furniture, crockery, and house furnishing goods, five thousand (5,000) dollars.

Item 20. For fuel, forty-five thousand (45,000) dollars.

Item 21. For oil for lighting and lubricating purposes, one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Item 22. For feed, straw and material for bedding and mattresses, five thousand (5,000) dollars.

Item 23. For horses, harness and wagon, one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Item 24. For tools and materials, used in repairs to buildings, roads and grounds, plumbing, electrical, gas and steam fittings, fifteen thousand (15,000) dollars.

Item 25. For leather lasts, shoe findings, chain filling and weaving materials, three thousand (3,000) dollars.

Item 26. For teeth and dental supplies, five hundred (500) dollars.

Item 27. For fire hose and couplings, five hundred (500) dollars.

Item 28. For the purchase of blankets for Philadelphia General Hospital, Philadelphia Hospital for Insane, five thousand (5,000) dollars.

Item 29. For the purchase of sheets and bed spreads for Philadelphia General Hospital and Philadelphia Hospital for Insane, five thousand (5,000) dollars.

Item 30. For the purchase of sheets and bed spreads, Hospital for Indigent and Philadelphia General Hospital, three thousand (3,000) dollars.

Department of Public Safety.

SECT. 4. Of the amount appropriated to this Department, the sum of four hundred and forty-eight thousand four hundred and twenty-five (448,425) dollars is for the expenses of the Department of Public Safety, as follows:

Director's Office.

Item 1. For stationery, law books and supplies, five hundred (500) dollars.

Police.

Item 2. For printing, stationery, blanks and supplies, four thousand (4,000) dollars.

Item 3. For supplies for cleaning station and patrol houses and cells, one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Item 4. For supplies for van service, five hundred (500) dollars.

Item 5. For badges, batons, buttons, belts, lanterns and whistles, five hundred (500) dollars.

Item 6. For fuel and ice at offices, station and patrol houses and police boats, twenty-thousand (20,000) dollars.

Item 7. For miscellaneous supplies at station houses, one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Item 8. For general supplies incident to maintenance of police boats, one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Item 9. For horses for van, patrol and mounted service, twenty thousand (20,000) dollars.

Item 10. For supplies for patrol wagon service, and new parts needed in repairs to the same, five hundred (500) dollars.

Item 11. For straw and feed, seventy thousand (70,000) dollars.

Item 12. For harness and stable supplies, one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Item 13. For bedding and furniture for station and patrol houses, two thousand five hundred (2,500) dollars.

Item 14. For bicycles and bicycle sundries, five hundred (500) dollars.

Item 15. For supplies for Fire Marshal and assistants, five hundred (500) dollars.

Correction.

Item 16. For stationery, printing, office fixtures, office and typewriting supplies, three hundred (300) dollars.

Item 17. For flour, feed, meats, fish, poultry, ice, groceries and other provisions, forty thousand (40,000) dollars.

Item 18. For tobacco, soap, oil and starch, two thousand (2,000) dollars.

Item 19. For clothing, dry goods, bedding, bed clothing, thread, buttons, cotton, needles and trimmings, four thousand (4,000) dollars.

Item 20. For brushes, brooms, broom corn and combs, five hundred (500) dollars.

Item 21. For lumber, paints and glass, one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Item 22. For horses, cows, wagons, harness and trimmings, five hundred (500) dollars.

Item 23. For farming utensils, manure, seeds and plants, one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Item 24. For hardware and tinware, shovels, picks, axes and handles, and hose for quarry and house, iron, steel and blacksmiths' tools, seven hundred (700) dollars.

Item 25. For powder, fuse and materials for quarry, seven hundred (700) dollars.

Item 26. For fuel for buildings and gas works, twenty thousand (20,000) dollars.

Item 27. For cement and lime for buildings and gas works, one thousand five hundred (1,500) dollars.

Item 28. For furniture, steam fittings and miscellaneous articles, one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Item 29. For leather, lasts and shoe findings, three thousand (3,000) dollars.

Item 30. For boilers and cauldrons, three hundred (300) dollars.

Fire.

Item 31. For printing, stationery and supplies, three hundred (300) dollars.

Item 32. For straw and feed, fifty thousand (50,000) dollars.

Item 33. For supplies for repairs to apparatus and rebuilding same, and for repairs to pipe line systems, five thousand (5,000) dollars.

Item 34. For supplies for engine houses, stable, fire boats, fire main pumping station, and buttons for uniforms, five thousand (5,000) dollars.

Item 35. For fuel for engines and stations, and gas for fire main pumping station, twenty thousand (20,000) dollars.

Item 36. For forcing hose and couplings and chemical hose and couplings, fifteen thousand (15,000) dollars.

Item 37. For horses, fifteen thousand (15,000) dollars.

Item 38. For harness and stable supplies, one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Item 39. For ice for fire stations and offices, six hundred (600) dollars.

Item 40. For tools for repair shop, three hundred (300) dollars.

Item 41. For bedding and furniture, one thousand five hundred (1,500) dollars.

Electrical.

Item 42. For stationery, printing and supplies, one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Item 43. For instruments and general supplies, five thousand (5,000) dollars.

Item 44. For iron post mast arms, supplies and materials incident thereto, two thousand (2,000) dollars.

Item 45. For acids, batteries and materials incident thereto, one thousand five hundred (1,500) dollars.

Item 46. For storage batteries for automatic system, one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Item 47. For instruments and materials for the improvement and extension of the police and fire telegraph, and repairs thereto, three thousand (3,000) dollars.

Item 48. For materials and instruments, extension of the lines and hospital and armory service, three hundred (300) dollars.

Item 49. For the improvement and extension of police signal and telephone service, two thousand five hundred (2,500) dollars.

Item 50. For cables, junction boxes, supplies and material for underground cable construction, seven thousand five hundred (7,500) dollars.

Item 51. For underground electrical conduits, one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Building Inspection.

Item 54. For printing, stationery, books and supplies, and transportation, one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Bureau of Elevator Inspection.

Item 55. For printing stationery, books, supplies, and transportation for inspectors, five hundred (500) dollars.

Steam Engines and Boilers.

Item 56. For certificates of inspection, engineers' certificates, printing blanks, blank books, stationery, binding and supplies, one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Item 57. For new harness, test pumps, forcing hose, gauges, tools and fittings, two hundred (200) dollars.

City Property.

Item 58. For printing, blank books, stationery, buttons and supplies, five hundred (500) dollars.

Item 59. For new benches, trees, flowers, manure, sod, supplies and material for repairs, fifteen thousand (15,000) dollars.

Item 60. For coal, ice, kindling wood and fuel, eighty-five thousand (85,000) dollars.

Item 61. For bedding and other accommodations for jurors required for the various Courts, three hundred (300) dollars.

Item 62. For flags, flagstaffs, halyards and awnings, two hundred (200) dollars.

Item 63. For supplies to City Morgue, five hundred (500) dollars.

Item 64. For supplying coal to military organizations, as follows: First Regiment, five hundred and fifty (550) dollars; Second Regiment, five hundred and fifty (550) dollars; Third Regiment, four hundred and seventy-five (475) dollars; Philadelphia Battalion Sixth Regiment, two hundred (200) dollars; Troop "A," one hundred and fifty (150) dollars; First Troop, P. C. C., two hundred

(200) dollars; Second Troop, P. C. C., one hundred (100) dollars; Naval Reserves, two hundred (200) dollars; State Fencibles, two hundred (200) dollars; Company "B," Engineers' Battalion, one hundred (100) dollars; Troop "G," Cavalry, one hundred and fifty (150) dollars; Cavalry Squadron headquarters, one hundred and fifty (150) dollars; total, three thousand and twenty-five (3,025) dollars.

Item 65. For materials and repairs to station and patrol houses, one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Item 66. For supplies for Independence Hall, two hundred (200) dollars.

Item 67. For toilet room supplies, brooms and brushes for public buildings, one thousand five hundred (1,500) dollars.

Department of Public Works.

SECT. 5. Of the amount appropriated to this Department the sum of five hundred and ninety-two thousand two hundred (592,200) dollars is for the expenses of the Department of Public Works, as follows:

Director's Office.

Item 1. For printing, stationery and supplies, five hundred (500) dollars.

Highways.

Item 2. For printing, stationery and supplies, one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Item 3. For printing, blank books, stationery and supplies (Board of Highway Supervisors), two hundred (200) dollars.

Item 4. For lumber, tools, sand, cement and materials for repairs to bridges, sewers and inlets, fifteen thousand (15,000) dollars.

Item 5. For lumber, tools, sand, cement and materials for repairs to streets, ten thousand (10,000) dollars.

Item 6. For lumber, sand, cement, tools, and materials for repairs to streets and roads not occupied by passenger railway tracks, twenty thousand (20,000) dollars.

Item 7. For lumber, sand, cement, tools and materials, including the necessary appliances for repairs to streets and roads occupied by the tracks of the Philadelphia Rapid Transit Co., out of money paid into the City Treasury by the Philadelphia Rapid Transit Co., in accordance with contract of July 1, 1907, one hundred thousand (100,000) dollars.

Item 8. For oil, coal and engineers' stores for bridges, one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Bureau of Lighting.

Item 9. For the purchase of stationery and maps, printing and office supplies, five hundred (500) dollars.

Surveys.

Item 10. For stationery, record books, draughting materials, instruments and office supplies, one thousand five hundred (1,500) dollars.

Item 11. For office supplies for District Surveyors, four thousand five hundred (4,500) dollars.

Item 12. For plan books and card index system to be used in connection therewith, five hundred (500) dollars.

Item 13. For supplies at Mingo Creek Pumping Station, two thousand five hundred (2,500) dollars.

Water.

Item 14. For stationery, office and engineers' supplies, printing, text books and supplies, five thousand (5,000) dollars.

Item 15. For coal and hauling same, three hundred and fifty thousand (350,000) dollars.

Item 16. For oil, lubricants, paints, brushes, wood and coke, ten thousand (10,000) dollars.

Item 17. For iron water pipe, special castings and pig lead, one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Item 18. For hardware, bolts, nuts, iron, steel and malleable castings, fifteen thousand (15,000) dollars.

Item 19. For gum goods and packing, twenty thousand (20,000) dollars.

Item 20. For chandlery and laboratory supplies, two thousand (2,000) dollars.

Item 21. For wrought iron pipe and fittings, two thousand (2,000) dollars.

Item 22. For fire brick and fire clay, five hundred (500) dollars.

Item 23. For brass fittings and castings, cocks and valves for steam and water, and expansion metal and lead coating, five thousand (5,000) dollars.

Item 24. For covering for steam pipes and boilers, five hundred (500) dollars.

Item 25. For lumber, ten thousand (10,000) dollars.

Item 26. For forage, five thousand (5,000) dollars.

Item 27. For iron and steel, one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Item 28. For cement, bricks, blocks, lime, sand, building stone, granite curb and coping, two thousand five hundred (2,500) dollars.

Item 29. For electrical supplies, five hundred (500) dollars.

Item 30. For tapping and pipe cutting machines and fittings, five hundred (500) dollars.

Item 31. For horses, wagons, carts, stable supplies and harness, one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Item 32. For donkey pumps, machine tools and condensers, five hundred (500) dollars.

Item 33. For special articles and small stores, one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Item 34. For lead pipes, block tin and sheet lead, two thousand (2,000) dollars.

Department of Wharves, Docks and Ferries.

SECT. 6. Of the amount appropriated to this Department the sum of twenty-one thousand six hundred (21,600) dollars is for the expenses of the Department of Wharves, Docks and Ferries, as follows:

Item 1. For stationery, printing, binding, blank books, text books, office supplies, carpets, furniture, maps, charts and draughting and engineers' instruments, five hundred (500) dollars.

City Ice Boats.

Item 2. For stationery and supplies, one hundred (100) dollars.

Item 3. For dry stores, groceries and supplies, one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Item 4. For stores, chandlery, cooking utensils, paints and oils, one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Item 5. For fuel, four thousand (4,000) dollars.

Item 6. For provisions, one thousand (1,000) dollars.

City Dredging Plant.

Item 7. For fuel, three thousand (3,000) dollars.

Item 8. For dry stores and groceries, two thousand (2,000) dollars.

Item 9. For provisions (meats, fish and poultry), two thousand (2,000) dollars.

Item 10. For chandlery, cooking utensils, paints, oils, valves, piping and fittings, two thousand (2,000) dollars.

Item 11. For the purchase of pontoon lines, shore and pipe fittings and rubber sleeves, three thousand (3,000) dollars.

Item 12. For lumber, two thousand (2,000) dollars.

SECT. 7. That the Director of the Department of Supplies shall be allowed, when it is in his judgment for the best interest of the City, to purchase or contract, without advertising, bills for the various Bureaus, not exceeding five hundred (500) dollars each.

All bids shall be opened and contracts awarded in the presence of the Committee on Printing and Supplies of Councils.

Provided, All employees in this Department now or hereafter employed shall be citizens of the United States and bona fide residents of this City at least one year prior to their employment, and shall remain said bona fide residents during such employment.

Warrants shall be drawn by the Director of the Department of Supplies in conformity with existing ordinances.

All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith be, and the same are hereby repealed.

APPENDIX No. 21.

Philadelphia, December 21, 1911.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred an ordinance entitled “An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of Public Works, for the year 1912,” respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

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AN ORDINANCE

To make an appropriation to the Department of Public Works, for the year 1912.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the sum of four

million six hundred and thirty-nine thousand seven hundred and forty (4,639,740) dollars be, and the same is hereby appropriated to the Department of Public Works, for the year 1912.

Director's Office.

Of the amount appropriated to this Department the sum of thirty-six thousand and sixty (36,060) dollars is for the expenses of the Director's office, as follows:

Item 1. For salaries: Director of the Department of Public Works, ten thousand (10,000) dollars: *Provided*, The Director shall give his entire time and undivided attention to the duties of his office; Assistant Director, four thousand (4,000) dollars; chief clerk, two thousand five hundred (2,500) dollars; clerk, one thousand five hundred (1,500) dollars; assistant clerk, one thousand two hundred (1,200) dollars; special inspector, two thousand five hundred (2,500) dollars; general inspector, two thousand five hundred (2,500) dollars; stenographer and clerk, one thousand one hundred (1,100) dollars; stenographer and typewriter, nine hundred (900) dollars; messenger, nine hundred (900) dollars; official photographer, one thousand eight hundred (1,800) dollars; assistant photographer, one thousand three hundred (1,300) dollars; office boy, three hundred and sixty (360) dollars; two chauffeurs, one thousand (1,000) dollars per annum each; total, thirty-two thousand five hundred and sixty (32,560) dollars.

Item 2. For maintenance and keep of horse and carriage and hire of vehicles for general inspector, four hundred (400) dollars.

Item 3. For advertising, carriage hire, transportation, office fixtures, postage, cleaning office and incidental expenses, one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Item 4. For maintenance and equipment of two automobiles, and uniforms for chauffeurs, two thousand (2,000) dollars.

Item 5. For annual membership fee in organization of City officials, for standardizing paving specifications, one hundred (100) dollars.

Bureau of Gas.

SECT. 2. Of the amount appropriated to this Department the sum of ten thousand (10,000) dollars is for the expenses of the Bureau of Gas, as follows:

Item 1. For salaries: Chief Inspector of Meters, five thousand (5,000) dollars; first assistant meter inspector, one thousand two hundred (1,200) dollars; second assistant meter inspector, nine hundred (900) dollars; clerk and assistant inspector, nine hundred (900) dollars; photometer inspector, seven hundred and fifty (750) dollars; messenger and assistant inspector, seven hundred and fifty (750) dollars; for stationery, printing, supplies, and incidentals, five hundred (500) dollars: *Provided*, That said officers shall give their undivided attention to said positions.

Provided, That the City Controller shall not countersign any warrants against this appropriation until the United Gas Improvement Company, its successors and assigns, first pay the sum into the City Treasury, in accordance with Clause 1 of the ordinance approved November 12, 1897, authorizing the lease of the Philadelphia Gas Works to the United Gas Improvement Company, its successors and assigns: *Provided, further*, That Section 5 of the ordinance approved April 4, A. D. 1887, entitled "An Ordinance supplementary to an ordinance entitled 'An Ordinance to carry into effect the Act of Assembly of June 1, 1885, entitled "An Act for the better government of cities of the first class in this Commonwealth," approved December 3, 1886, so far as it applies to this Bureau, be hereby repealed.

Bureau of Highways.

SECT. 3. Of the amount appropriated to this Department the sum of two million six hundred and twenty-six thousand two hundred and eighty-five (2,626,285) dollars is for the expenses of the Bureau of Highways, as follows:

Item 1. For salaries: Chief of Bureau, six thousand (6,000) dollars; assistant Chief of Bureau, three thousand

(3,000) dollars; eight assistant commissioners, each two thousand five hundred (2,500) dollars; assistant commissioner in charge of railway streets, two thousand five hundred (2,500) dollars; assistant commissioner in charge of repairs to bridges and sewers, two thousand five hundred (2,500) dollars; general inspector, one thousand eight hundred (1,800) dollars; special inspector of railway streets, one thousand five hundred (1,500) dollars; seventy-six highway inspectors, each one thousand three hundred (1,300) dollars; twenty-three inspectors of street cleaning and removal of ashes and garbage, each one thousand three hundred (1,300) dollars; two inspectors of sewer repairs, each one thousand three hundred (1,300) dollars; assistant superintendent of bridges, one thousand five hundred (1,500) dollars; draughtsman, one thousand (1,000) dollars; two inspectors of repairs to bridges, each one thousand three hundred (1,300) dollars; chief clerk, two thousand eight hundred (2,800) dollars; first assistant chief clerk, two thousand (2,000) dollars; second assistant chief clerk, one thousand one hundred (1,100) dollars; clerk of street cleaning and collection of ashes and garbage, one thousand eight hundred (1,800) dollars; contract clerk, one thousand four hundred (1,400) dollars; assistant contract clerk, one thousand two hundred (1,200) dollars; bill and warrant clerk, one thousand four hundred (1,400) dollars; assistant bill and warrant clerk, one thousand four hundred (1,400) dollars; license clerk, one thousand two hundred (1,200) dollars; assistant license clerk, nine hundred (900) dollars; custodian of records, one thousand two hundred (1,200) dollars; reference and complaint clerk, one thousand (1,000) dollars; six miscellaneous clerks, four at nine hundred (900) dollars, and two at one thousand one hundred (1,100) dollars each; chauffeur, one thousand (1,000) dollars; stenographer and clerk, nine hundred (900) dollars; two stenographers and typewriters, each seven hundred and twenty (720) dollars; ten typewriters and clerks, each seven hundred and twenty (720) dollars; messenger, eight hundred (800) dollars; three yard watchmen, seven hundred and twenty (720) dollars each; total, two hundred and ten thousand four hundred (210,400) dollars.

Item 2. For cleaning streets, inlets, private alleys, undedicated paved streets, public market houses and for the removal of ashes and house waste, one million five hundred and seventeen thousand two hundred and thirty-one (1,517,231) dollars.

Item 3. For the removal and disposal of garbage and dead animals, two hundred and seventy-eight thousand five hundred and eighty-eight (278,588) dollars.

Item 4. For expenses of the Board of Highway Supervisors: Chief Draughtsman, one thousand three hundred and fifty (1,350) dollars; seven draughtsmen, nine hundred and fifty (950) dollars each; three draughtsmen, eight hundred (800) dollars each; clerk, nine hundred (900) dollars; miscellaneous expenses, two hundred (200) dollars; total, eleven thousand five hundred (11,500) dollars.

Item 5. For advertising, five hundred (500) dollars.

Item 6. For rent of District offices, two thousand six hundred and seventy-six (2,676) dollars.

Item 7. For incidentals, postage and office expenses, one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Item 8. For hauling and yard expenses, one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Item 9. For repairs to meadow banks, to include repairs to sluiceways, one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Item 10. For salaries of two watchmen on Market street bridge, four on Callowhill street bridge, four on Girard avenue bridge, four on Penrose Ferry bridge, six on South street bridge, four on Walnut street bridge, two on Chestnut street bridge, two on Bridesburg bridge, four on Gray's Ferry bridge, two on City avenue bridge, two on Fall's bridge, one on Green lane bridge, two on Walnut lane bridge, at seven hundred and twenty (720) dollars each, and uniforms, forty (40) dollars each; two on Orthodox street bridge, and two on Rhawn street bridge, at six hundred (600) dollars each, and uniforms, forty (40) dollars each; three engineers on Penrose Ferry bridge, and three engineers on Gray's Ferry bridge, at one thousand (1,000) dollars each, and uniforms, forty (40) dol-

lars each; total, thirty-eight thousand four hundred and forty (38,440) dollars; *Provided*, That the money appropriated in this item for uniforms shall be paid to each man.

Item 11. For grading, curbing, paving and repaving footways, and resetting curbs in front of City and un-assessable property, two thousand (2,000) dollars.

Item 12. For repairing and repaving tramway streets with improved pavement, one thousand (1,000) dollars: *Provided*, That in repaving tramway streets, where from one intersection to the next a majority of the tramway stones are broken or worn out, the Director of the Department of Public Works may substitute from curb to curb of said streets granite blocks with cemented joints, sheet asphalt, vitrified brick or block pavement: *Provided*, also, That in repairing gutters where the present gutter stones from one intersection to the next are unfitted for the purpose, the Director of the Department of Public Works may pave said gutters with granite blocks with cemented joints, and payment for the above mentioned labor and material shall be made from this item.

Item 13. For carriage hire and keep of horses for assistant Commissioners, assistant superintendent of bridges, and inspectors, in such district where deemed necessary in the discretion of the Director, four hundred (400) dollars each; for assistant commissioner of bridge and sewer repairs, six hundred (600) dollars; for inspectors of repairs to bridges, five hundred (500) dollars each; for general inspector and inspectors of repairs to sewers, two horses, six hundred (600) dollars each; for inspectors of repairs to bridges, five hundred (500) dollars each; total, twenty-nine thousand four hundred (29,400) dollars.

Item 14. For car fare for inspectors, seven thousand five hundred and fifty (7,550) dollars: *Provided*, That each inspector not supplied with horse and carriage be paid at the rate of one hundred and fifty (150) dollars per annum, and the two inspectors of electrical connections four hundred (400) dollars each.

Item 15. For curved curbing and setting same, one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Item 16. For improving the water courses in the Twenty-sixth, Thirty-sixth, Thirty-ninth and Fortieth Wards, five hundred (500) dollars.

Item 17. For repaving around fire plugs and breaks in footways for other municipal purposes, to include patent pavements, two thousand (2,000) dollars.

Item 18. For paving, repaving and repairing streets occupied by Philadelphia Rapid Transit Company, in accordance with contract of July 1, 1907, four hundred thousand (400,000) dollars.

Item 19. For the maintenance of automobile, one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Item 20. For repairing, altering and extending sewers and inlets, trapping and re-trapping inlets and cleaning sewers, twenty-five thousand (25,000) dollars.

Item 21. For general repairs to bridges, twenty-five thousand (25,000) dollars.

Item 22. For labor in repairs to streets not occupied by passenger railway tracks, fifty thousand (50,000) dollars.

Item 23. For transportation of employees on repairs to bridges, sewers and streets, two thousand (2,000) dollars.

Item 24. For the removal of snow, two thousand five hundred (2,500) dollars.

Item 25. For repairs to paved streets, including granite block, slag block, asphalt block, vitrified brick, rubble, cobble and granolithic, five thousand (5,000) dollars.

Item 26. For sprinkling macadamized roads, five thousand (5,000) dollars.

Item 27. For repairs to asphalt streets, five thousand (5,000) dollars.

Provided, That the Director of the Department of Public Works may cause any special work chargeable to Item 9, repairs to meadow banks, to be done by day's labor.

Bureau of Lighting

SECT. 4. Of the amount appropriated to this Department the sum of five hundred and thirty-two thousand and forty-four (532,044) dollars is for the expenses of the Bureau of Lighting, as follows:

Item 1. For salaries: Chief of Bureau, two thousand (2,000) dollars: *Provided*, The Chief shall give his entire time and undivided attention to the duties of his office; chief clerk, one thousand two hundred (1,200) dollars; clerk, nine hundred (900) dollars; four night inspectors, one thousand (1,000) dollars each; total, eight thousand one hundred (8,100) dollars.

Item 2. For keep of horses and wagons for Chief of Bureau and inspectors, two thousand (2,000) dollars.

Item 3. For postage, cleaning and office expenses, two hundred (200) dollars.

Item 4. For furnishing naphtha to and lighting, all and every night, extinguishing, cleaning and repairing incandescent naphtha lamps of sixty candle power, at the rate of not less than twenty-eight (28) dollars per lamp per annum, four hundred and ninety-three thousand four hundred and forty-four (493,444) dollars: *Provided*, No naphtha lamps shall be located on any street where gas mains are laid: *Provided also*, That no new lamps shall be located without a resolution of Councils.

Item 5. For furnishing naphtha to and lighting, all and every night, extinguishing, cleaning and repairing of incandescent naphtha lamps of not less than sixty (60) candle power, in the outlying sections of the City where gas mains are now or may hereafter be laid, at the rate of twenty-eight (28) dollars per lamp per annum, sixteen thousand eight hundred (16,800) dollars.

Item 6. For furnishing naphtha to and lighting, all and every night, extinguishing, cleaning and repairing new incandescent naphtha lamps, and for furnishing all new posts, at the rate of seven (7) dollars and fifty (50) cents each, ten thousand (10,000) dollars.

Item 7. For lighting Northern Liberties District, one thousand five hundred (1,500) dollars.

Bureau of Surveys.

SECT. 5. Of the amount appropriated to this Department the sum of three hundred and thirty-six thousand six hundred and eighty (336,680) dollars is for the expenses of the Bureau of Surveys, as follows:

Item 1. For salaries: Chief Engineer and Surveyor, eight thousand (8,000) dollars: *Provided*, This salary apply to the present incumbent only: *Provided, also*, The Chief shall give his entire time and undivided attention to the duties of his office; principal assistant engineer, four thousand five hundred (4,500) dollars; assistant engineer, four thousand (4,000) dollars; three assistant engineers, three thousand (3,000) dollars each; one assistant engineer, two thousand (2,000) dollars; chief and recording clerk, one thousand eight hundred (1,800) dollars; assistant recording clerk, one thousand four hundred (1,400) dollars; draughtsman, two thousand (2,000) dollars; sewer registrar, one thousand five hundred (1,500) dollars; draughtsman, one thousand four hundred (1,400) dollars; two draughtsmen, one thousand (1,000) dollars each; sewer clerk, one thousand two hundred (1,200) dollars; clerk, one thousand (1,000) dollars; stenographer and typewriter, nine hundred (900) dollars; rodman and messenger, one thousand (1,000) dollars; janitor, seven hundred and twenty (720) dollars; registrar, two thousand (2,000) dollars; assistant registrar and search clerk, one thousand seven hundred (1,700) dollars; registry clerk, one thousand four hundred (1,400) dollars; one assistant registry clerk, one thousand two hundred (1,200) dollars; three draughtsmen, one thousand two hundred (1,200) dollars each; five draughtsmen, one thousand (1,000) dollars each; three inspectors of drain connections, one thousand two hundred (1,200) dollars each; permit clerk, one thousand two hundred (1,200) dollars; two supervisors of intercepting sewer, one thousand (1,000) dollars each; custodian of records, nine hundred (900) dollars; typewriter, nine hundred (900) dollars. And for an engineer corps, as follows: Assistant engineer, one thousand eight hundred (1,800) dollars; draughtsman, one thousand two

hundred (1,200) dollars; transitman, eight hundred and forty (840) dollars; rodman, seven hundred and twenty (720) dollars; chainman, five hundred (500) dollars; six draughtsmen, nine hundred (900) dollars each; two draughtsmen, one thousand (1,000) dollars each; two draughtsmen, one thousand two hundred (1,200) dollars each; draughtsman, one thousand five hundred (1,500) dollars; expenses of said corps, eight hundred (800) dollars; total, eighty-three thousand and eighty (83,080) dollars.

Item 2. For renewing plans and descriptions in the Registry Bureau, four thousand five hundred (4,500) dollars: *Provided*, That a charge of twenty-five (25) cents shall be made for each search to pay for wear and tear on books.

Item 3. For cleaning offices, advertising, postage and miscellaneous expenses, for recording dedications of streets, one thousand five hundred (1,500) dollars.

Item 4. For salaries of fourteen district surveyors and regulators, at four thousand (4,000) dollars each, fifty-six thousand (56,000) dollars; for wages of employees, one hundred and fifty thousand (150,000) dollars; for rent, postage, and horse keep, and miscellaneous expenses in survey districts, twelve thousand (12,000) dollars; total, two hundred and eighteen thousand (218,000) dollars: *Provided*, That no increase of salaries shall be made out of this item without the approval of Councils.

Item 5. For examination of bridges and sewers, five hundred (500) dollars.

Item 6. For keep of horses for principal and assistant engineers, eight hundred (800) dollars, and for keep of automobile for Chief Engineer, one thousand two hundred (1,200) dollars; total, two thousand (2,000) dollars.

Item 7. For reconstruction of inlets, one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Item 8. For maintenance of pumping station, Mingo creek, three thousand (3,000) dollars.

Item 9. For corner stones and replacing landmarks, five hundred (500) dollars.

Item 10. For atlases and maps, one hundred (100) dollars.

Item 11. For completion of investigation of sewage disposal, ten thousand (10,000) dollars.

Item 12. For maintenance of Pennypack creek sewage disposal plant, five thousand (5,000) dollars.

Item 13. For the construction of branch sewers, inlets and manholes, to be expended on Eleventh street, between Chestnut and Market streets, seven thousand five hundred (7,500) dollars.

Bureau of Water.

SECT. 6. Of the amount appropriated to this Department the sum of one million and ninety-eight thousand six hundred and seventy-one (1,098,671) dollars is for the expenses of the Bureau of Water, as follows:

Item 1. For salaries: Chief of Bureau, ten thousand (10,000) dollars; chief clerk, two thousand (2,000) dollars; two assistant clerks, one thousand five hundred (1,500) dollars each; correspondence clerk, one thousand (1,000) dollars; four stenographers, nine hundred (900) dollars each; time clerk, one thousand (1,000) dollars; messenger, seven hundred and twenty (720) dollars; chief draughtsman, one thousand eight hundred (1,800) dollars; two draughtsmen, one thousand (1,000) dollars each; two draughtsmen, nine hundred (900) dollars each; two draughtsmen, eight hundred (800) dollars each; general superintendent, three thousand five hundred (3,500) dollars; assistant to superintendent, one thousand five hundred (1,500) dollars; engineer in charge of filter records, one thousand five hundred (1,500) dollars; engineer in charge of boilers, one thousand five hundred (1,500) dollars; clerk and paymaster, one thousand two hundred (1,200) dollars; assistant to clerk and paymaster, one thousand (1,000) dollars; two clerks, nine hundred (900) dollars each; first assistant to chief, two thousand seven hundred (2,700) dollars; second assistant to chief, two thousand (2,000) dollars; third assistant to chief, one thousand six hundred (1,600) dollars; superintendent of filters at Torresdale, one thousand eight hundred (1,800)

dollars; three superintendents in charge of filters at Queen lane, Belmont and Roxborough, one thousand five hundred (1,500) dollars each; one foreman filter attendants, one thousand (1,000) dollars; six foremen of filter attendants, nine hundred (900) dollars each; forty-two filter attendants, eight hundred (800) dollars each; two chemists, two thousand (2,000) dollars each; two assistant chemists, nine hundred and sixty (960) dollars each; two bacteriologists, one thousand five hundred (1,500) dollars each; two assistant bacteriologists, one thousand two hundred (1,200) dollars each; laboratory assistant, seven hundred and twenty (720) dollars; clerk, one thousand (1,000) dollars; assistant clerk, nine hundred (900) dollars; pipe inspector, one thousand five hundred (1,500) dollars; pipe clerk, one thousand (1,000) dollars; search clerk, one thousand three hundred (1,300) dollars; assistant clerk, nine hundred (900) dollars; registrar, two thousand four hundred (2,400) dollars; chief inspector, one thousand two hundred (1,200) dollars; three clerks, one thousand (1,000) dollars each; twenty-two inspectors, one thousand (1,000) dollars each; uniforms for twenty-three inspectors, forty (40) dollars each; permit clerk, one thousand three hundred (1,300) dollars; assistant permit clerk, one thousand two hundred (1,200) dollars; seven purveyors, one thousand four hundred and eighty (1,480) dollars each; seven purveyor's clerks, nine hundred (900) dollars each; seven assistant purveyor's clerks, eight hundred (800) dollars each; yard keeper, first district, nine hundred (900) dollars; yard keeper, fourth district, nine hundred and fifteen (915) dollars; ten hydrant inspectors, eight hundred (800) dollars each; seven general foremen, one thousand two hundred (1,200) dollars each; nine foremen of repairs, eight hundred and fifty (850) dollars each; superintendent of shop, one thousand five hundred (1,500) dollars; clerk to superintendent of shop, nine hundred (900) dollars; chief engineer at Frankford, two thousand four hundred (2,400) dollars; chief engineer at Torresdale, two thousand (2,000) dollars; three chief engineers at Belmont, Queen lane and Shawmont, one thousand five hundred (1,500) dollars each; seven engineers, one thousand and eighty (1,080) dollars each;

forty-one engineers, one thousand (1,000) dollars each; two engineers, with houses, eight hundred and ten (810) dollars each; one hundred and thirty-five oilers, eight hundred (800) dollars each; one hundred and fifty-three firemen, eight hundred (800) dollars each; twelve firemen, eight hundred and forty (840) dollars each; sixty-nine coal passers, seven hundred and twenty (720) dollars each; storekeeper at Torresdale, nine hundred and fifty (950) dollars; three storekeepers, eight hundred (800) dollars each; foreman of machinists, two thousand (2,000) dollars; foreman of bricklayers, one thousand six hundred (1,600) dollars; foreman of City shop, one thousand four hundred (1,400) dollars; foreman of carpenters, one thousand two hundred (1,200) dollars; foreman of plumbers, foreman of painters, foreman of riggers, one thousand (1,000) dollars each; four foremen of laborers, nine hundred and sixty (960) dollars each; assistant foreman of riggers, nine hundred (900) dollars; forty watchmen, seven hundred and twenty (720) dollars each; five special officers, nine hundred (900) dollars each; uniforms for watchmen and special officers, forty (40) dollars each; janitor, main office, seven hundred and twenty (720) dollars; nine janitors, six hundred (600) dollars each; river watchman, seven hundred and twenty (720) dollars; linemen, one thousand two hundred (1,200) dollars; telephone operator (night), eight hundred (800) dollars; telephone operator and clerk, eight hundred (800) dollars; general storekeeper, one thousand (1,000) dollars; total, six hundred and six thousand five hundred and seventy-five (606,575) dollars.

Provided, That the money appropriated to this item for uniforms be paid to each man.

Provided, That eight hours constitute a day's labor, seven days a week: *Provided, further*, No employee be carried on the pay roll longer than one week in case of sickness unless physically injured in their line of duty.

Item 2. For the wages of mechanics, laborers and other workmen employed upon repairs to machinery, and the maintenance of and repairs to buildings, grounds and res-

ervoirs, and the transportation of workmen incident thereto, one hundred and seventy-five thousand (175,000) dollars: *Provided*, The union rate of wages be paid to all employees.

Item 3. For the wages of mechanics, drillers, laborers and other workmen connected with repairs to and improvement of the distribution and the laying of service mains, the transportation of workmen engaged in repairs and the traveling expenses of pipe inspectors, one hundred and seventy-five thousand (175,000) dollars.

Item 4. For the wages of mechanics, helpers and other workmen at the City Construction and Repair Shops, twenty-five thousand (25,000) dollars.

Item 5. For wages of Hydrographic Corps and expenses incident thereto, one thousand five hundred and ninety-six (1,596) dollars.

Item 6. For repairs to boilers and machinery, twelve thousand (12,000) dollars.

Item 7. For hauling water pipe and machinery, two thousand five hundred (2,500) dollars.

Item 8. For repairs to roofs, five hundred (500) dollars.

Item 9. For clerk hire in writing up duplicates, three thousand (3,000) dollars.

Item 10. For keep of horses for general superintendent and assistant, and for keep of automobile for Chief, two thousand (2,000) dollars.

Item 11. For advertising, postage, horse shoeing, miscellaneous expenses repairs to wagons, carts, harness, tools, pipe, pavements, and incidentals; ground rent, 918 Cherry street, and electric current, two thousand (2,000) dollars.

Item 12. For hauling ashes from pumping stations, three thousand (3,000) dollars.

Item 13. For purchase of materials connected with and repairs to machinery, mains, buildings, sidings and reservoirs, two thousand five hundred (2,500) dollars.

Item 14. For the wages for mechanics, laborers and

other workmen employed in the maintenance and operation of the Upper Roxboro, Lower Roxboro, Belmont, Queen lanc and Torresdale Filter Stations, the Belmont and Torresdale Laboratories and the Torresdale Pumping Station, seventy-five thousand (75,000) dollars.

Item 15. For resanding the filters, painting and incidental expenses for operating filter plants, three thousand (3,000) dollars.

Item 16. For erection of an office building and storehouse for the First Purvey District, ten thousand (10,000) dollars.

Provided, That nothing in this ordinance shall prevent the Director of the Department of Public Works from laying water pipe or making repairs by day's work or from the employment of any additional service when the exigencies require: *Provided, also*, That laborers be paid not less than two (2) dollars per day, and that eight hours constitute a day's labor for caulkers, mechanics and other per diem men of this Bureau.

SECT. 7. The Director shall be allowed, when it is in his judgment to the best interests of the City, to purchase or contract, without advertising, bills for the various Bureaus not exceeding the sum of five hundred (500) dollars each.

SECT. 8. When the Director of the Department of Public Works is obliged to employ labor to do work under neglected or annulled contracts, then payments shall be made from item against which such contracts are charged, and the amount so paid charged against the contractor on the amount set aside for such neglected or annulled contracts.

SECT. 9. That all bids shall be opened and all contracts awarded in the presence of the Committee of Councils having supervision. And that no contracts shall be entered into extending beyond December 31, 1912, without the approval of Councils.

SECT. 10. Warrants shall be drawn as follows: For employees in the District Surveyor's Office (Bureau of Surveys), one warrant, payable monthly.

For Bureau of Highways: For employees on repairs to streets, sewers and bridges, one warrant for each class of work, payable semi-monthly.

For Bureau of Water and Filtration: For employees at the pumping and filtration stations, one warrant for each station, payable monthly.

The following employees in the Bureau of Water and Filtration to be paid semi-monthly: For the employees in the Purveyor's district, one warrant for each district; for the employees of the City construction and repair shop, one warrant; for the employees upon the improvement for distribution and contingent roll, one warrant; for the employees upon the building, grounds, and reservoir roll, one warrant; for laborers at filtration stations, one warrant for each station. Warrants for the Director's office shall be drawn by the Director, and all other warrants by the Chiefs of the respective Bureaus, and shall be approved by the Director.

Provided, That before any warrants for contract work are countersigned by the City Controller, the contractor shall file an affidavit with him that none but American citizens have been employed on the work, in accordance with the provisions of the ordinance of Councils, entitled "An Ordinance for the employment only of American citizens by contractors doing work for the City of Philadelphia," approved by the Mayor, December 16, 1896: *Provided, further*, That in work in which the cost is paid whole or in part from assessments of benefits the affidavit shall not be required: *Provided, also*, That all chiefs of Bureaus and other employees in this Department now or hereafter employed shall be citizens of the United States and bona fide residents of this City at least one year prior to their employment, and shall remain bona fide residents during such employment.

All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith be, and the same are hereby repealed.

APPENDIX No. 22.

Philadelphia, December 21, 1911.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred an ordinance entitled “An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of Public Safety, for the year 1912,” respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

John P. Connelly (*Ch’n*), E. Buchholz, Chas. Seger, H. J. Trainer, G. P. Darrow, Thomas J. Morton, Thomas J. Ryan, Edward W. Patton, Chas. A. Gillingham, Peter E. Costello, John F. Flaherty, Robert S. McElroy, George D’Autrechy, John H. Baizley, John H. Hahn, Wm. E. Finley.

AN ORDINANCE

To make an appropriation to the Department of Public
Safety, for the year 1912.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the sum of seven million six hundred and twenty-five thousand nine hundred and thirty-nine (7,625,939) dollars and forty-three (43) cents be, and the same is hereby appropriated to the Department of Public Safety, for the year 1912.

Director’s Office.

Of the amount appropriated to this Department, the sum of thirty-six thousand two hundred and eighty (36,280) dollars is for the expenses of the Director’s Office, as follows:

Item 1. For salary of Director, ten thousand (10,000) dollars: *Provided*, The Director shall give his entire time and undivided attention to the duties of his office; Assistant Director, four thousand (4,000) dollars; secretary,

two thousand four hundred (2,400) dollars; chief clerk, two thousand (2,000) dollars; two clerks, one thousand two hundred (1,200) dollars each; stenographer and clerk, one thousand two hundred (1,200) dollars; chauffeur, one thousand (1,000) dollars; three stenographers and typewriters, nine hundred (900) dollars each; messenger and uniforms, one thousand one hundred and forty (1,140) dollars; messenger and uniforms, one thousand and forty (1,040) dollars; total, twenty-seven thousand eight hundred and eighty (27,880) dollars.

Item 2. For postage, car fare, meals for regular employees engaged in extra or night work, and incidentals, one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Item 3. For maintenance of automobile, one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Item 4. For supervision of Employment Agencies: For postage, car fare, incidentals, two hundred (200) dollars; for refunding to those who desire to surrender their licenses a proportionate part of the amount paid at the rate of four (4) dollars per month, for the remaining period license has to run, as provided by Act of Assembly, approved April 25, 1907, five hundred (500) dollars; chief deputy, one thousand five hundred (1,500) dollars; inspector, one thousand two hundred (1,200) dollars; total, three thousand four hundred (3,400) dollars.

Item 5. For hire of vehicles, five hundred (500) dollars.

Item 6. For the Horse Watering Station, Department of the Women's Penna. Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, to help maintain watering stations during the summer months, said appropriation to be paid in monthly installments to the said Society during the months of July, August and September, 1912, one thousand five hundred (1,500) dollars.

Item 7. For the Association for the Protection of Colored Women, for the purpose of assisting in the maintenance of the said Association's quarters in the City of Philadelphia. This appropriation to be paid in monthly installments to the Association of \$100 per month during

the months of January, February, March, April, May, June, July, August, September and October, one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Bureau of Police.

SECT. 2. Of the amount appropriated to this Department, the sum of three million eight hundred and eleven thousand two hundred and thirty-seven (3,811,237) dollars and thirty-five (35) cents is for the expenses of the Bureau of Police, as follows:

Item 1. For salaries: Superintendent of Police, and uniforms, four thousand six hundred (4,600) dollars: *Provided*, The Superintendent shall give his entire time and undivided attention to the duties of his office; secretary to Superintendent, and uniforms, one thousand eight hundred and forty (1,840) dollars; chief clerk, one thousand seven hundred and forty (1,740) dollars; two assistant clerks, and uniforms, one thousand one hundred and forty (1,140) dollars each; Central Station clerk, one thousand seven hundred and forty (1,740) dollars; stenographer, and uniforms, one thousand two hundred and forty (1,240) dollars; assistant clerk to Superintendent of Police, and uniforms, one thousand five hundred and forty (1,540) dollars; record clerk, and uniforms, one thousand six hundred and forty (1,640) dollars; storehouse clerk, nine hundred (900) dollars; clerk to detectives, and uniforms, one thousand five hundred and forty (1,540) dollars; complaint clerk, and uniforms, one thousand two hundred and forty (1,240) dollars; messenger, and uniforms, one thousand and forty (1,040) dollars; driver of supply wagon, and uniforms, seven hundred and ninety (790) dollars; fire marshal, two thousand five hundred (2,500) dollars; two assistant fire marshals, two thousand (2,000) dollars each; two assistant fire marshals, one thousand two hundred (1,200) dollars each; ten inspectors for fire marshal, one thousand two hundred (1,200) dollars each; clerk to fire marshal, and uniforms, one thousand and forty (1,040) dollars; surgeon, four thousand (4,000) dollars; five captains of police, two thousand one hundred (2,100) dollars each,

and uniforms, one hundred (100) dollars each; captain of detective squad, two thousand five hundred (2,500) dollars; twenty-eight detectives, one thousand seven hundred (1,700) dollars each; meat detective, one thousand seven hundred and fifty (1,750) dollars; drillmaster, and uniforms, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five (1,875) dollars; superintendent of horses, and uniforms, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five (1,875) dollars; assistant superintendent of horses, eight hundred (800) dollars, and forty (40) dollars for uniforms; official photographer, one thousand six hundred (1,600) dollars; assistant photographer, one thousand two hundred (1,200) dollars; six van drivers, at nine hundred (900) dollars each, and uniforms, forty (40) dollars each; forty-three lieutenants, one thousand eight hundred (1,800) dollars each, and uniforms, seventy-five (75) dollars each; one hundred and sixteen street sergeants, one thousand four hundred (1,400) dollars each, and uniforms, fifty (50) dollars each; one hundred and thirty-one telegraph sergeants, one thousand two hundred (1,200) dollars each, and uniforms, forty (40) dollars each; seventy patrol sergeants, at one thousand two hundred (1,200) dollars each, and uniforms, forty (40) dollars each; two thousand nine hundred and forty (2,940) patrolmen, and two hundred and fifty (250) substitute patrolmen, forty (40) dollars each for uniforms, fifty (50) dollars for uniforms for men in mounted service; total, three million five hundred and twenty-three thousand six hundred and thirty-three (3,523,633) dollars and sixty (60) cents: *Provided*, That all patrolmen sworn in during the year 1912 shall be paid at the rate of two (2) dollars and fifty (50) cents per day; all sworn in during the year 1911 shall be at the rate of two (2) dollars and sixty-five (65) cents per day; all sworn in during the year 1910 shall be paid at the rate of two (2) dollars and seventy-five (75) cents per day; all sworn in during the year 1909 shall be paid at the rate of two (2) dollars and eighty-five (85) cents per day; all sworn in prior to 1909, and in continuous service in the Department, shall be paid at the rate of three (3) dollars per day; substitute patrolmen to be paid at the rate of two (2) dollars and twenty-

five (25) cents per day: *Provided*, The Director shall be allowed, when in his judgment he deems it necessary, to detail substitute patrolmen for quarantining purposes; twenty (20) patrolmen in public squares, from May 1 to November 1, at two (2) dollars and fifty (50) cents per day each; nine engineers, one thousand two hundred (1,200) dollars each, and uniforms, forty (40) dollars each; eleven pilots, one thousand two hundred and fifty (1,250) dollars each, uniforms, forty (40) dollars each; ten firemen, one thousand (1,000) dollars each, uniforms, forty (40) dollars each; supervising matron, seven hundred and twenty (720) dollars; matron, seven hundred and twenty (720) dollars; twenty-three matrons, six hundred and fifty (650) dollars each; three deck laborers, seven hundred and twenty (720) dollars each, and uniforms, forty (40) dollars each; two lieutenants of City Hall guards, one thousand four hundred (1,400) dollars each, and uniforms, forty (40) dollars each; sixty-eight guards for City Hall, at two (2) dollars and twenty-five (25) cents per day, and uniforms, forty (40) dollars each; riding instructor, and uniforms, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five (1,875) dollars; total, three million six hundred and forty-seven thousand eight hundred and thirty-seven (3,647,837) dollars and thirty-five (35) cents: *Provided*, That the money appropriated in this item for uniforms shall be paid to each man: *Provided, also*, That Section 5 of the ordinance approved February 28, 1856, shall not apply to this item.

· Item 2. For cleaning station and patrol houses, and removal of ashes and pay of cleaners, eighteen thousand (18,000) dollars.

Item 3. For miscellaneous expenses of van service, including pay of hostlers, at seven hundred and twenty (720) dollars per annum each, twenty thousand (20,000) dollars.

Item 4. For medical attendance and meals at station houses and transportation, four thousand (4,000) dollars.

Item 5. For drugs and medicines at station houses, five hundred (500) dollars: *Provided*, That warrants may be countersigned on this item without advertising, upon

the approval of bills by the Director of the Department of Public Safety.

Item 6. For repairs to badges, batons, belts, lanterns and whistles, one hundred (100) dollars.

Item 7. For placing street names upon public lamps, sign boards and road posts, five hundred (500) dollars: *Provided*, That warrants may be countersigned on this item without advertising, upon the approval of bills by the Director of the Department of Public Safety.

Item 8. For postage, incidentals and miscellaneous expenses of offices, station houses, five hundred (500) dollars.

Item 9. For taking up dogs, goats and cats, and killing the same: Women's Pennsylvania Society to Prevent Cruelty to Animals, eight thousand (8,000) dollars; Morris Refuge Home, two thousand five hundred (2,500) dollars; total, ten thousand five hundred (10,500) dollars.

Item 10. For the detection, arrest and conviction of offenders, foreign telegraph service, investigation and procuring evidence in the alleged violation of law and for the pursuit of criminals, at the discretion of the Director of the Department of Public Safety, and for car fare of officers: *Provided*, The Director may draw in advance of the actual expenditure of money, the sum of warrant to be one thousand (1,000) dollars, said money to provide emergency cash fund for the above work, one thousand five hundred (1,500) dollars.

Item 11. For general advertising, one hundred (100) dollars.

Item 12. For maintenance, repairs, miscellaneous expenses of running police boats, one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Item 13. For payments to hospitals for ambulance service: German, 2; Episcopal, 2; St. Joseph's, 2; Methodist Episcopal, 2; Jewish, 2; Women's, 2; Presbyterian, 2; University, 2; Children's Homœopathic, Germantown, St. Mary's, St. Agnes's, Medico-Chirurgical, Children's, St. Timothy's, Hahnemann, Samaritan, Jefferson Medical College, St. Christopher's, St. Luke's, Mt. Sinai. Polyclinic, West Philadelphia General Homœopathic, Women's

Southern Homœopathic, Stetson, Roosevelt, Frankford, Northwestern General, Mercy, Garretson, Women's Homœopathic, West Philadelphia Women's, Douglass and Chestnut Hill Hospitals, three hundred and seventy-five (375) dollars each, fifteen thousand seven hundred and fifty (15,750) dollars.

Item 14. For miscellaneous expenses of patrol wagons, one hundred (100) dollars.

Item 15. For horseshoeing, twenty thousand (20,000) dollars: *Provided*, That warrants may be countersigned on this item upon the approval of bills by the Director, without advertising: *Provided, however*, That the work shall only be given to those who pay the union rate of wages.

Item 16. For keep and pasturing of horses, removing dead animals and horse ambulance service, two thousand (2,000) dollars.

Item 17. For repairs to harness, two hundred and fifty (250) dollars.

Item 18. For repairs to bedding and furniture, one hundred (100) dollars.

Item 19. For Police Pension Fund, sixty thousand (60,000) dollars: *Provided*, That no part of the money appropriated to this fund shall be used in payment of the pension of any pensioner who is in the receipt of an income from any governmental employment whatsoever: *And provided further*, That members of the Bureau of Police shall not seek to sell, offer for sale, dispose of, or cause to be offered or placed on sale for disposal, benefit tickets of any kind whatsoever for the purpose of increasing the funds of the Police Pension Fund. The Annual Police Carnival may be held. The same may be advertised and tickets of admission thereto placed on sale under the direction and management of the Secretary of the Police Pension Fund Association, subject to the approval of the Director of Public Safety; otherwise this appropriation to be void.

Item 20. For repairs to bicycles, one hundred (100) dollars.

Item 21. For keep of horses, transportation, incidentals,

and maintenance of wagons of Fire Marshal and assistants, one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Item 22. For expenses incurred in providing medicines, general provisions, for houses quarantined, one hundred (100) dollars.

Item 23. For annual dues, Superintendent of Police, National Bureau of Identification, and expenses of Superintendent at annual meeting of Chiefs of Police, three hundred (300) dollars.

Item 24. For purchase of motor cycles and supplies, repairing and maintenance of same, one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Item 25. For maintenance of automobile for police surgeon, one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Item 26. For maintenance of automobile police patrol wagons, three thousand (3,000) dollars.

Item 27. For maintenance of automobile for Superintendent of Police, one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Item 28. For maintenance of automobile for Fire Marshal, one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Bureau of Correction.

SECT. 3. Of the amount appropriated to this Department, the sum of one hundred and one thousand three hundred and four (101,304) dollars is for the expenses of the Bureau of Correction, as follows:

Item 1. For salaries, without board: Bookkeeper, one thousand two hundred (1,200) dollars; assistant bookkeeper, one thousand (1,000) dollars; second assistant bookkeeper, seven hundred and twenty (720) dollars; miscellaneous clerk, eight hundred (800) dollars; moral instructor and teacher, one thousand (1,000) dollars; storekeeper, one thousand two hundred (1,200) dollars; visiting physician, nine hundred (900) dollars; organist, one hundred and twenty (120) dollars; foreman of gas works, one thousand one hundred (1,100) dollars; foreman of shoe, carpenter, blacksmith, mason, quarry and tailoring departments, and baker, nine hundred (900) dollars

each; farmer, eight hundred (800) dollars; fifty guards, nine hundred (900) dollars each, and uniforms, forty (40) dollars each; five sub-guards, two (2) dollars per day, and uniforms, forty (40) dollars each; wagon driver (guard), nine hundred (900) dollars, and uniforms, forty (40) dollars; three lamp-lighters, three hundred (300) dollars each. For salaries with board: Superintendent, two thousand five hundred (2,500) dollars; master warden, one thousand five hundred (1,500) dollars; resident physician, one thousand two hundred (1,200) dollars; apothecary, seven hundred and twenty (720) dollars; male nurse, four hundred (400) dollars; chief engineer, one thousand (1,000) dollars; assistant engineer, seven hundred (700) dollars; four assistant engineers, six hundred (600) dollars each, and uniforms, forty (40) dollars each; captain of guards, one thousand one hundred (1,100) dollars, and uniforms, fifty (50) dollars; lieutenant of guards, one thousand (1,000) dollars, and uniforms, fifty (50) dollars; matron, six hundred and seventy-five (675) dollars; nine assistant matrons, three hundred and sixty (360) dollars each; female nurse (hospital), three hundred and sixty (360) dollars; chief cook, eight hundred and fifty (850) dollars; assistant cook, five hundred (500) dollars; total, eighty-six thousand two hundred and thirty-five (86,235) dollars: *Provided*, That the money appropriated in this item for uniforms shall be paid to each man.

Item 2. For postage, advertising and incidentals, one hundred (100) dollars.

Item 3. For transportation of prisoners, car fare, freight and cartage, three hundred (300) dollars.

Item 4. For drugs, surgical instruments and hospital supplies, one thousand (1,000) dollars: *Provided*, The City Controller shall countersign warrants, upon the approval of bills by the Director, without advertising.

Item 5. For maintaining and extending gas works, three thousand five hundred (3,500) dollars.

Item 6. For sending to their homes, outside City limits, worthy cases, one hundred (100) dollars.

Item 7. For repairs to buildings and furniture, one hundred (100) dollars.

Item 8. For water rent, two thousand five hundred (2,500) dollars.

Item 9. For rent of telephone, one hundred and sixty-nine (169) dollars.

Item 10. For electric power and maintenance of elevator, three hundred (300) dollars.

Item 11. For rebuilding steel tank for holding gas, of 56,000 cubic feet capacity, five thousand (5,000) dollars.

Item 12. For building bake ovens, dough troughs, proof and cooling racks, two thousand (2,000) dollars.

Bureau of Fire and Fire Escapes.

SECT. 4. Of the amount appropriated to this Department, the sum of one million two hundred and ninety-seven thousand three hundred and thirty-one (1,297,331) dollars is for the expenses of the Bureau of Fire and Fire Escapes, as follows:

Item 1. For salaries: Chief Engineer, and uniforms, four thousand six hundred (4,600) dollars; fire inspector, four thousand five hundred (4,500) dollars; assistant to Chief engineer, and uniforms, three thousand one hundred (3,100) dollars; eleven assistant engineers, two thousand (2,000) dollars each, and uniforms, seventy-five (75) dollars each; Joseph T. Hammond, and uniforms, one thousand three hundred and forty (1,340) dollars; secretary and clerk of Bureau of Fire Escapes, one thousand six hundred (1,600) dollars; storehouse clerk, one thousand two hundred (1,200) dollars; messenger, and uniforms, eight hundred and forty (840) dollars; assistant clerk, one thousand (1,000) dollars; three telephone operators, one thousand (1,000) dollars each, and uniforms, forty (40) dollars each; driver of supply wagon, and uniforms, one thousand and forty (1,040) dollars; seventy-four foremen, one thousand four hundred (1,400) dollars each, and uniforms, forty (40) dollars each; seventy-seven assistant foremen, one thousand two hundred and fifty (1,250) dollars each, and uniforms, forty (40) dollars

each; fifty-nine engine men, one thousand two hundred (1,200) dollars each, and uniforms, forty (40) dollars each; sixty-one firemen, one thousand one hundred (1,100) dollars each, and uniforms, forty (40) dollars each; ninety-five drivers, one thousand one hundred (1,100) dollars each, and uniforms, forty (40) dollars each; eighteen tillermen, one thousand two hundred (1,200) dollars each, and uniforms, forty (40) dollars each; eight hundred and ninety-two hosemen and ladder-men, nine hundred and thirty thousand one hundred and thirty-three (930,133) dollars: *Provided*, All hosemen and laddermen serving two years or less shall be paid nine hundred (900) dollars each per annum, and forty (40) dollars each for uniforms; all hosemen and laddermen serving from two to four years shall be paid one thousand (1,000) dollars each per annum, and forty (40) dollars each for uniforms; all hosemen and laddermen serving over four-years shall be paid one thousand one hundred (1,100) dollars each per annum, and forty (40) dollars each for uniforms: *And provided*, That the first year service of hosemen and laddermen shall expire on the thirty-first day of December next succeeding their appointment: *Provided, also*, The Director shall detail four firemen for fire duty at the Philadelphia Hospital; veterinary surgeon, two thousand (2,000) dollars; assistant veterinary surgeon, one thousand two hundred (1,200) dollars; superintendent of repair shop, one thousand eight hundred (1,800) dollars; assistant superintendent of repair shop, one thousand two hundred (1,200) dollars; watchman and uniforms, seven hundred and eighty (780) dollars; nine machinists, one thousand (1,000) dollars each; blacksmith, one thousand one hundred (1,100) dollars; three blacksmiths, one thousand (1,000) dollars each; six helpers, eight hundred (800) dollars each; five wheelwrights, one thousand (1,000) dollars each; two plumbers and gas fitters, one thousand one hundred (1,100) dollars each; boilermaker, one thousand (1,000) dollars; four carpenters, one thousand (1,000) dollars each, and uniforms, forty (40) dollars each; patternmaker, one thousand (1,000) dollars; five painters, one thousand (1,000) dollars each; messenger of Bureau of Fire Escapes, fifty (50) dollars;

Fire Main Pumping Station: Superintendent, and uniforms, two thousand two hundred and forty (2,240) dollars; four engineers, one thousand four hundred (1,400) dollars each, and uniforms, forty (40) dollars each; three machinists, three (3) dollars and seventy-five (75) cents per day each; six caulkers, three (3) dollars per day each; driver, two (2) dollars and twenty-five (25) cents per day; six laborers, two (2) dollars per day each; fourteen oilers, eight hundred (800) dollars each, and uniforms, forty (40) dollars each; two janitors, seven hundred and twenty (720) dollars each; total, one million two hundred and thirty-seven thousand five hundred and eighty-one (1,237,581) dollars: *Provided*, That the money appropriated in this item for uniforms shall be paid to each man: *Provided further*, That Section 5 of an ordinance approved February 28, 1856, shall not apply to this item.

Item 2. For horseshoeing and pasturing, nine thousand (9,000) dollars; for medicines and surgical appliances for veterinary uses, one thousand (1,000) dollars; total, ten thousand (10,000) dollars: *Provided*, That warrants may be countersigned for horseshoeing and medicines on this item on the approval of the bills by the Director, without advertising: *Provided, however*, Said horseshoeing shall only be given to those who pay the union rate of wages.

Item 2½. For maintenance of automobile for use of the Chief, one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Item 3. For repairs to apparatus and rebuilding same, two thousand (2,000) dollars.

Item 4. For repairs to harness, one hundred and fifty (150) dollars.

Item 5. For cleaning bunk rooms and offices, twenty-four thousand (24,000) dollars.

Item 6. For postage and incidental expenses, three hundred (300) dollars.

Item 7. For expenses incurred in removing dangerous walls, as provided by ordinance of April 30, 1883, three hundred (300) dollars.

Item 8. For alterations and repairs to fire houses, four thousand (4,000) dollars.

Item 9. For Firemen's Pension Fund, eighteen thousand (18,000) dollars: *Provided*, That no part of the money appropriated to this fund shall be used in payment of the pension of any pensioner who is in the receipt of an income from any governmental employment whatsoever: *And provided further*, That members of the Bureau of Fire shall not seek to sell, offer for sale, dispose of, or cause to be offered or placed on sale for disposal, benefit tickets of any kind whatsoever for the purpose of increasing the funds of the Firemen's Pension Fund; otherwise this appropriation to be void.

Electrical Bureau.

SECT. 5. Of the amount appropriated to this Department, the sum of one million six hundred and seventy-six thousand seven hundred and seventy-one (1,676,771) dollars and seventy-one (71) cents is for the expenses of the Electrical Bureau, as follows:

Item 1. For salaries: Chief, six thousand (6,000) dollars; manager, three thousand (3,000) dollars; assistant manager, one thousand eight hundred (1,800) dollars; assistant manager, one thousand seven hundred (1,700) dollars; chief engineer and superintendent of heating and ventilating, one thousand eight hundred (1,800) dollars; chief inspector electric lighting, one thousand five hundred (1,500) dollars; assistant inspector of electric lighting, one thousand three hundred (1,300) dollars; bookkeeper, one thousand two hundred (1,200) dollars; index clerk, one thousand two hundred (1,200) dollars; two clerks, one thousand one hundred (1,100) dollars each; clerk and messenger, eight hundred (800) dollars; stenographer and typewriter, nine hundred (900) dollars; draughtsman, one thousand one hundred (1,100) dollars; electrician having supervision over electrical appliances, Bureau of Water, one thousand four hundred (1,400) dollars; chief line inspector and uniforms, one thousand five hundred and forty (1,540) dollars; twelve inspectors, one thousand

three hundred (1,300) dollars each, uniforms, forty (40) dollars each; chief operator, one thousand five hundred (1,500) dollars; thirty operators, one thousand two hundred (1,200) dollars each, uniforms, forty (40) dollars each; foreman and uniforms, one thousand and forty (1,040) dollars; eleven linemen, one thousand one hundred (1,100) dollars each, uniforms, forty (40) dollars each; battery man, one thousand (1,000) dollars, uniforms, forty (40) dollars; four electrical plumbers, one thousand two hundred (1,200) dollars each, and uniforms, forty (40) dollars each; two janitors, two hundred and fifty (250) dollars each; three engineers in dynamo room, one thousand four hundred and sixty (1,460) dollars each; three dynamo men, one thousand two hundred (1,200) dollars each; eleven wire repair and construction men, one thousand (1,000) dollars each; total, one hundred and twenty-one thousand two hundred and eighty (121,280) dollars: *Provided*, That the money appropriated in this item for uniforms shall be paid to each man.

Item 2. For repairs, hauling and labor, twenty-five thousand (25,000) dollars.

Provided, That the Chief of the Bureau may employ not more than ten (10) apprentices at a salary not to exceed three hundred and sixty (360) dollars per annum.

Item 3. For keep of horse and wagon, four hundred (400) dollars.

Item 4. For postage, car fare, advertising and incidentals, two thousand (2,000) dollars.

Item 5. For painting telegraph poles, electric light poles, cross arms, mast arms and patrol boxes, five hundred (500) dollars.

Item 6. For telephone service, thirty-five thousand (35,000) dollars.

Item 7. For hauling, repairs and labor for underground electric service (cable work), twenty thousand (20,000) dollars.

Item 8. For use of current and labor, extension and repairs to the incandescent electric lighting, installation of police, fire and police patrol stations, Morgue, Chestnut

and Race streets piers, high pressure pumping station and City Hall, twelve thousand five hundred (12,500) dollars.

Item 9. For electric lighting, one million three hundred and thirty-six thousand two hundred and eighty-seven (1,336,287) dollars and ninety-six (96) cents.

Item 9½. For new electric lights, one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Item 10. For laying underground conduits and constructing manholes, twenty thousand (20,000) dollars.

Item 11. For rental of telephones in the various police stations connected with the Electrical Bureau, five thousand two hundred and eighty-six (5,286) dollars.

Item 12. For reinforcing iron posts and materials incident thereto, one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Item 13. For the improvement and extension of the incandescent electric lighting installations of police, fire and police patrol stations, Morgue, Chestnut and Race streets piers, high pressure pumping station and the City Hall, for the improvement and extension of the police and fire alarm systems, and for the further improvement of the underground conduit system, five thousand (5,000) dollars.

Item 14. For maintenance of City Hall elevator service and dynamo room, two thousand five hundred (2,500) dollars, and repairs thereto, seven thousand five hundred (7,500) dollars; total, ten thousand (10,000) dollars.

Item 15. For wages, elevator system: one elevator superintendent, at five (5) dollars per day; one elevator foreman, at five (5) dollars per day, and uniform, forty (40) dollars; five elevator starters, at three (3) dollars per day each, and uniforms, forty (40) dollars each; ten elevator operators, at two (2) dollars and seventy-five (75) cents per day each, and uniforms, forty (40) dollars each; thirty-two elevator operators, at two (2) dollars and seventy-five (75) cents per day each, and uniforms, forty (40) dollars each; Power Plant: three engineers, at four (4) dollars and fifty (50) cents per day each; seven pumpmen, at three (3) dollars per day each; and twenty-one firemen, at two (2) dollars and seventy-five

(75) cents per day each; total, eighty-one thousand five hundred and seventeen (81,517) dollars and seventy-five (75) cents.

Bureau of Building Inspection.

SECT. 6. Of the amount appropriated to this Department, the sum of seventy-seven thousand nine hundred and twenty (77,920) dollars is for the expenses of the Bureau of Building Inspection, as follows:

Item 1. For salaries: Chief Inspector, four thousand five hundred (4,500) dollars: *Provided*, The Chief Inspector shall give his entire time and undivided attention to the duties of his office; deputy chief inspector, two thousand six hundred (2,600) dollars; engineer of construction, two thousand five hundred (2,500) dollars, the said engineer to be appointed by the Director from the present force of engineers; twenty-four inspectors, two thousand (2,000) dollars each; inspector engineer, two thousand five hundred (2,500) dollars; assistant inspector engineer, two thousand (2,000) dollars; engineering inspector of reinforced concrete construction, two thousand five hundred (2,500) dollars; chief clerk, one thousand six hundred (1,600) dollars; record clerk, one thousand two hundred (1,200) dollars; two clerks, one thousand one hundred (1,100) dollars each; clerk and stenographer, one thousand (1,000) dollars; assistant clerk and stenographer, nine hundred (900) dollars; messenger, seven hundred and twenty (720) dollars; janitress, three hundred (300) dollars; total, seventy-two thousand five hundred and twenty (72,520) dollars.

Item 2. For postage, incidentals, miscellaneous supplies and repairs to furniture, four hundred (400) dollars.

Item 3. For horse keep and maintenance and repairs to automobiles, wagons and harness, four thousand (4,000) dollars.

Item 4. For removal of dangerous buildings, one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Bureau of Elevator Inspection.

SECT. 7. Of the amount appropriated to this Department, the sum of thirty-six thousand eight hundred (36,800) dollars is for the expenses of the Bureau of Inspection of Passenger and Freight Elevators, as follows:

Item 1. For salaries: Chief Inspector, three thousand five hundred (3,500) dollars; deputy inspector, two thousand (2,000) dollars; twenty district inspectors, one thousand (1,000) dollars each; two elevator inspectors, one thousand two hundred (1,200) dollars each: two tank inspectors, one thousand two hundred (1,200) dollars each; three clerks, one thousand one hundred (1,100) dollars each; one clerk, one thousand (1,000) dollars; stenographer and typewriter, one thousand (1,000) dollars; messenger, seven hundred (700) dollars; total, thirty-six thousand three hundred (36,300) dollars.

Item 2. For stationery, postage, transportation and cleaning offices, five hundred (500) dollars.

Bureau of Steam Engines and Boilers.

SECT. 8. Of the amount appropriated to this Department, the sum of twenty thousand nine hundred and eighty (20,980) dollars is for the expenses of the Bureau of Steam Engines and Boilers, as follows:

Item 1. For salaries: Chief Inspector, three thousand (3,000) dollars: *Provided*, The Chief shall give his entire time and undivided attention to the duties of his office; six assistant inspectors, one thousand three hundred (1,300) dollars each; chief clerk, one thousand three hundred (1,300) dollars; assistant clerk, nine hundred (900) dollars; registering clerk, nine hundred (900) dollars; messenger, eight hundred (800) dollars; driver, eight hundred (800) dollars; two smoke inspectors, one thousand two hundred (1,200) dollars each; stenographer and typewriter, seven hundred (700) dollars; total, eighteen thousand six hundred (18,600) dollars.

Item 2. For transportation of men, keep of horses, horseshoeing, repairs to wagons, harness, test pumps,

gauges and tools, one thousand seven hundred and eighty (1,780) dollars.

Item 3. For extra labor, clerk hire, janitor, testing boiler plates, incidentals and advertising, three hundred (300) dollars.

Item 4. For postage, three hundred (300) dollars.

Bureau of City Property.

SECT. 9. Of the amount appropriated to this Department, the sum of five hundred and sixty-seven thousand three hundred and fifteen (567,315) dollars and thirty-seven (37) cents is for the expenses of the Bureau of City Property, as follows:

Item 1. For salaries: Chief of Bureau, including keep of horse and carriage, four thousand three hundred (4,300) dollars: *Provided*, The Chief shall give his entire time and undivided attention to the duties of his office; chief clerk, one thousand seven hundred and fifty (1,750) dollars; superintendent of real estate, one thousand five hundred (1,500) dollars; clerk, one thousand one hundred (1,100) dollars; clerk and messenger, one thousand (1,000) dollars; typewriter, seven hundred and twenty (720) dollars; janitress, three hundred and sixty (360) dollars; assistant superintendent of City Hall, two thousand (2,000) dollars; architect, four thousand (4,000) dollars; draughtsman, one thousand five hundred (1,500) dollars; draughtsman, one thousand two hundred (1,200) dollars; clerk, one thousand five hundred (1,500) dollars; caretaker of City Hall clocks, one thousand (1,000) dollars; two clerks, at one thousand (1,000) dollars each; stenographer, nine hundred (900) dollars; five clerks of markets, at three hundred and seventy-five (375) dollars each. Independence Hall: Superintendent, and uniforms, eight hundred and forty (840) dollars; assistant superintendent, and uniforms, five hundred (500) dollars; curator, nine hundred (900) dollars; special officer, and uniforms, eight hundred and forty (840) dollars; engineer, nine hundred (900) dollars; fireman, four hundred (400) dollars; employment of said firemen to be between Jan-

uary 1 and May 1, and September 1 and December 31; five guards, seven hundred and twenty (720) dollars each, and uniforms, forty (40) dollars each; three night watchmen, seven hundred and twenty (720) dollars each, and uniforms, forty (40) dollars each; superintendent of Germantown Hall, six hundred (600) dollars; janitor of grand and petit jury rooms, seven hundred and twenty (720) dollars; twenty-seven janitors of courts, seven hundred and twenty (720) dollars each; superintendent of League Island Park, one thousand (1,000) dollars; forty-four superintendents of squares, eight hundred (800) dollars each, and uniforms, forty (40) dollars each; superintendent of Northeast Boulevard, and uniforms, one thousand and forty (1,040) dollars; eight superintendents of squares, six hundred (600) dollars each, and uniforms, forty (40) dollars each; landscape gardener, one thousand seven hundred (1,700) dollars; superintendent of City burial ground, six hundred (600) dollars; assistant at City burial ground, five hundred (500) dollars; attendants at public toilet rooms, three thousand eight hundred and eighty (3,880) dollars. City Morgue: Superintendent, one thousand (1,000) dollars; assistant superintendent, with use of house, seven hundred and twenty (720) dollars; engineer, one thousand (1,000) dollars; helper, six hundred (600) dollars; twenty-one superintendents of public baths, six hundred (600) dollars each; two watchmen. Otis street pavilion, seven hundred and twenty (720) dollars each, and uniforms, forty (40) dollars each; caretaker of Frankford Burial Ground, three hundred (300) dollars; total, one hundred and twenty-six thousand four hundred and sixty-five (126,465) dollars: *Provided*, That the money appropriated in this item for uniforms shall be paid to each man.

Item 2. For wages: Seven guides, at three (3) dollars per day each, and uniforms, forty (40) dollars each; fifty-three sweepers and cleaners, at two (2) dollars per day each; seventeen lavatory attendants, at two (2) dollars per day each; ten janitrix, ladies' toilet, and for one janitress at the Philadelphia Morgue, at one (1) dollar and seventy-five (75) cents per day each; foreman, cleaners and janitors, four (4) dollars per day; foreman of laborers, at three (3) dollars and twenty-five (25) cents per

day; foreman of riggers, five (5) dollars per day; three riggers, at three (3) dollars and sixty (60) cents per day each; ten laborers, at two (2) dollars and twenty-five (25) cents per day each; thirty-five laborers, at two (2) dollars per day each; foreman of carpenters, at five (5) dollars per day; timekeeper, at three (3) dollars per day; receiver, three (3) dollars per day; eighteen carpenters, three (3) dollars and sixty (60) cents per day each; master decorator, five (5) dollars per day; five fresco painters, three (3) dollars and fifty (50) cents per day each; twelve painters, three (3) dollars per day each; foreman of plumbers, five (5) dollars per day; three plumbers, three (3) dollars and fifty (50) cents per day each; gasfitter, three (3) dollars per day; seven plumbers' and gasfitters' helpers, two (2) dollars and twenty-five (25) cents per day each; foreman of bricklayers, five (5) dollars per day; six bricklayers, four (4) dollars and forty (40) cents per day each; hodman, three (3) dollars per day; three bricklayers' helpers, two (2) dollars per day each; four steamfitters, including Edward Wilt, injured while on duty, three (3) dollars and fifty (50) cents per day each; steamfitters' helper, two (2) dollars and seventy-five (75) cents per day; forty laborers in squares, two (2) dollars per day each; three scrubbers and cleaners, one (1) dollar and fifty (50) cents per day each; two cleaners for Common Pleas Court No. 2, one (1) dollar and fifty (50) cents per day each; total, one hundred and ninety-three thousand nine hundred and seventy-eight (193,978) dollars and seventy (70) cents: *Provided*, That the money appropriated in this item for uniforms shall be paid to each man.

Item 3. For postage, advertising, car fare and incidentals, one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Item 4. For repairs to market houses, one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Item 5. For repairs and other expenses to Town Hall, Germantown, one hundred (100) dollars.

Item 6. For repairs to property owned by and used for City purposes, including City burial ground and crematory, one thousand five hundred (1,500) dollars.

Item 7. For repairs and other expenses to public bath houses, one thousand five hundred (1,500) dollars.

Item 8. For repairs to and cleaning public clocks and clocks in City Hall courts, five hundred (500) dollars.

Item 9. For general repairs to and maintenance of City Morgue, five hundred (500) dollars.

Item 10. For general repairs to and maintenance of Independence Hall, one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Item 11. For maintenance of recreation piers, one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Item 12. For fees for auctioneers, two hundred and fifty (250) dollars.

Item 13. For labor and other expenses in squares, including manuring, sodding, repairs to benches, and for trees on Broad street, thirty thousand (30,000) dollars.

Item 14. For cleaning cesspools, one hundred (100) dollars.

Item 15. For rent of wharf for Sanitarium boats, five hundred (500) dollars; patrol station, 307 Union street, eight hundred (800) dollars; patrol station, Twenty-second and York streets, eight hundred (800) dollars; patrol station, Cambria and Staunton streets, seven hundred (700) dollars; police station, Woodland avenue and Spruce street, one thousand two hundred (1,200) dollars; patrol house, Twentieth and Nicholas streets, seven hundred (700) dollars; for rent of fire houses, six thousand (6,000) dollars; total, ten thousand seven hundred (10,700) dollars.

Item 16. For ground rents and interest, one thousand three hundred and seventy-one (1,371) dollars and sixty-seven (67) cents.

Item 17. For removing ice and snow from pavements in front of State House Row, public halls and squares, three thousand (3,000) dollars.

Item 18. For repairs to flags and flag poles, window shades and awnings, five hundred (500) dollars.

Item 19. For payment of bills for lighting of military organizations, six thousand one hundred and fifty (6,150) dollars: *Provided*, That the general allowance shall be at

the rate of one hundred (100) dollars for each company, and that the First, Second and Third Regiments and the State Fencibles shall be allowed one hundred and fifty (150) dollars; Philadelphia Battalion, Sixth Regiment, First and Second Troop, P. C. C., "Troop A," Cavalry, Naval Reserves, Company "B," Engineers' Battalion, "Troop G," Cavalry, Cavalry Squadron Headquarters, seventy-five (75) dollars each additional for headquarters and armory: *Provided, also,* Any bills in excess of the sum allowed to each organization shall be settled and paid in full by said organization before the last payment shall be made out of this appropriation: *Provided, further,* That no warrants shall be drawn against this item in favor of any of the organizations named until all the bills due for lighting by said organizations shall be paid, the light to be used exclusively by said organizations.

Item 20. For repair to station and patrol houses, ten thousand (10,000) dollars.

Item 21. For repairs to stoves and steam heaters, two thousand five hundred (2,500) dollars.

Item 22. For patent pavements and repairs, including bath house pools, two thousand (2,000) dollars.

Item 23. For gas, station and fire houses, Northern Liberties Gas Works and House of Correction, five hundred (500) dollars.

Item 24. For band and attendance, fifteen thousand (15,000) dollars: *Provided,* Any extra services rendered be at contract price, and that a clause be inserted in the contract that in case of rain there shall be no charge.

Item 25. For portraits and other pictures, frames and relics for Independence Hall, also repairs and restorations, to be expended under the supervision of the Committee on City Property, five hundred (500) dollars.

Item 25½. For incidental expenses of Board having charge of the Museum in Independence Hall, five hundred (500) dollars.

Item 26. For maintenance of City Hall and repairs to rooms, five thousand (5,000) dollars.

Item 26½. For tiling City Hall rooms, five thousand (5,000) dollars.

Item 26 $\frac{3}{4}$. For refurnishing, carpeting, etc., for Rooms A and B, Common Pleas Court No. 1, two thousand (2,000) dollars; Room I, Judges' Chamber, Court of Common Pleas No. 5, five hundred (500) dollars; total, two thousand five hundred (2,500) dollars.

Item 27. For maintenance, Philadelphia Brigade Park on Antietam Battlefield, two hundred (200) dollars.

Item 28. For repairs to macadam roads under the supervision of the Department of Public Safety, five thousand (5,000) dollars.

Item 29. For interest on balance of principal for purchase of property Broad and Arch streets, due April 1 and October 1, thirty-eight thousand (38,000) dollars.

Item 30. For payment of installment of purchase money due on property Broad and Arch streets, due April 1, one hundred thousand (100,000) dollars.

SECT. 10. The Director shall be allowed, when it is in his judgment to the best interest of the City, to purchase or contract, without advertising, bills for the various Bureaus, not exceeding the sum of five hundred (500) dollars each.

SECT. 11. All bids shall be opened and all contracts awarded in the presence of the Committee of Councils having supervision.

Provided, That in the Bureau of Police one warrant to be drawn in favor of the Lieutenant of each District for the pay of all employees in the Bureau of Police in his District: *Provided*, That such employees shall give a warrant of attorney in favor of the Lieutenant empowering him to collect their pay.

Provided, also, In the Bureau of Fire, one warrant to be drawn in favor of the foreman of each company for the payment of all employees of the Bureau of Fire in his company: *Provided*, That such employees shall give a warrant of attorney in favor of the foreman empowering him to collect their pay. Warrants for the Director's Office, and the Bureaus of Police, Correction and Fire shall be drawn by the Director of the Department of Public Safety, and all other warrants by the Chiefs

of the respective Bureaus, and shall be approved by the Director of the Department of Public Safety, in conformity with existing ordinances: *Provided, also*, That before any warrants for contract work are countersigned by the City Controller, the contractor shall file an affidavit with him that none but American citizens have been employed on the work, in accordance with the provisions of the ordinance of Councils entitled "An Ordinance for the employment of American citizens by contractors doing work for the City of Philadelphia," approved by the Mayor December 16, 1896: *Provided, also*, That all Chiefs of Bureaus and other employees in this Department, now or hereafter employed, shall be citizens of the United States and bona fide residents of the City at least one year prior to their employment, and shall remain bona fide residents during such employment.

All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith be, and the same are hereby repealed.

APPENDIX No. 23.

Philadelphia, November 21, 1911.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of Public Health and Charities, for the year 1912," respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

John P. Connelly (*Ch'n*), E. Buchholz, Chas. Seger, H. J. Trainer, G. P. Darrow, Thomas J. Morton, Thomas J. Ryan, Edward W. Patton, Chas. A. Gillingham, Peter E. Costello, John F. Flaherty, Robert S. McElroy, George D'Autrechy, John H. Baizley, John H. Hahn, Wm. E. Finley.

AN ORDINANCE

To make an appropriation to the Department of Public Health and Charities, for the year 1912.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the sum of eight hundred and eighty-nine thousand five hundred and fifty (\$89,550) dollars be, and the same is hereby appropriated to the Department of Public Health and Charities, for the year 1912, as follows:

Director's Office.

Of the amount appropriated to this Department the sum of seventy-seven thousand three hundred (77,300) dollars is for the expenses of the Director's office, as follows:

Item 1. For salaries: Director, ten thousand (10,000) dollars: *Provided*, That the Director shall give his entire time and undivided attention to the duties of his office; Assistant Director, four thousand (4,000) dollars; chief clerk, two thousand five hundred (2,500) dollars; clerk, one thousand eight hundred (1,800) dollars; confidential clerk and stenographer, one thousand two hundred (1,200) dollars; assistant clerk one thousand (1,000) dollars; support clerk, one thousand six hundred and fifty (1,650) dollars; special agent, one thousand two hundred (1,200) dollars; miscellaneous clerk, eight hundred (800) dollars; two stenographers and typewriters, seven hundred and twenty (720) dollars each; children's agent, one thousand three hundred and fifty (1,350) dollars; messenger and janitor, eight hundred (800) dollars; cleaner, three hundred and sixty (360) dollars; total twenty-eight thousand one hundred (28,100) dollars.

Item 2. For postage, car fare, incidental expenses, including maintenance of automobiles, two thousand five hundred (2,500) dollars: *Provided*, The City Controller may countersign warrants not to exceed one hundred (100) dollars, for the year 1911.

Item 3. For the support of feeble-minded children at

Pennsylvania Training School for Feeble Minded Children at Elwyn, Pa., or elsewhere, twenty-seven thousand (27,000) dollars.

Item 4. For maintenance of children in various homes, as directed by Act of Assembly approved June 13, 1883, fifteen thousand (15,000) dollars.

Item 5. For maintaining and educating two deaf mutes in Deaf and Dumb Asylum in this City, six hundred (600) dollars.

Item 6. For traveling expenses of children's agent, five hundred (500) dollars.

Item 7. For issuing processes and removal of non-residents, one hundred (100) dollars.

Item 8. For temporary provision for homeless persons, one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Item 9. For maintaining at Home for Aged Veterans and wives, at Sixty-fifth and Vine streets, veterans of the War of the Rebellion and wives who are now or may be in the Home for the Indigent, two thousand five hundred (2,500) dollars. The said amount to be paid quarterly.

Bureau of Health.

SECT. 2. Of the amount appropriated to this Department the sum of three hundred and forty thousand nine hundred (340,900) dollars is for the expenses of the Bureau of Health, as follows:

Item 1. For salaries: Chief of Bureau, four thousand (4,000) dollars: *Provided*, The Chief shall give his entire time and undivided attention to the duties of his office; stenographer and typewriter, one thousand (1,000) dollars; Health Officer (fixed by Act of Assembly), two thousand one hundred (2,100) dollars; chief clerk, two thousand (2,000) dollars; first assistant clerk, one thousand five hundred (1,500) dollars; assistant clerk, one thousand two hundred (1,200) dollars; permit clerk, one thousand two hundred (1,200) dollars; record clerk, one thousand (1,000) dollars; eleven assistant clerks, one thousand (1,000) dollars each; Chief, Division of Vital

Statistics, one thousand seven hundred and fifty (1,750) dollars; nine registration clerks and two collectors of vital statistics, one thousand (1,000) dollars each; messenger, eight hundred (800) dollars; chief medical inspector, four thousand (4,000) dollars; Chief Division of School Medical Inspection, two thousand four hundred (2,400) dollars; supervising nurse, one thousand two hundred (1,200) dollars; eight visiting nurses, nine hundred (900) dollars each; clerk to chief medical inspector, one thousand five hundred (1,500) dollars; assistant clerk to chief medical inspector, one thousand two hundred (1,200) dollars; stenographer and typewriter for chief medical inspector, nine hundred (900) dollars; fifty-one assistant medical inspectors, at least ten of whom shall be physicians of the Homœopathic School of Practice, one thousand four hundred (1,400) dollars each: *Provided, however,* That when no Homœopathic Physician can be secured in any ward, the Director shall be authorized to appoint an Allopathic Physician; diagnostician and consultant, two thousand five hundred (2,500) dollars; assistant diagnostician and consultant, two thousand (2,000) dollars; ophthalmologist, two thousand (2,000) dollars; chief inspector of nuisances, one thousand nine hundred (1,900) dollars; assistant to chief inspector of nuisances, one thousand five hundred (1,500) dollars; clerk to chief inspector of nuisances, one thousand (1,000) dollars; twenty-seven assistant nuisance inspectors, one thousand one hundred (1,100) dollars each; two inspectors of privy cleaning, one thousand (1,000) dollars each; chief clerk to Health Officer (fixed by Act of Assembly), one thousand two hundred (1,200) dollars; assistant to chief clerk to Health Officer (fixed by Act of Assembly), nine hundred (900) dollars; three house cleaners, three hundred and sixty (360) dollars each; chief disinfecter, one thousand four hundred (1,400) dollars; ten assistant disinfecters, one thousand (1,000) dollars each; chief inspector of milk, one thousand nine hundred (1,900) dollars; sixteen assistant inspectors of milk, including car fare, one thousand and twenty (1,020) dollars each; chemist, two thousand (2,000) dollars; chief inspector of house drainage, two thousand four hundred (2,400) dol-

lars; fourteen assistant inspectors of house drainage, one thousand three hundred (1,300) dollars each; clerk, Drainage Division, one thousand three hundred (1,300) dollars; stenographer and typewriter, drainage division, seven hundred and twenty (720) dollars; hostler, antitoxin stable, nine hundred (900) dollars; assistant hostler, seven hundred and twenty (720) dollars; chief meat and cattle inspector, one thousand three hundred and fifty (1,350) dollars; seven assistant meat and cattle inspectors, one thousand (1,000) dollars each. Tenement House Division, chief inspector, two thousand four hundred (2,400) dollars; five assistant inspectors and one clerk, one thousand two hundred (1,200) dollars each; stenographer and typewriter, nine hundred (900) dollars; clerk and stenographer, six hundred (600) dollars. Division of Bacteriology: Chief Bacteriologist, two thousand (2,000) dollars; first assistant, two thousand (2,000) dollars; second assistant, one thousand two hundred (1,200) dollars; third assistant, nine hundred (900) dollars; fourth assistant, eight hundred (800) dollars; helper, six hundred (600) dollars; helper, four hundred and eighty (480) dollars; cleaner, two hundred and forty (240) dollars. Philadelphia Hospital for Contagious Diseases: Chief Resident Physician, two thousand five hundred (2,500) dollars; first assistant resident physician, nine hundred (900) dollars; two assistant resident physicians, eight hundred (800) dollars each; uniforms, four hundred (400) dollars; superintendent, two thousand (2,000) dollars; chief engineer, one thousand eight hundred (1,800) dollars; three head nurses, six hundred (600) dollars each; three housekeepers, four hundred and eighty (480) dollars each; druggist, six hundred (600) dollars; assistant, antitoxin laboratory, one thousand (1,000) dollars; mechanic and chauffeur, one thousand (1,000) dollars; three chauffeurs, nine hundred (900) dollars each; butcher, nine hundred (900) dollars; foreman, one thousand (1,000) dollars; head laundryman, one thousand two hundred (1,200) dollars; chief clerk, one thousand two hundred (1,200) dollars; four engineers, one thousand (1,000) dollars each; supervising nurse, one

thousand two hundred (1,200) dollars; total, two hundred and eighty-four thousand nine hundred (284,900) dollars.

Item 2. For pay of cooks, nurses, farmers, gardeners, drivers of ambulances, firemen, painters, mechanics, assistant clerks, stenographers, electrical wiremen, disinfectors, hostlers, and miscellaneous helpers and laborers at Philadelphia Hospital for Contagious Diseases, twenty thousand eight hundred (20,800) dollars.

Item 3. For postage and incidental expenses, one thousand five hundred (1,500) dollars.

Item 4. For repairs to buildings, roads, grounds and machinery, Philadelphia Hospital for Contagious Diseases, one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Item 5. For repairs to ambulances, wagons, harness, and horseshoeing for Philadelphia Hospital for Contagious Diseases and Division of Disinfection, two thousand five hundred (2,500) dollars.

Item 6. For the abatement of nuisances, five thousand (5,000) dollars: *Provided*, That no salaries or wages be paid out of this item.

Item 7. For special sanitary inspection and general expenses necessary for the protection of the public health, three thousand (3,000) dollars.

Item 8. For gas for fuel, Philadelphia Hospital for Contagious Diseases, one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Item 9. For eyeglasses and supplies for children, one thousand five hundred (1,500) dollars.

Item 10. For dentistry for school children, including equipment, care and maintenance of Dental Clinic, six thousand nine hundred (6,900) dollars: *Provided*, That the Director of the Department of Public Health and Charities is hereby authorized to select and assign eight dentists, each to serve not less than half each working day, at a compensation to include all fees and expenses, not to exceed in the aggregate seven hundred (700) dollars per annum for each dentist so selected and assigned.

Item 11. For drugs, medicines, surgical instruments and supplies for Philadelphia Hospital for Contagious Diseases, two thousand (2,000) dollars: *Provided*, The

City Controller shall countersign warrants upon the approval of bills by the Director of the Department of Public Health and Charities without advertising.

Item 12. For postage for Division of Tenement House Inspection, three hundred (300) dollars.

Item 13. For maintenance of automobiles, one thousand five hundred (1,500) dollars.

Item 14. For uniforms for inspectors, forty (40) dollars each, two thousand (2,000) dollars.

Item 15. For construction, equipment and maintenance of Antitoxin Laboratory at Holmesburg, five thousand (5,000) dollars.

Item 16. For equipment and maintenance of Chemical and Bacteriological Laboratories, two thousand (2,000) dollars.

Bureau of Charities.

SECT. 3. Of the amount appropriated to this Department the sum of four hundred and seventy-one thousand three hundred and fifty (471,350) dollars is for the expenses of the Bureau of Charities, as follows:

House Generally.

Item 1. For salaries: Superintendent, three thousand (3,000) dollars; chief clerk, one thousand six hundred (1,600) dollars; four clerks, nine hundred (900) dollars each; four miscellaneous clerks, eight hundred (800) dollars each; night clerk, five hundred (500) dollars; house agent, one thousand four hundred (1,400) dollars; house agent's clerk, eight hundred (800) dollars; stenographer and typewriter, seven hundred and twenty (720) dollars; apothecary, one thousand two hundred (1,200) dollars; first assistant apothecary, seven hundred (700) dollars; second assistant apothecary, six hundred (600) dollars; third assistant apothecary, five hundred (500) dollars; storekeeper, one thousand four hundred (1,400) dollars; storekeeper's clerk, one thousand (1,000) dollars; assistant storekeeper's clerk, eight hundred and fifty (850) dollars; bookkeeper, four hundred

and eighty (480) dollars; foreman of yard gang, three hundred (300) dollars; overseer of buildings and grounds, one thousand two hundred (1,200) dollars; captain of hall, six hundred (600) dollars; doorkeeper, six hundred (600) dollars; watchman, six hundred (600) dollars; special officer, one thousand (1,000) dollars; foreman of stables, eight hundred (800) dollars; four ambulance drivers, seven hundred and twenty (720) dollars each; two chauffeurs, nine hundred (900) dollars each; bookkeeper in manufacturing department, one thousand (1,000) dollars; chief engineer and electrician, one thousand five hundred (1,500) dollars; five engineers, one thousand (1,000) dollars each; four firemen, four hundred and eighty (480) dollars each; foreman of carpenters, foreman of plumbers, foreman of painters, foreman of tin shop, clerk and foreman of printers, one thousand (1,000) dollars each; foreman of steam fitters, foreman of bakers, eight hundred (800) dollars each; gardener, five hundred (500) dollars; housekeeper, six hundred (600) dollars; two cooks, seven hundred and twenty (720) dollars each; three assistant cooks, four hundred and twenty (420) dollars each; manager of laundry, one thousand two hundred (1,200) dollars; four machine laundrymen, one thousand six hundred and eighty (1,680) dollars; four forewomen of laundry, one thousand and fifty-six (1,056) dollars; six laundresses, one thousand four hundred (1,400) dollars; two porters, six hundred (600) dollars; farmer, house and found, one thousand two hundred (1,200) dollars; and two assistant farmers, and found, seven hundred and twenty (720) dollars each; total, fifty-nine thousand seven hundred and twenty-six (59,726) dollars.

Item 2. Wages on pay roll: Storekeeper's clerk, twenty-five (25) dollars per month; storekeeper's clerk, fifteen (15) dollars per month; four messengers, one thousand four hundred and forty (1,440) dollars; assistant doorkeeper, three hundred (300) dollars; three assistant watchmen, four hundred (400) dollars each; four bakers, six hundred and twenty-four (624) dollars each; butcher, twenty-five (25) dollars per month; cook, twenty (20)

dollars per month; head waitress, sixteen (16) dollars per month; four waitresses, fourteen (14) dollars per month each; laundress, twenty-five (25) dollars per month; two laundresses, sixteen (16) dollars per month each; two laundresses, fifteen (15) dollars per month each; chambermaid, eighteen (18) dollars per month; eight gatekeepers, nine (9) dollars per month each; six runners, ten (10) dollars per month each; seven helpers, twelve (12) dollars per month each; six helpers, ten (10) dollars per month each; shoe repairer, eighteen (18) dollars per month; four barbers, eighteen (18) dollars per month each; three runners, fifteen (15) dollars per month each; draughtsman, twenty-five (25) dollars per month; total, thirteen thousand eight hundred and twelve (13,812) dollars.

Item 3. Wages on petty pay roll, thirteen thousand (13,000) dollars.

Item 4. For burial cases, five hundred (500) dollars.

Item 5. For traveling expenses of house agent, support of residents in other institutions, and removal of non-residents, four hundred (400) dollars.

Item 6. For roasting coffee, five hundred (500) dollars.

Item 7. Gas for fuel, one thousand five hundred (1,500) dollars.

Item 8. For repairs to harness, automobiles and wagons, horse shoeing, miscellaneous supplies and incidentals, two thousand five hundred (2,500) dollars: *Provided*, The City Controller shall countersign warrants upon this item upon the approval of the Superintendent's bills by the Director of the Department of Public Health and Charities without advertising.

Item 9. For postage, car fare and incidentals, one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Item 10. For ice making, three hundred and fifty (350) dollars.

Item 11. For labor on repairs to buildings, roads and grounds, plumbing, gas and steam fitting, seventy-five thousand (75,000) dollars: *Provided*, Wages only shall be paid out of this item.

Indigent Department.

Item 12. For salaries: Captain of out-wards, nine hundred (900) dollars; dining room man, four hundred and twenty (420) dollars; matron, four hundred and eighty (480) dollars; day assistant, eighteen (18) dollars per month; assistant nurse (night), twenty-five (25) dollars per month; cook and assistant cook, six hundred and sixty (660) dollars; two watchmen, forty (40) dollars per month each; total, three thousand nine hundred and thirty-six (3,936) dollars.

Philadelphia General Hospital.

Item 13. For salaries: Chief resident physician, four thousand (4,000) dollars; assistant chief resident physician, one thousand two hundred (1,200) dollars and house rent, three hundred (300) dollars; hospital clerk, seven hundred (700) dollars; secretary for medical staff one hundred (100) dollars; Director, Pathological and Bacteriological Laboratory, one thousand (1,000) dollars; Director, Roentgen-Ray Laboratory, five hundred (500) dollars; chief nurse, one thousand two hundred (1,200) dollars; assistant chief nurse, seven hundred and fifty (750) dollars; housekeeper, six hundred (600) dollars; head cook and two assistants, one thousand four hundred and forty (1,440) dollars; instructor of children, four hundred and eighty (480) dollars; two hospital clerks, four hundred and eighty (480) dollars each; hospital clerk, three hundred and sixty (360) dollars; special officer four hundred and eighty (480) dollars; total, fourteen thousand and seventy (14,070) dollars.

Item 14. For wages on pay roll: One hundred and twenty pupil nurses, nine (9) dollars per month each, and uniforms, thirty (30) dollars each; twenty head nurses, nine thousand five hundred (9,500) dollars; three assistant female nurses, eighteen (18) dollars per month each; three assistant male nurses, eighteen (18) dollars per month each; assistant male nurse, ten (10) dollars per month; six stretcher bearers, nine (9) dollars per month each; twenty orderlies, eighteen (18) dollars per month each; twelve

waitresses, thirteen (13) dollars per month each; twelve male cleaners, eighteen (18) dollars per month each; twelve female cleaners, twelve (12) dollars per month each; twenty-eight attendants, seven thousand six hundred and eight (7,608) dollars; total, forty-six thousand two hundred and forty-four (46,244) dollars.

Item 15. For maintaining and improving Pathological and Bacteriological Laboratories, autopsy and museum, five hundred (500) dollars.

Item 16. For maintaining Roentgen-Ray Laboratory, five hundred (500) dollars.

Item 17. For fifty out-door physicians (25 Allopathic and 25 Homœopathic), three hundred and sixty (360) dollars each, eighteen thousand (18,000) dollars: *Provided*, That when no Homœopathic physician can be procured in any ward, the Director may appoint an Allopath.

Item 18. For Gastrosopic Laboratory, five hundred (500) dollars.

Item 19. For purchase of medicine and dietetic food for the sick, to be distributed by the out-door physicians, eight thousand (8,000) dollars.

Item 20. For purchase of milk and ice for sick, five thousand (5,000) dollars.

Item 21. For binding and purchasing of books for library, two hundred (200) dollars: *Provided*, The City Controller shall countersign warrants upon this item upon the approval of the Superintendent's bills by the Director of the Department of Public Health and Charities without advertising.

Insane Department.

Item 22. For salaries: Chief resident physician, two thousand five hundred (2,500) dollars; two assistant physicians, one thousand (1,000) dollars each; two assistant physicians, eight hundred (800) dollars each; male supervisor, seven hundred (700) dollars; female supervisor, seven hundred (700) dollars; musical instructor, four hundred and twenty (420) dollars; teacher, three hundred

(300) dollars; housekeeper, six hundred (600) dollars, cook, seven hundred and twenty (720) dollars; two assistant cooks, five hundred (500) dollars each; hospital clerk, five hundred (500) dollars; two stenographers, six hundred (600) dollars each; instructor in massage, five hundred (500) dollars; four clinical assistant physicians, six hundred (600) dollars each; storekeeper, three hundred and ninety-six (396) dollars; stenographer and clerk, six hundred (600) dollars; stenographer, five hundred and forty (540) dollars; stenographer, four hundred and eighty (480) dollars; office assistant, two hundred and forty (240) dollars; laboratory worker, three hundred and sixty (360) dollars; total, seventeen thousand seven hundred and fifty-six (17,756) dollars.

Item 23. For wages of attendants on pay roll, forty-six thousand six hundred and ninety-two (46,692) dollars.

Item 24. For purchase of music, musical instruments, repairs to same, and hire of musicians, two hundred (200) dollars.

Item 25. For examination of insane cases, three thousand (3,000) dollars.

Item 26. For marketing, twenty-five thousand (25,000) dollars: *Provided*, The City Controller shall countersign warrants upon the approval of the Superintendent's bills by the Director of the Department of Public Health and Charities without advertising.

Item 27. For drugs, medicines, liquors, and druggist's supplies, fifteen thousand (15,000) dollars: *Provided*, The City Controller shall countersign warrants upon the approval of the Superintendent's bills by the Director of the Department of Public Health and Charities without advertising.

Item 28. For surgical instruments, hospital supplies and repairs, five thousand (5,000) dollars: *Provided*, The City Controller shall countersign warrants upon the approval of the Superintendent's bills by the Director of the Department of Public Health and Charities without advertising.

Item 29. For maintaining Dental Laboratory, five hundred (500) dollars.

Item 30. For improvement and equipment of toilets, two thousand five hundred (2,500) dollars.

Item 31. For removal of ashes, one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Item 32. For furniture, Philadelphia General Hospital, two thousand (2,000) dollars.

Item 33. For farming implements, cattle, seed, feed and miscellaneous farming supplies, six thousand (6,000) dollars.

Item 34. For improvements to roofs, including new spouting, one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Item 35. For sanitary flooring, hospital department, two thousand (2,000) dollars.

Item 36. For preparing card index for pathological department, five hundred (500) dollars.

Item 37. For improvement and equipment of laundry, two thousand (2,000) dollars.

Item 38. For course in diet cooking, three hundred (300) dollars.

Item 39. For salaries (Byberry): One assistant male physician, one thousand (1,000) dollars; two special officers, eight hundred (800) dollars each, and uniforms, forty (40) dollars each; one clerk (male), eight hundred (800) dollars; one cook, seven hundred and twenty (720) dollars; one baker, six hundred and twenty-four (624) dollars; one engineer, six hundred (600) dollars; four attendants, fifty (50) dollars per month each; six attendants, forty (40) dollars per month each; twenty attendants, thirty (30) dollars per month each; twenty farmers, eight thousand (8,000) dollars; assistant physician, six hundred (600) dollars; two fireman, forty (40) dollars per month each; dairymen, fifty (50) dollars per month; total, twenty-eight thousand and sixty-four (28,064) dollars.

Item 40. For maintenance and equipment of automobiles, automobile trucks and ambulances, three thousand (3,000) dollars.

Item 41. For installing automatic fire alarm, one hundred (100) dollars.

Item 42. For tents and equipment for insane, two thousand (2,000) dollars.

Item 43. For fireproof stairways in hospital department, six thousand (6,000) dollars.

Item 44. For maintenance of orthopædic department, apparatus and instruments, hospital department, five hundred (500) dollars.

Item 45. For erection and equipment of sanatorium for tuberculosis for women at Byberry, twenty thousand (20,000) dollars.

Item 46. For erection of tents or shack and equipment for measles, whooping cough and consumption, one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Item 47. For erection of one steel tower with tank (capacity 100,000 gallons of water), including engine, piping, mains and connections, etc., fifteen thousand (15,000) dollars.

SECT. 4. That all Chiefs of Bureaus and other employees in the Department now or hereafter employed shall be citizens of the United States and bona fide residents of this City at least one year prior to their employment, and shall remain bona fide residents during such employment.

Provided, That the Director shall be allowed, when it is in his judgment to the best interest of the City, to contract, without advertising, bills for the various Bureaus not exceeding the sum of five hundred (500) dollars.

Provided, That the Department of Public Health and Charities, in the selection of their employees, are directed to prefer in their appointments honorably discharged soldiers and sailors.

Provided, That the Director or Assistant Director of the Department of Public Health and Charities be authorized to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants, payable monthly, covering the following items: Bureau of Health: Item 2, for pay of cooks, nurses, etc., one warrant. Bureau of Charities: Item 2, for wages on pay roll, one warrant; Item 3, for wages on petty pay roll, one warrant; Item 11, for labor on repairs to build-

ings, etc., one warrant; Item 14, for wages on pay roll, one warrant; Item 23, wages of attendants on pay roll, one warrant; Item 39, for salaries (Byberry), one warrant: *Provided further*, That said employees shall give a warrant of attorney as approved by the City Controller.

Warrants shall be drawn by the Department of Public Health and Charities in conformity with existing ordinances.

All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith be, and the same are hereby repealed.

APPENDIX No. 24.

RESOLUTION

To appoint a Joint Special Committee of five members from each Chamber to act in conjunction with the Business Men's Association of the City of Philadelphia, with a view to keep before the people and advocate improvements at League Island and a deeper channel for the Delaware river.

Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That a Joint Special Committee of five members from each Chamber shall be appointed to act in conjunction with the Business Men's Association of the City of Philadelphia, with a view to keep before the people and advocate improvements at League Island and a deeper channel for the Delaware river.

APPENDIX No. 25.

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR.

Philadelphia, December 28, 1911.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—In most of the ordinances making annual appropriations in recent years, to a number of the Executive Departments, a clause has appeared in the following or a similar form:

“That all Chiefs of Bureaus and other employees in this Department, now and hereafter employed, shall be citizens of the United States and *bona fide* residents of this City at least one year prior to their employment and shall remain *bona fide* residents during such employment.”

My attention has been called to this by a letter dated December 12th, addressed to me as Mayor, by the Director of the Department of Public Works, and also by a letter dated December 27th, addressed to me by the Director of the Department of Public Health and Charities. I am handing you copies of these letters for your information, as well as a copy of an opinion received from the City Solicitor under date of December 19th. A similar clause with reference to citizenship and residence appears in the appropriation bills for most of the executive Departments, as reported to your Honorable Bodies by the Finance Committee of Councils on December 21, 1911.

Each of the Directors referred to urges that Councils be requested to omit from the annual appropriation ordinances the restrictive clause above referred to. To quote briefly from Director Cook's letter:

“At the most, this restriction will apply to a very small number of persons on the City's pay roll, and, therefore, cannot be, for the employment standard, of very large moment to the taxpayers. But

in its bearing on the formulation and execution of engineering plans, it will have a marked influence on the expense, and therefore it is of the greatest interest to the taxpayers.

"We have now in our Bureaus probably more men who in their specialties know more than men to be found anywhere else. It would be natural, therefore, that we might find the best experts in some lines living in other cities."

In addition to positions of a similar technical character to which the Director of the Department of Public Health and Charities calls attention, he is confronted with a great difficulty in securing attendants on the insane and persons to fill other menial positions, especially in the Hospital for Contagious Diseases, owing to the small compensation paid and the undesirableness of the work involved. He writes:

"We, to-day, are short of female attendants in the West Philadelphia institution, notwithstanding we have placed advertisements in the papers of Philadelphia, and there is a standing order in the intelligence offices for employees for the Philadelphia Hospital for Contagious Diseases."

I am informed that in past years, in spite of these restrictive clauses in the ordinance, appointments have been made of persons not residents of the City, and that no objection was ever raised, because the necessities of the case were so perfectly apparent.

The present administration would be most unwilling to be put in the position of disregarding any part of an ordinance of Councils. Nor do I wish to take this up as a legal proposition, although the City Solicitor, in the opinion that I am transmitting to you, has stated that in his judgment "ordinances restricting the employment of those in the public service of the City under the heads of the Executive Departments to residents of the City for a period of one year prior to their employment, would constitute an interference with the exercise of the executive functions of such heads of Departments, and is,

therefore, in contravention of that article of the Bullitt Bill."

I desire your co-operation, and I want to co-operate with you in measures that will best serve the general interests of the City, and I therefore urge you to omit from the appropriations to all Departments this year the clauses similar to the one above referred to. It is more reasonable to ask you to do this, as the Civil Service Commission has had incorporated in its rule for some years the following clause:

"The Civil Service Commission will neither receive the application of, register, nor subsequently certify as eligible for appointment, any one who is not both a citizen of the United States and a resident of the City of Philadelphia. In cases where, either because of the technical character of the position or the undesirableness of the work involved, the good of the service requires it, the Commission may make an exception to this rule."

This is certainly an ample protection to our citizens, and yet leaves sufficient leeway to the Executive Departments in the exceptional classes of cases to which I have asked your attention.

Respectfully yours,

RUDOLPH BLANKENBURG,

Mayor.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

Philadelphia, December 12, 1911.

HON. RUDOLPH BLANKENBURG,

Mayor of Philadelphia.

DEAR SIR:—This is to call your attention to a clause in the annual appropriation bill to the Department of Public Works, for the year 1911, by which I am prohibited from employing anyone in this Department unless

they have been residents in the City of Philadelphia for at least one year. The clause I refer to is as follows:

“That all Chiefs of Bureaus and other employees in this Department, now or hereafter employed, shall be citizens of the United States and *bona fide* residents of this City at least one year prior to their employment, and shall remain *bona fide* residents during such employment.”

This clause should be entirely eliminated, as the first part is already covered by Act of Assembly.

You understand, of course, that it will always be a pleasure to employ Philadelphians rather than go outside of our City. Every consideration of policy and good management suggests our making the fullest effort to find help we need right here in our own City. At the same time, if I am going to run this Department as an engineering proposition there will often be times when it will be absolutely impossible to find, in this City, people who have the knowledge and experience in re special engineering problems, that we are anxious to command.

Chief Engineer Webster states that he has found it a handicap, for instance, in such a matter as the sewage disposal investigations.

If we are going into the building of subways, it is practically certain that it will cost Philadelphia hundreds of thousands of dollars if we are prohibited from securing the services, as regular employees, of men who have become specially trained and experienced in this class of work in other cities.

At the most, this restriction will apply to a very small number of persons on the City's pay roll, and, therefore, cannot be, for the employment standard, of very large moment to the taxpayers. But in its bearing on the formulation and execution of engineering plans, it will have a marked influence on the expense, and therefore is of the greatest interest to the taxpayers.

We have now in our Bureaus probably many men who in their specialties know more than men to be found anywhere else. It would be natural, therefore, that we

might find the best experts in some lines living in other cities.

The Department will appreciate very cordially your giving us help in our effort to have this clause kept out of the appropriation bill for 1912.

Yours very sincerely,

MORRIS L. COOKE.

Director.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH AND CHARITIES.

Philadelphia, December 27, 1911.

HON. RUDOLPH BLANKENBURG,

Mayor of Philadelphia.

DEAR SIR:—The proviso to the appropriation item of Councils, restricting appointments of employees to residents of the City of Philadelphia, impairs the service in so far as it relates to certain positions requiring technical qualifications, and particularly to the appointment of attendants to the insane and miscellaneous helpers and those occupying menial position in the Philadelphia Hospital for Contagious Diseases and the hospitals in West Philadelphia, owing to the small sums paid and to the undesirableness of the work involved.

We to-day are short of female attendants in the West Philadelphia institution, notwithstanding we have placed advertisements in the papers of Philadelphia, and there is a standing order in the intelligence offices for employees for the Philadelphia Hospital for Contagious Diseases.

This rule also interferes to a lesser extent in the conduct of the Byberry Farms, in the employment of farm help, as a number of those able to fill these positions live in the farming districts immediately outside of the City line.

Very respectfully,

JOS. S. NEFF,

Director.

DEPARTMENT OF LAW.

Philadelphia, December 19, 1911.

HON. RUDOLPH BLANKENBURG,
Mayor of Philadelphia.

DEAR SIR:—There has been handed to me a letter to you from the Director of the Department of Public Works, concerning the insertion in the appropriating ordinances for 1912 of a clause appearing in former annual appropriations, which provides that there shall be employed upon City work only citizens of the United States, and residents of the City for one year prior to their employment, and who shall continue such residence during the term thereof. The Director of said Department recommends that this clause be omitted from the ordinances, explaining that it will often be impossible to find in this City people who have necessary technical knowledge, and that the same difficulty has been found by the Chief Engineer of the Bureau of Surveys. Accompanying said letter is a communication from the President of the Civil Service Commission in which the same point is made, and which further suggests that any clause in the appropriating ordinance would be illegal which conflicts with Rule 1 of that Commission. Said rule provides in part as follows: "The Civil Service Commission will neither receive the application of, register or subsequently certify as eligible for appointment, any one who is not both a citizen of the United States and a resident of the City of Philadelphia. In cases where, either because of the technical character of the position or the undesirableness of the work involved, the good of the service requires it, the Commission may make exceptions to this rule."

For present purposes it is unnecessary to inquire how far that Act of March 5, 1906, creating the Civil Service Commission, is intended to vest in that Commission the settlement of questions of public policy, such as those which concern citizenship, residence within the City, etc., and I therefore pass no opinion.

The Act of June 1, 1885 (Bullitt Bill), Article XVI, is in effect that Councils shall by general ordinances provide for the proper and efficient conduct of the affairs of the City by the Mayor and several Departments, and the boards thereof, but they shall not pass any ordinances directing or interfering with the exercise of the executive functions of the Mayor, Departments, Boards or heads or officers thereof.

In my judgment ordinances restricting the employment of those in the public service of the City under the heads of the Executive Departments to residents of the City for a period of one year prior to their employment, would constitute an interference with the exercise of the executive functions of such heads of Departments, and is, therefore, in contravention of that article of the Bullitt Bill.

I think, however, that the better plan to pursue would be to bring the matter to the attention of the Finance Committee of Councils, so that the provision in question may be omitted from the appropriation for next year. A conflict between Councils and the executive officers of the City ought to be avoided if possible, and I have no doubt that there would be acquiescence in your wishes, especially when the inclusion of such a clause in the appropriating ordinances would subject to practical difficulties and embarrassment the conduct of your Departments.

Very truly yours,

MICHAEL J. RYAN,
City Solicitor.

CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

Philadelphia, December 16, 1911.

CYRUS D. FOSS, JR., ESQ.,
Secretary to the Mayor.

DEAR SIR:—Your favor of the 12th inst., enclosing copy of letter from Director Cooke, under same date on the above subject, was duly received and contents noted.

The Civil Service Act of March 5, 1906, created a complete and exclusive system for the appointment, promotion, reduction, transfer, removal and reinstatement of all officers, clerks, laborers and other employees in the civil service of this City, and in the exercise of the power conferred in the Civil Service Commission by Section 6 of that Act, the Commission, with the approval of the Mayor of Philadelphia, adopted rules, one of which (Rule 1) provides, *inter alia*, that ".....In cases where, either because of the technical character of the position or the undesirableness of the work involved, the good of the service requires it, the Commission may make an exception to....." the rule that only eligibles who are both citizens of the United States and residents of the City of Philadelphia will be examined and certified for appointment.

In view of the above, we are of the opinion that any ordinance of Councils placing a residence qualification upon employees generally would be *ultra vires* and void in so far as its provisions conflict with any lawful action that this Commission may have taken or may hereafter take in cases where, either because of the technical character of the position or the undesirableness of the work involved, the good of the service requires an elimination of residence qualification.

In the judgment of this Commission, should the clause as quoted from last year's ordinance making appropriations to the Department of Public Works be re-enacted, it ought not to necessarily control the Commission in the certification of eligibles in the above-mentioned cases.

However, we would suggest that it would be advisable to incorporate in the various ordinances of appropriations provisos which would except from residence qualifications employees in the Department in cases where the technical character of the position (to which high professional or special attainments are necessary) or the undesirableness of the work involved may require such exception for the good of the service.

Of course, whether the clause in the annual appropriation ordinance to the Department of Public Works, plac-

ing a residence qualification upon employees in that Department, is binding upon the appointing officer regardless of what action the Civil Service Commission may take in the above-mentioned cases, should be decided, in the first instance, by the City Solicitor. It is our opinion that it is not binding in the above-mentioned cases.

Very truly yours,

FRANK M. RITER.

President.

APPENDIX No. 26.

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR.

Philadelphia, December 30, 1911.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—I return herewith an ordinance entitled “An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Mayor, for the year 1912,” without my approval of Item 16, which is as follows:

“Item 16. For the Committee of Comprehensive Plans created by ordinance approved July 11, 1911. Salaries: Executive head, ten thousand (10,000) dollars per annum; chief clerk, three thousand five hundred (3,500) dollars per annum; stenographer, one thousand two hundred (1,200) dollars per annum; messenger, six hundred (600) dollars per annum; total, fifteen thousand three hundred (15,300) dollars. Miscellaneous expenses, incidentals, postage, supplies, car fare, ice, transportation, compensation of such experts and employees as the City may engage, and for such expenses as may be incurred incident to the work of the Committee and the preparation of comprehensive plans, etc., fifteen thousand (15,000) dollars; total, thirty thousand three hundred (30,300) dollars.”

In vetoing an item of so much importance as this, it is proper that I should state my reasons to you.

The Committee of Comprehensive Plans was created by ordinance of Councils approved July 11, 1911. The field of work assigned to it is of great importance to the future development of the City along right lines. I believe it can be done, however, as effectively with much less expense to the City than is contemplated in this item. My first reason for this veto is, therefore, to save a needless expense.

The powers that have been given to this Committee are

subject to conflicting interpretations. They are not clearly defined. They seem to me to encroach upon those conferred upon City officials by the Bullitt Bill. The value of the co-operation of groups of citizens such as the one provided for in the ordinance creating this Committee is not to be underestimated. But their functions should be made strictly advisory; they should not be given powers that supersede those of regularly constituted officials. This objection is largely urged and sustained by the opinion of the City Solicitor, rendered on December 27th.

The duties of the Committee and of the salaried employees attached thereto closely parallel certain of the functions of the Department of Public Works. I can see no reason why this Committee should have been attached to the office of the Mayor, and I can see many reasons why its work would be better done were it brought into closer relations with certain Bureaus in the Department of Public Works.

This Committee has done useful work for the City, and it is most important that foresighted planning for the future should still be carried on. But for the reasons herein stated, I think that the present plan is not a wise one and that the appropriation is improvident, and I have, therefore, vetoed the item.

Respectfully yours,

RUDOLPH BLANKENBURG,

Mayor.

APPENDIX No. 27.

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR.

Philadelphia, January 4, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—I have the honor to transmit to you herewith, for your consideration, a proposed ordinance making an appropriation for the year 1912, for the Public

Aquarium; and a proposed ordinance making an appropriation for the year 1912, for the Art Jury.

Respectfully yours,

RUDOLPH BLANKENBURG,

Mayor.

AN ORDINANCE

To make an appropriation to the Mayor, for the construction and maintenance of a Public Aquarium, in Fairmount Park, for the year 1912.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the sum of twenty-two thousand three hundred (22,300) dollars is hereby appropriated to the Department of the Mayor, for the year 1912. Item 21 (new), for the construction, equipment and maintenance of a Public Aquarium in Fairmount Park. For salaries, viz.: Director, four thousand (4,000) dollars per annum; stenographer and office assistant, one thousand (1,000) dollars per annum; four (4) assistants, nine hundred (900) dollars each per annum; two (2) lavatory attendants, seven hundred and twenty (720) dollars each per annum; total, ten thousand and forty (10,040) dollars. For construction, viz.: Filling and raising the present floor in one pumping house with cinders, laying cement floor and building a filter bed for salt water, two thousand (2,000) dollars; gasoline engine, salt and fresh water pumps and refrigerating plant, two thousand five hundred (2,500) dollars; tanks for salt water fish, two thousand (2,000) dollars; partition walls, five hundred (500) dollars; supply pipes for salt and fresh water, one thousand (1,000) dollars; skylights, one thousand (1,000) dollars; seal pool, five hundred (500) dollars. For maintenance, viz.: Purchase of fish, supplies, transportation, incidentals, etc., three thousand two hundred and sixty (3,260) dollars; total, twenty-two thousand three hundred (22,300) dollars.

All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith be, and the same are hereby repealed.

AN ORDINANCE

To make an appropriation to the Mayor, for the expenses of the Art Jury, for the year 1912.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the sum of six thousand five hundred (6,500) dollars be, and the same is hereby appropriated to the Mayor, for the expenses of the Art Jury, created by Act of Assembly of May 25, 1907. To Item 22 (new), for salaries: Assistant secretary, three thousand six hundred (3,600) dollars; stenographer and clerk, nine hundred (900) dollars. For postage, transportation, hire of vehicles and other traveling and hotel expenses, cleaning office, telephone and telegraph service, messenger service, books for library, subscriptions to periodicals and other incidentals, two thousand (2,000) dollars; total, six thousand five hundred (6,500) dollars.

All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith be, and the same are hereby repealed.

APPENDIX No. 28.

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR.

Philadelphia, January 4, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—Mr. Walter W. Pollock, General Manager of the Manufacturers' Appraisal Company, called at my office yesterday and left the enclosed paper referring to the work done by his Company in appraising real estate for the City of Philadelphia. The paper explains itself, and I transfer it to your Honorable Bodies for such action as you deem proper to take.

Very respectfully yours,
RUDOLPH BLANKENBURG,
Mayor.

MANUFACTURERS' APPRAISAL COMPANY.

Philadelphia, January 3, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We are submitting to your Honorable Bodies our bill in the sum of \$28,507.77, being the expenses actually incurred in services rendered the City of Philadelphia, in furnishing the Joint Special Committee of Select and Common Councils, appointed under authority of a resolution approved May 12, 1910, an appraisal showing the value in money of the lots and buildings comprised in certain wards of the City.

This sum is the total amount we have expended or are under contract to pay from the beginning of the work up to the date the work was restrained by injunction in Common Pleas Court No. 4. We beg to submit to your Honorable Bodies the following statement of the work which we have performed under our contract with the City. We present these facts, appealing to the sense of justice of your Honorable Bodies, and asking that our bill for expenses contracted in good faith be recognized and approved by you:

By a Joint Resolution of your Honorable Bodies, approved May 12, 1910, a Joint Special Committee of Councils was appointed to investigate the valuation of taxable real estate in the City of Philadelphia, and the ordinances approved the fifth day of August, 1910, made an appropriation of \$85,000, and directed that a contract should be executed with us for our services in furnishing to the Joint Special Committee an appraisal showing our judgment of the value in money of the land and buildings comprised in certain wards of the City of Philadelphia. The contract was executed by us, and by the Clerks of Councils and the Mayor on behalf of the City of Philadelphia, whereby the City agreed to pay us the sum of \$1.70 for each parcel of land valued and reported, and the sum of \$1.70 for each building valued and reported.

Upon the performance of this work we entered in good faith and with the utmost diligence. For a number of years we have been engaged in appraising land, buildings and personal property. In such work we have represented some of the largest moneyed interests in the country. We have in our employ a large corps of experts trained in such work. Our appraisements are uniformly accepted by underwriters in the adjustment of fire losses, and have been the basis of the capitalization of large corporations. The corps of experts in our employ were put upon the work in the City of Philadelphia, and rendered valuable and efficient service.

The magnitude of the services which we rendered to the City may be seen from the fact that our appraisals covered 8,787 lots of land, and 19,667 buildings up to the time the work was stopped.

In valuing the land, measurements were first made of each particular lot. Experts familiar with each particular locality then fixed a tentative unit value in each block, and public hearings were held at which all property owners in the neighborhood were invited to contribute their information as to values. From the knowledge of local experts, from these hearings, and from an investigation of sales made in past years in the neighborhood, the value per unit foot in the block was determined. Expert calculators, working under the direction of Mr. W. A. Somers, the leading real estate actuary in the country, then calculated the value of the land in each of the 8,787 individual lots which we completed.

In the valuation of buildings our experts examined each building; that is to say, upon a separate card for each building a full description of the building was written, including its dimensions, number of floors, character of the structure, character of the interior work, fittings, etc. According to the data thus recorded the building experts placed a separate valuation upon each particular building. In all 19,667 buildings were thus carefully examined and appraised.

In all of this work we co-operated and held daily conferences with Mr. James Johnson, Mr. William F. Dea-

kyne and Mr. John Adams, the other real estate experts employed by the Joint Committee.

The extent of our labors is shown by the fact that the number of employees engaged upon the work for the City of Philadelphia at any one time was some seventy-nine, including officers of the Company, actuaries, local real estate experts, draughtsmen, building measurers and calculators, lot calculators, accountants and stenographers.

You, as well as all readers of the newspapers, are familiar with the tens of thousands of booklets, diagrams, maps, letters, postal cards, etc., which we issued and distributed so that we might have every source of information as the basis for our report.

In this work we actually expended, or are obliged to pay, \$28,507.77 in salaries, office rent, printing, etc., as follows:

Royalty to W. A. Somers	\$4,837 00
Salary of W. W. Pollock	1,016 66
Salary of E. W. Doty	1,150 00
Salary of W. A. Somers	810 00
Salaries of experts	2,700 00
Salaries of clerks	8,759 86
Office rent	605 02
Printing	619 54
Blueprinting	97 55
Telegraph and telephone	119 64
Office furniture	271 36
Maps and atlases	193 00
Transcript of properties	336 20
Bond and City fees	237 50
Legal expenses, fees, printing and stenographers	2,880 40
Travelling and hotel, W. W. Pollock	556 43
Travelling and hotel, E. W. Doty	872 15
Travelling and hotel, W. A. Somers	418 78
Preliminary investigation	265 25
Office supplies	66 98
Miscellaneous travelling expenses	153 05
Miscellaneous	41 40
Bookkeeping and overhead expense	500 00
Interest on investment	1,000 00

\$28,507 77

This schedule has been compiled from an examination of our books of account by our own bookkeeping department. If requested by your Honorable Bodies, we shall be pleased to submit our books and records to an auditor, and will send them to Philadelphia for this examination.

We submitted to the Committee of Councils a preliminary report, which report was duly submitted to your Honorable Bodies. The data, calculations and final valuations of the land and buildings embraced in our bill are now awaiting your commands, and will be turned over to you or to any one whom you may designate at any time. This data and these valuations we believe to be of the utmost value to the City.

The following is a list of the land and buildings which we have valued according to wards:

Ward	Lots	Buildings
5	2,453	2,521
6	2,489	2,649
7	10	5,298
8	1,459	3,449
9	872	1,958
10	1,504	3,792
Total	8,787	19,667

At the contract price of \$1.70 each, there is due and owing us \$48,371.30. Although we believe the whole sum should be paid to us, we feel that there is an undoubted moral obligation on the part of the City of Philadelphia to pay us at least the amount of our expenditures. Therefore, although we believe that we are fairly entitled to the larger amount provided for in our contract with the City of Philadelphia, we prefer to obtain a quick settlement of this account rather than to continue a dispute which might last a number of years, and because of the fact that certain large expenditures which would have been necessary in compiling and printing our report, when completed, have never been made, we present to you a bill providing for the payment of only the actual expense to the date of the discontinuance of the work.

Our efforts have already borne fruit. Immediately following our valuations, as embraced in the report to the Joint Special Committee of Councils, and following our general inquiry into assessments within this City, the Board of Revision of Taxes and the assessors raised the aggregate assessments in an amount exceeding \$100,000,000. This alone meant an increased annual revenue to the City, which is generally known to be the result of our work, of more than a million and a half dollars. An examination of the gross assessments of real estate in the City of Philadelphia for the years 1905 to 1912, inclusive, shows that during the years 1905, 1906, 1907, 1908, 1909 and 1910 the greatest annual increase was \$41,600,000, and that the average annual increase for these years was \$34,539,664. On the gross assessed value of the City for 1911 (the year following the investigation made by this Company, by means of the Somers Unit System of Realty Valuation), the increase in assessments amounted to \$100,238,877.

Year.	Gross Assessment.	Increase per Annum.	
1905.....	\$1,184,201,335.....		
1906.....	1,214,056,440.....	1906 over 1905.....	\$29,885,105
1907.....	1,248,894,400.....	1907 over 1906.....	34,837,960
1908.....	1,285,380,150.....	1908 over 1907.....	36,485,750
1909.....	1,315,269,657.....	1909 over 1908.....	29,889,507
1910.....	1,356,869,657.....	1910 over 1909.....	41,600,000
1911.....	1,457,108,534.....	1911 over 1910.....	100,238,877*
1912.....	1,531,757,232.....	1912 over 1911.....	74,618,698

* Annual increase for the year following the investigation made by Manufacturers' Appraisal Company.

We do not deem it necessary to explain to your Honorable Bodies that this increase of over \$100,000,000 was not owing to any extraordinary boom in the building trades, nor to sudden and vast increases in land values during the year 1910.

We feel that every well-informed citizen of Philadelphia knows that there were many and great inequalities in the assessment of real estate of Philadelphia, and that the under assessment of real estate in the central section of the City became a notorious fact as the result of our investigation and public demonstration during the

summer and fall of 1910. That the assessors took advantage of facts thus called to their attention, and in some cases more than doubled the assessed values of properties within a thousand feet of the Chambers of Councils is creditable to the assessors. In this connection we would like to add that nearly all of these increases, exceeding \$100,000,000, were in the central section of the City, where our investigation disclosed actual conditions and values, and that very little of the increase was distributed among the residential sections.

In the midst of our work we were restrained by injunction.

In view of the fact that we sincerely and honestly performed our services, with no reason to doubt the validity of our contract, and in view of the fact that these services were, we believe, of great value to the City, we feel that in equity and fair dealing we are entitled to be reimbursed for the actual expense to which we were put; and it is for that reason that we submit ourselves to your Honorable Bodies, asking only for fair play and fair payment.

Respectfully submitted,

MANUFACTURERS' APPRAISAL COMPANY,

By WALTER W. POLLOCK,
President and General Manager.

APPENDIX No. 29.

RESOLUTION

To amend Rule 9 of the Joint Rules of the Select and Common Councils, relative to Regular Meetings of Councils.

Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That Rule 9 of the Joint Rules of the Select and Common Councils, relative to Regular Meetings of Councils, be altered and amended by strik-

ing out the words, "Both Branches of Councils shall meet on Thursday of each week," and inserting in lieu thereof the words, "Both Branches of Councils shall meet on the first and third Thursdays of each month."

APPENDIX No. 30.

RESOLUTION

To appoint a Special Committee of five members of Common Council to revise the rules of Common Council.

WHEREAS, By reason of Acts of Assembly changing the time of the organization of Councils, etc., the rules of Common Council do not conform to present laws; therefore,

Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of Philadelphia, That a Special Committee of five members shall be appointed by the President, for the purpose of revising the rules of Common Council, and report such revision at the earliest practical moment.

APPENDIX No. 31.

DEPARTMENT OF CITY CONTROLLER.

Philadelphia, January 18, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—Pending the Annual Report of this Department, for the year 1911, I beg to advise your Honorable Bodies that the result for the year, as shown in the closing of the books on December 31st, exhibits an excess of actual receipts over the estimated receipts of August, 1910, for 1911, of \$2,040,427.81. This result is principally due to the prompt payment of taxes, the reduction in mandamus execution, together with the increased amounts received from the County officers and various miscellaneous sources.

I would add that the work in detail will be forwarded at the usual time, after the closing of the present month.

Very truly yours,

JNO. M. WALTON,

City Controller.

APPENDIX No. 32.

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR.

Philadelphia, January 18, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—Although I found it necessary to veto the appropriation item providing for the expenses of the Committee on Comprehensive Plans, created by the ordinance of July 11, 1911, for reasons set forth in the message sent you under date of December 30, 1911, I

feel that it is important that some such work, under an ordinance that would be certainly legal, should be carried on.

As set forth in the message referred to, I believe that this work should be done in conjunction with the Department of Public Works rather than directly under the Office of the Mayor. I, therefore, have the honor to transmit to you herewith two suggested ordinances; one providing for the repeal of the ordinance of July 11, 1911, and the other providing for the creation of a Committee on Comprehensive Plans and for an appropriation for the expenses of the work to be carried on under its advice by the Director of Public Works. It seems to me important that these ordinances should be passed, and I trust that they may have your careful consideration.

Respectfully yours,

RUDOLPH BLANKENBURG,

Mayor.

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AN ORDINANCE

To repeal an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance making it the duty of the Mayor to supervise and carry into effect Comprehensive Plans for the future development of the City of Philadelphia; providing for the appointment and regulating the powers, duties and procedure of a Permanent Committee to advise, assist and co-operate with him therein, and making an appropriation therefor," approved July 11, 1911.

WHEREAS, The said ordinance created a Permanent Committee to advise, assist and co-operate with the Mayor in carrying into effect the Comprehensive Plans for the future development of the City of Philadelphia, specified the organization of the Committee, and set forth its powers and duties;

AND WHEREAS, The Law Department of the City has advised that the Committee as at present created by or-

dinance of July 11, 1911, is an illegal body, possessing power conflicting with existing Departments of the City Government:

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That said ordinance, entitled "An Ordinance making it the duty of the Mayor to supervise and carry into effect Comprehensive Plans for the future development of the City of Philadelphia; providing for the appointment of and regulating the powers, duties and procedure of a Permanent Committee to advise, assist and co-operate with him therein, and making an appropriation therefor," approved the eleventh day of July, 1911, be, and the same is hereby repealed.

AN ORDINANCE

Making it the duty of the Director of the Department of Public Works to study and develop Comprehensive Plans for the future development of the City of Philadelphia; providing for the appointment and regulating the powers, duties and procedure of a Permanent Committee on Comprehensive Plans to advise, assist and co-operate with the Director of the said Department, and making an appropriation for the payment of the salaries of the employees and the maintenance of the said Committee.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That it shall be the duty of the Director of the Department of Public Works to study, plan, suggest and develop Comprehensive Plans for the future development of the City of Philadelphia.

SECT. 2. A permanent Committee on Comprehensive Plans to advise, assist and co-operate therein with the Director of the Department of Public Works shall be created. The Mayor shall be *ex-officio* a member of the said Committee, which shall in addition consist of the Director of the Department of Public Works, *ex-officio*; the Chief of

of Bureau of Surveys, *ex-officio*; the Presidents of the Select and Common Councils, *ex-officio*; the President of the Fairmount Park Commission, *ex-officio*; the Chairman of the Finance Committee of Councils, *ex-officio*; and of ten citizens who shall be appointed by the Mayor. The terms of the ten citizens first appointed shall end on the first Monday in December, 1913, and thereafter the term of the appointive members of the said Committee shall be for two years. The Committee shall organize immediately upon the appointment of its members; it shall make such rules and regulations as may be deemed necessary for the purposes for which it is appointed, and shall hold stated or special meetings at such times or on such notice as it may by resolution provide. The Mayor shall be the Chairman of the said Committee and preside at all meetings. Minutes of the meetings of the Committee shall be kept and permanently recorded.

SECT. 3. The duties of the said Committee are to act as an Advisory Board to the Director of the Department of Public Works, and to advise and suggest to the Mayor and the Director such plans or suggestions for the physical and material improvement of the City as may seem to the said Committee proper and best adapted for the future development of the City along comprehensive lines. The said Committee for this purpose shall have power to suggest changes in existing plans, and from time to time suggest the adoption or develop further plans for suggestion. No rule, regulation, power or act of the Committee shall in any wise conflict with or usurp the powers or duties vested by law in any Department or Bureau of the City government as at present established, but the said Committee is solely empowered to act as an Advisory Committee, offering suggestions for consideration by the proper executive officials, whose duty it would be to carry out such suggestions if deemed advisable and legally authorized.

SECT. 4. The Director of the Department of Public Works is empowered to appoint a Secretary of the Committee on Comprehensive Plans at a salary of \$2,500 per annum, said appointment to date from January 1, 1912;

and to appoint civil, mechanical, hydraulic, sanitary, landscape, architectural and consulting engineers, gardeners, architects, experts, advisers, assistants and such other employees as may be necessary to further the object for which the said Committee is created.

SECT. 5. There is hereby appropriated to the Department of Public Works, Item , for the Committee on Comprehensive Plans, for the year 1912, for the salary of the Secretary, two thousand five hundred (2,500) dollars; for salaries of engineers, experts, and other employees, as above enumerated, six thousand five hundred (6,500) dollars; and to the Department of Public Works, Item , Committee on Comprehensive Plans, for postage, transportation, hire of vehicles, cleaning offices, telephone, telegraph and messenger service, books, periodicals, stationery and other incidental expenses, one thousand (1,000) dollars; total, ten thousand (10,000) dollars.

SECT. 6. All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith be, and the same are hereby repealed.

APPENDIX No. 33.

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR.

Philadelphia, January 18, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—I have the honor of transmitting to you herewith correspondence re the grading, etc., of Twelfth street, north of Sixty-sixth avenue.

This correspondence explains itself. Photographs show the conditions complained of.

I have referred the matter to the Department of Public Works, and from the report of this Department it appears to me that the complainants are entitled to im-

mediate relief, and I would therefore urge upon your Honorable Bodies the passage of an ordinance which is herewith enclosed.

By giving this your prompt attention you will oblige,

Respectfully yours,

RUDOLPH BLANKENBURG,

Mayor.

Philadelphia, December 27, 1911.

HON. RUDOLPH BLANKENBURG,

Mayor of the City of Philadelphia.

ESTEEMED SIR:—In pursuance of our conversation of the morning of the twenty-seventh, we beg to submit the following statement concerning the condition of North Twelfth street, between Sixty-sixth and Sixty-fifth avenues, Forty-second Ward, Oak Lane, Philadelphia, Pa.

The condition of the street, as shown by the enclosed photographs, is now and has been in a like condition for the past six months, and will continue to be such until graded to the grade as established by Mr. Brinton, Surveyor and Regulator of the Fifth District, in 1899.

The reason for the above condition is not due in any way to any negligence, direct or indirect, of the property owners on the said section of Twelfth street, but is caused by the recent grading of Thirteenth street, the slope of Twelfth street, north of Sixty-sixth avenue, and the building of houses on the part of Twelfth street in question. By the building of houses we mean doing the necessary grading, etc., necessary to bring the house and lot on grade with the grade established by Mr. Brinton. When the property owners improved and built upon the ground abutting on the said section of Twelfth street, they did so in a legal way, and built the surface of the ground upon a level with the legal and established grade, and as a consequence of doing what we had a legal right to do, that is, the filling in of the said lots to a legal grade, the water has lodged in the bed of Twelfth

street and now forms a pool about 36 inches to 40 inches deep in the center, extending north and south about 200 feet, and east and west about 100 feet.

It is true that if the improvements had not been made in the said location that the pool would not have formed, but the surface water would have flowed off naturally. But in a city of the first class, where the Legislature gives to such cities certain rights and privileges, such as establishing grades, drain courses, etc., the burden of taking care of such rights is cast upon the cities of this class. The land in question is being developed along lines of progress that are in accordance with the natural development of the City, are assessed by the City and are beyond the point of law that applies in regard to the carrying away of the natural surface water, as the land receives, on account of the City grading the surrounding streets, an unnatural amount of surface water.

The question now resolves itself into the fact that we, the property owners of Twelfth street, between Sixty-fifth and Sixty-sixth avenues, are being burdened with a nuisance detrimental to our health and to the interest of our property, saying nothing of the almost unsupportable burden of living in a mud puddle.

The difficulty can be overcome by grading the street to the established grade, a release of all the abutting owners having been filed with the Department of Surveys. Hoping that you may see fit to grant us relief, we remain,

Yours respectfully,

RAYMOND A. WHITE, JR.,

W. H. BATES, JR.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the laying of a temporary terra cotta storm-water drain in Twelfth street and in Sixty-fifth avenue, north, to Eleventh and Warnock streets.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Director of the

Department of Public Works be, and he is hereby authorized to enter into a contract for the laying of a terra cotta temporary stormwater drain on Twelfth street, from about two hundred (200) feet south of Sixty-sixth avenue north, to Sixty-fifth avenue north; thence east on Sixty-fifth avenue north, to Eleventh and Warnock streets.

SECT. 2. The Director of the Department of Public Works shall advertise for proposals and award contract in accordance with existing laws and ordinances and plans and specifications prepared by the Department of Public Works. And the sum of eight hundred and fifty (850) dollars shall be appropriated to the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Surveys) for this purpose.

SECT. 3. That the Mayor is hereby authorized to enter security, on behalf of the City of Philadelphia, for the payment of any damages by reason of the construction of the herein authorized temporary drain through private property.

APPENDIX No. 34.

RESOLUTION

To grant the use of Common Council Chamber to the Commission to Revise and Codify the Election Laws of Pennsylvania.

Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of Philadelphia, That the use of Common Council Chamber be granted to the Commission to Revise and Codify the Election Laws of Pennsylvania, in which to hold a meeting on Friday, March 22, 1912.

APPENDIX No. 35.

RESOLUTION

Of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to confer with the officials of the Philadelphia and Reading Railway Company, relative to the removal of grade crossings between the bridge over Wissahickon creek and Umbria street, in the Twenty-first Ward.

Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the Director of the Department of Public Works be requested to confer with the officials of the Philadelphia and Reading Railway Company, for the purpose of ascertaining what can be done to remove the grade crossings on the line of said railway, between the bridge over Wissahickon creek and Umbria street, in the Twenty-first Ward, with the estimated cost of such work and the proportion to be paid by the City and the Railway Company, and report to these Councils the result of such negotiation as speedily as possible.

APPENDIX No. 36.

FIFTY-EIGHTH ANNUAL REPORT OF THE CITY
CONTROLLER.

DEPARTMENT OF CITY CONTROLLER.

Philadelphia, February 1, 1912.

To the Select and Common Councils
of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—In accordance with the Act of Assembly consolidating the City of Philadelphia, and also the Act approved April 20, 1874, the Fifty-eighth Annual Report of the receipts and disbursements, for the year 1911, is respectfully submitted.

The revenues from all sources for the year 1911 were:

Total taxes collected in 1911 (current)	\$20,678,856 57
Total delinquent City taxes collected during the year 1911	1,469,917 39
Total delinquent State tax, after settlement, col- lected during the year 1911	11,023 50
Total delinquent public building tax collected dur- ing the year 1911	46 53
Total State tax, after settlement, for the year 1911	57,941 91
Poll tax	63,080 10
The Mayor	33,864 00
Bureau of Charities	218,481 41
The Director's Office, Public Health and Charities.	39,138 07
The Bureau of Correction	24,946 67

Amount carried forward\$22,597,296 15

Amount brought forward	\$22,597,296 15
The Bureau of Health	12,501 31
The Board of Health	29,316 58
The Bureau of Building Inspectors	73,825 35
" Fire and Fire Escapes	72 00
" Electrical	133,269 46
" City Property	101,998 58
" Steam Engines and Boiler Inspection	21,153 68
The Bureau of Highways	54,351 43
" Surveys	151,166 69
" Water	4,808,282 21
The United Gas Improvement Company:	
15 per cent. of gas consumed, as per lease	1,304,028 78
For the payment of salaries of Meter Inspectors, as per lease.....	10,000 00
The Highway Supervisors	14,733 20
The City Solicitor	229,818 91
The City Treasurer	2,007,205 94
The County Prison, Reed Street	2,526 56
The County Prison, Holmesburg	3,346 68
The Clerk of Quarter Sessions	42,741 47
The Prothonotary, Court of Common Pleas	91,131 18
The Recorder of Deeds	236,554 30
The Register of Wills	130,399 32
The Sheriff	72,291 12
Search fees	10,472 75
The Magistrates	67,750 13
The Department of Wharves, Docks and Ferries..	60,185 56
The Bureau of Police (sales and fines)	13,922 99
Employment agents' licenses	8,000 00
Moving picture licenses	16,400 00
Operators' licenses	530 00
The Department of Supplies	16,459 67
The Board of Education	407 93
The City Commissioners	130 00
Interest on City deposits	353,297 04
Miscellaneous receipts	6,626 43
The Park Fund	6,704 29
The Gas Bureau (Meter Inspections)	46 00
The Philadelphia Rapid Transit Co.:	
For repairing streets occupied by passenger railways	502,219 43
Abolition of grade crossings	56,781 01
Amount carried forward	\$33,247,944 13

Amount brought forward	\$33,247,944	13
The Philadelphia and Reading Railway Co.:		
Proportion (one-half) of interest, Sub- way Loan	59,272	50
Proportion (one-half) of Series H, ma- turing December 31, 1911	150,000	00
Abolition of grade crossings (Richmond Branch)	15,785	56
Abolition of grade crossings (Phila., Germ. and Norristown Branch).....	2,537	72
The \$11,200,000 Loan (balance)	1,400,000	00
Accrued interest on Loan	11,666	66
Premium on Loan	42,000	00
The \$2,300,000 Loan	2,300,000	00
Premium	27,067	21
The \$9,750,000 Loan	9,750,000	00
Premium on Loan	97,659	55
Accrued interest on Loan	20,543	50
The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania:		
State appropriation to teachers' annuity, etc.	23,000	00
State appropriation to schools, for the year 1911	877,789	60
The Firemen's Pension Fund	41,761	06
The personal property tax (3 mills), for the year 1911	1,636,261	31
Elevator inspection	35,389	00
Temporary Loan	1,200,000	00
Ordinances of Councils	1,300	00
From refunded mandamuses	38,869	84
	<u>\$50,978,847</u>	<u>64</u>

The expenditures for the year 1911 were:

Interest on Funded Debt	\$380,388	75
Appropriation to Sinking Funds:		
Interest on Loans	\$3,061,611	10
Annual appropriation	2,158,233	15
	<u>5,219,844</u>	<u>25</u>
Appropriation to Sinking Fund:		
\$2,300,000 Loan	\$71,875	00
\$9,750,000 Loan	316,875	00
\$11,200,000 Loan	56,000	00
	<u>444,750</u>	<u>00</u>
Amount carried forward	\$6,044,983	00

Amount brought forward	\$6,044,983 00
The Board of Education:	
Interest on loans	\$120,000 00
Appropriation on loans	67,500 00
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	187,500 00
Mandamus executions	898,478 41
Park Commissioners	699,193 83
Park Fund	6,944 80
Nautical School of Pennsylvania	28,296 57
Warrants of previous years	1,804,809 41
Civil Service Commission	32,226 14
Board of Education	6,632,237 45
Matured Serial Loans	966,000 00
Sinking Fund Commissioners	26,850 00
City Commissioners	1,450,658 25
Wharves, Docks and Ferries	907,714 28
Department of Supplies	2,243,720 92
Municipal Departments and Bureaus	21,825,978 47
Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, personal property	
tax, 1911	2,137,198 39
State tax on loans	235,599 84
Suspense account (Treasurer's balance, Trades-	
men's Trust Co.)	126,000 00
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	\$46,254,389 76
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Total receipts	\$50,978,847 64
Add: Highway Contractors' ac-	
count	46,500 00
Receipts personal property	
tax, 1911	2,137,198 39
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	\$53,162,546 03
Total expenditures	\$46,254,389 76
Add: Highway Contractors' account	46,500 00
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	\$46,300,889 76
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Total receipts	\$53,162,546 03
Total expenditures	46,300,889 76
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Excess of receipts	\$6,861,656 27
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Total cash balance, January 1, 1911	\$14,708,822	24
Deduct: Sinking Fund, January 1,		
1911	\$195,310	28
Fire Insurance Fund, Jan-		
uary 1, 1911	7,663	30
Highway Contractors' ac-		
count, January 1, 1911	5,000	00
	<hr/>	207,973 58
		<hr/>
		\$14,500,848 66
Add: Sinking Fund, December 31, 1911	123,197	02
Fire Insurance, December 31, 1911	30,631	61
Highway Contractors' account, December		
31, 1911	46,500	00
Excess of receipts over expenditures....	6,861,656	27
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General cash balance, January 1, 1912	\$21,562,833	56
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Against the above cash assets are the following liabilities:

Outstanding warrants	3,363,510	70
Balances of appropriations not merging:		
Loans	\$14,758,481	33
Current appropriations....	991,859	21
	<hr/>	\$15,750,340 54
Park Fund	6,704	29
Sinking Fund	123,197	02
Fire Insurance Fund	30,631	61
Highway Contractors' account	46,500	00
Unappropriated balance, \$9,750,000 Loan	100,000	00
Balance of Mandamus Fund	101,521	59
	<hr/>	\$19,522,405 75
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General cash balance, December 30, 1911	\$21,562,833	56
Deduct liabilities as above	19,522,405	75
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Surplus for the year	\$2,040,427	81
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The highly gratifying exhibit here shown of increased receipts over the estimate of August 1, 1910, for the year 1911, resulting principally from large collections during

the year just closed from current, delinquent and personal property taxes, premium on loans and accrued interest, increased interest on bank deposits, poll taxes, and various other departmental and miscellaneous receipts, has made available for further appropriation the sum of \$2,040,427.81.

This amount added to the balance unappropriated of the estimated amount reported for appropriation August 1, 1911, renders available for further use the sum of \$2,132,485.99.

Balance unappropriated on December 30, 1911...	\$92,058 18
Surplus for the year	2,040,427 81
Total	<u>\$2,132,485 99</u>

The average annual excess of receipts for the preceding five years over those estimated after deducting the average proportion remaining uncollected, in compliance with the Act of June, 1879, has been \$1,837,429.21. Much of this has been due to the large increase in assessed valuation by the Board of Revision of Taxes. In a recent conference with the Board this increase, in their judgment, cannot be maintained the succeeding five years.

Total appropriations for the year 1911, including the balances of 1910 not merging-----	\$63,104,251 50	Total cash assets, January 1, 1911-----	\$14,708,822 24
Deduct amount merging December 30, 1911-----	571,824 14	DEDUCT.	
Mandamus executions-----		Sinking Fund balance, December 31, 1910	\$195,310 28
		Fire Insurance Fund, balance December 31, 1910-----	7,663 30
		Highway contractors' account, balance December 31, 1910-----	5,000 00
OBLIGATIONS OF 1911.			
Outstanding warrants of 1910 and prior years-----	1,811,916 06		207,973 58
PARK FUND.			\$14,500,848 66
Receipts of 1911. For Park purposes only-----	6,704 29	Total receipts for the year 1911, City Fund account	50,978,847 64
SPECIAL FUNDS.		ADD RECEIPTS, SPECIAL FUNDS.	
Sinking Fund-----	123,197 02	Sinking Fund-----	123,197 02
Fire Insurance Fund-----	30,631 61	Fire Insurance Fund-----	30,631 61
Highway contractors' account-----	46,500 00	Highway contractors' account-----	46,500 00
\$9,750,000 loan, balance unappropriated-----	100,000 00	Personal property tax (State account.)-----	2,137,198 39
Mandamus Fund, balance-----	101,521 59	Warrants of 1905, dropped, as per ordinance of Councils-----	580 83
Tradesmen's Trust Company deposit transferred to Suspense Account, per ordinance of Councils-----	136,000 00		
Surplus-----	2,040,427 81		
	\$67,817,804 15		\$67,817,804 15

Receipts

The total revenues from all sources, from January 1, 1911, to December 31, 1911, were \$50,978,847.64, received from the following sources:

Current taxes	\$20,678,856 57
Delinquent taxes	1,469,917 39
State personal property tax	1,636,261 31
Water rents and searches	4,808,282 21
United Gas Improvement Company	1,304,028 78
School Fund	877,789 60
Permanent loans	13,450,000 00
Temporary loans	1,200,000 00
County officers and miscellaneous receipts	5,553,711 78

Total revenues\$50,978,847 64

This includes the amount due in 1911 by the State of the Personal Property Tax of \$1,636,261.31, and the appropriation for the support of the public schools of the Commonwealth by the Act of Assembly of May 15, 1909, which provides "That the City of Philadelphia shall be entitled to a proper portion of the State appropriation as provided by existing laws regulating the distribution to the several counties, amounting to \$877,789.60, which amount was embraced in the statement of this Department of August 1, 1910, of revenue available for appropriation by your Honorable Bodies, for the year 1911, in compliance with the provision of the Act of Assembly of June 11, 1879.

In addition to the current receipts there was negotiated \$1,400,000 of the loan of June 17, 1898, authorized and awaiting negotiation, apportioned as follows:

For the erection of a Public Library	\$1,000,000 00
For the erection of an Art Gallery	200,000 00
For the erection of Grade crossings	200,000 00

also, \$2,300,000 of the loan of April 1, 1911, and \$9,750,000 of the loan of June 19, 1911, all issued for various permanent improvements. These loans, with the exception of the \$1,400,000, which was awarded by His Honor, the Mayor, to the Sinking Fund Commissioners,

at par, were sold by popular subscriptions, at a premium varying from 102 to 101 and interest, the subscriptions exceeding by about forty per cent. the total amount of bonds offered, forcibly demonstrating the high esteem in which investors, both large and small, hold the credit of the City of Philadelphia.

Two Per Cent. Interest on Bank Deposits.

1892.....	\$63,671 01
1893.....	124,920 95
1894.....	130,048 65
1895.....	69,494 50
1896.....	64,912 56
1897.....	123,776 10
1898.....	104,835 94
1899.....	174,601 33
1900.....	239,445 25
1901.....	291,695 57
1902.....	365,330 61
1903.....	281,491 02
1904.....	287,840 31
1905.....	368,738 80
1906.....	356,921 91
1907.....	315,840 02
1908.....	340,673 79
1909.....	404,071 34
1910.....	311,212 38
1911.....	353,297 04

\$4,772,819 08

The tax levy for 1911 on an assessed valuation of \$1,458,851,880.00, which was computed at \$21,267,749.39 at the rate of \$1.50, yielded \$20,678,856.51. Of this, after allowing added penalties of \$76,801.56, and reduction in discounts of \$199,251.32, there remained less than three per cent. of the tax levy uncollected.

Owing to the additional assessments made by the Board of Revision of Taxes subsequent to August 1, 1910, when the above-mentioned levy for 1911 was determined, the actual amount of taxes unpaid at the close of this year was \$1,292,761.89, which is less than six per cent. of the entire tax levy. To this amount, five per cent. is added at the close of the year for delinquency, making the total unpaid taxes for 1911, \$1,357,399.98.

In connection with the collection and auditing of City taxes, one circumstance seems worthy of special emphasis, namely, the percentage remaining uncollected at the end of each year. During the period of five years, from 1906 to 1911, inclusive, the average delinquent taxes ranges from two and one-half down to one and one-quarter per cent. When it is remembered that the average number of tax payers is estimated at over 200,000 individuals, that the property covered includes more than 345,000 dwellings, supplemented by 25,000 other structures, the possibility of complication and the necessity for careful work becomes at once apparent. When the further circumstance is taken into account, that 370,000 buildings making up Philadelphia's present day structural manifestation are supplemented by large areas of unoccupied land, much of which is divided into building lots and separately owned, while the whole great list of properties subject to taxation is scattered over an area of 129½ square miles, divided by more than 1,800 miles of streets, the tremendous task facing the tax collecting and the City Controller's auditing departments becomes apparent.

The following Departments and Bureaus show an increase of receipts from those of 1910:

Receiver of Taxes:	
Current taxes	\$925,766 04
Delinquent taxes	159,256 85
State Tax, after settlement, current	16,727 19
Delinquent	6,195 72
Public building tax	32 69
Poll tax	649 10
The Mayor	3,909 00
Board of Health	3,614 11
Bureau of Electrical	3,950 69
“ City Property	33,639 22
“ Water	264,251 82
United Gas Improvement Company, as per lease..	55,216 74
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Amount carried forward.....	\$1,473,209 17

Amount brought forward.....	\$1,473,209 17
Board of Highway Supervisors	3,562 11
Department of Recorder of Deeds	14,047 70
Department of Register of Wills	4,916 92
Magistrates	17,209 83
Employment agencies	650 00
Park Fund	1,051 99
Elevator inspection	6,163 00
Miscellaneous	1,370 69
City Treasurer	8,390 19
Clerk of Quarter Sessions	5,540 46
Prothonotary, Court Common Pleas	24,361 53
Sheriff	7,178 59
Search fees	853 65
Wharves, Docks and Ferries	15,669 03
Bureau of Police (sales and fines)	2,729 96
Moving picture licenses	600 00
Supplies	2,967 10
Interest on deposits	42,084 66
Building Inspectors	26,557 40
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	\$1,659,113 98

The following show a decrease of receipts from those of 1910.

Bureau of Correction	\$30,490 91
“ Steam Engines and Boilers	337 47
Department of Public Health and Charities:	
Director's Office (Health)	18,806 26
“ “ (Charities)	10,000 71
Bureau of Charities	169,117 74
“ Fire and Fire Escapes	314 00
“ Bureau of Surveys	3,770 51
“ Highways	20,806 43
Department of Law, or City Solicitor	8,859 28
“ Prisons, Reed Street	421 96
“ Prisons, Holmesburg	333 82
Operators' licenses	150 00
Board of Education	98 93
City Commissioners	188,421 21
Meter inspection (Bureau of Gas)	7 00
Ordinances of Councils	450 00
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	\$443,416 23

*Asset and Liability, Revenue and Expense and Fund
Accounting*

After giving the subject of accounting and financial reporting careful study for a number of years, I have reached the conclusion that the old system of accounting, which stated only receipts and expenditures, is of itself inadequate to portray fully the financial condition of the City and the results of its operations. It met the requirements of earlier days when the City's business was of comparatively small amount. We have, however, entirely different conditions to face to-day. The City's activities have grown to large proportions and are constantly increasing in complexity. Such factors as the high cost of labor and materials, and the greatly increased needs and desires of the people have brought the City face to face with the problem of rendering the greatest amount of service to the community at the least possible cost. The public is justified in expecting the best lighting, paving, municipal industries and subways that modern ingenuity can devise; but in order to supply these wants without increasing the tax rate, it becomes imperative to know exactly what our financial condition is—our sources of receipt and objects of expenditure, and the unit costs of operation—a "sailing chart," in other words, to serve as a guide for the City's future operations. We must, therefore, avail ourselves of an accounting system designed to answer all of these questions, and one which lays the basis for the accurate determination of cost of operations, revenue, assets and liabilities.

Municipalities are feeling the pressing need of accurate and detailed systems of cost accounts that will show the unit cost of municipal operations as accurately as "ton mile" and "passenger mile" statistics do for railroads.

The application of the exact methods of modern science

CITY OF PHILADELPHIA.

Summary Consolidated Balance Sheet as of December 31, 1911.

Showing Assets, Liabilities, Appropriations and Reserves.

	General Account.	Capital Account.	Sinking Fund.	Special and Trust Account.	Total.
	For further detail see Exhibit "B," opposite page 174, and Exhibit "F," opposite p. 180.	For further detail see Exhibit "C," opposite page 176, and Exhibit "E," opposite p. 180.	For further detail see Exhibit "C," opposite p. 176.	For further detail see Exhibit "D," opposite page 178, and Exhibit "E," opposite p. 180.	
ASSETS					
Cash	\$5,858,436 38	\$15,194,049 68	\$123,197 02	\$86,550 48	\$31,562,833 56
Amounts due to City—Accounts receivable.....	3,220,763 81	1,543,500 00			4,764,263 81
Investments (City Loans).....			14,050,612 91	321,182 35	14,371,825 29
Land, buildings, equipment and other permanent improvements.....		270,914,558 09			270,914,558 09
Total assets	\$9,079,200 19	\$287,952,707 77	\$14,173,839 96	\$407,732 83	\$311,613,480 75
LIABILITIES					
Bills and payrolls audited.....	\$2,059,926 80	\$624,204 39		\$123 98	\$2,784,655 08
Warrants payable	626,591 57	11,961 05			638,552 62
Temporary loan	1,200,000 00				1,200,000 00
Mortgages payable		1,006,500 00			1,006,500 00
Funded Debt		109,829,800 00			109,829,800 00
Other liabilities	22,111 53		\$30,924 72	18,873 40	71,949 45
Total liabilities	\$3,949,059 70	\$111,472,463 35	\$30,924 72	\$19,207 38	\$115,471,760 15
Excess of assets over liabilities.....	5,130,140 49	176,480,239 42	14,142,905 24	388,435 45	196,141,720 60
	\$9,079,200 19	\$287,952,707 77	\$14,173,839 96	\$407,732 83	\$311,613,480 75
APPROPRIATIONS, RESERVES AND FUNDS AVAILABLE FOR APPROPRIATION					
Loans authorized and unissued.....		\$2,425,000 00			2,425,000 00
Excess of assets over liabilities (as above).....	\$5,130,140 49	176,480,239 42	\$14,142,905 24	\$388,435 45	196,141,720 60
Total.....	\$5,130,140 49	\$178,905,239 42	\$14,142,905 24	\$388,435 45	\$198,569,720 60
Less—Appropriations and reserves:					
Appropriations (unencumbered balances).....	\$662,059 08	\$8,073,640 51		\$2,200 60	\$8,738,500 19
Reserves (see Exhibits "B," "C," "D," and "E").....	621,810 46	58,678,599 75	\$12,968,073 50	379,410 56	72,617,924 27
Total.....	\$1,284,469 54	\$66,752,240 26	\$12,968,073 50	\$381,731 16	\$81,366,511 46
Excess of assets and estimated receipts over liabilities, appropriations and reserves.....	\$3,845,670 95	\$112,152,999 16	\$1,174,831 71	\$6,704 29	\$117,180,206 14
Distributed as follows:					
Excess other assets over reserves.....	\$1,895,213 14		\$1,174,831 71		\$2,069,074 88
Excess properties over Funded Debt, mortgages payable and reserve for depreciation.....		\$112,032,999 16			112,032,999 16
Funds available for appropriation.....	2,640,427 81	109,000 00		6,704 29	2,717,132 10

to commerce, transportation and other branches of human activity has made it possible to render greater service at less relative cost than ever before in history. The guide posts to managers and trustees of our modern enterprises are the comprehensive systems of accounting and reporting, by which answers to every business question are promptly and currently made available to them. Municipalities, in order to meet modern conditions, must apply the same methods to their problems, and consequently the same general system of accounts is required by municipal officers to guide them in the direction of the City's affairs.

In developing the City's system of accounting and reporting, I have had the cooperation and assistance of the Bureau of Municipal Research of Philadelphia, and of F. A. Cleveland, Esq., Chairman of the President's Commission on Economy and Efficiency. I recently submitted to a group of men, representative of Philadelphia's financial institutions, the new system of accounting and reporting, and have received from them the following letter with reference to its soundness and practical value:

"Philadelphia, January 27, 1912.

HON. JOHN M. WALTON,
City Controller, Philadelphia.

DEAR SIR:—In the interest of efficient management of the business of the City, we desire to express our approval of the plan of accounting and reporting which is being installed by you as shown in your annual report and your August statement of estimates, and of the "suggested financial program" recently submitted by the Bureau of Municipal Research for the consideration of the Mayor and Councils.

Intelligent direction of public as well as of private business requires that all pertinent facts be accurately, systematically, and promptly placed before the responsible officers, and before the public whose support is essential to the success of a progressive administration. The new forms of statement contained in your recent reports and "suggested financial program," submitted by the Bureau of Municipal Research, appears to provide admirably for the proper description, classification, and reporting of the financial and operative facts pertaining to the City government. These furnish what in private business would be regarded as the first essential of economical and efficient management.

Carried into a uniform budget for all City Departments, an expense classification such as that presented in the revised estimates would enable citizens and taxpayers as well as public officials to comprehend readily the purpose of each appropriation item, and to determine the relative public importance of the several activities of the City. It would make possible, furthermore, the exercise of greater discretion on the part of Councils in defining and limiting the amounts which the various Departments may spend; on the part of the Mayor in approving or disapproving items in the budget; and on the part of the Controller in approving or disapproving bills that come before him for audit.

Very respectfully,

E. W. CLARK, E. W. Clark & Co.,
W. W. FRAZIER, Philadelphia Trust Co.,
RICHARD M. HARTLEY, Land Title Co.,
ARTHUR E. NEWBOLD, Drexel & Co.,
C. S. W. PACKARD, The Pennsylvania Co.,
G. C. PURVES, Philadelphia Savings Fund.,
CHAS. J. RHOADS, Girard Trust Company."

CITY OF PHILADELPHIA

General Account—Statement as of December 31 and January 1, 1911, and Comparisons.

ASSETS.	December 31, 1911.		January 1, 1911.		Increase.	Decrease.	LIABILITIES.	December 31, 1911.		January 1, 1911.		Increase.	Decrease.
CASH		\$7,858,436 38		\$4,925,579 92		\$932,856 46	BILLS AND PAYROLLS AUDITED		\$2,000,926 89			\$2,000,926 89	
AMOUNTS DUE TO THE CITY:							WARRANTS PAYABLE		63,961 57		\$1,244,671 14		\$917,679 57
Unpaid taxes, 1911		1,357,399 08		2,808,056 19		\$155,842 78	DUPLICATE AND EXCESS TAX AND WATER RENT PAYMENTS, 1911		22,141 33			22,141 33	
Delinquent taxes of 1910 and prior years		1,294,813 43					TEMPORARY LOAN		1,200,000 00			1,200,000 00	
Unpaid water rents, 1911		497,675 50					RESERVES:						
Delinquent water rents of 1910 and prior years		37,847 56		63,755 22		71,767 84	For losses on account of failed trust companies		175,433 72		49,433 72	126,000 00	
Unpaid State tax, 1911		14,323 57					For non-collection, State tax, 1910 and prior years		17,945 62			17,945 62	
Delinquent State tax of 1910 and prior years		18,126 88				32,450 45	SURPLUS—CASH over immediate demands for cash		3,131,518 61		3,690,908 78		\$49,390 77
Delinquent Public Building tax		588 73				588 73	Commitments against same Appropriations and reserve for contingencies (see general fund balance sheet)		\$1,061,000 20		\$1,281,833 93		\$190,745 73
Unpaid departmental accounts receivable, 1911		24,777 08				93,002 99	General fund surplus from which further appropriations may be made		2,040,427 81		2,399,072 85		358,645 04
Delinquent departmental accounts receivable of 1910 and prior years		68,225 91				131,551 45	SURPLUS—OTHER ASSETS over reserves		\$1,805,243 14		\$2,871,811 41		\$1,066,568 27
Claims against Commonwealth for primary election expenses		131,551 45				131,551 45	Total surplus		\$4,936,761 15		\$6,552,730 19		\$1,615,969 04
Suspense account—Due from receivers of failed trust companies		175,433 72		49,433 72		126,000 00	Total liabilities, reserves and surplus—General account		\$9,079,260 19		\$7,846,835 05		\$1,232,375 14
Total assets General Account		\$9,079,260 19		\$7,846,835 05		\$1,232,375 14							

*See "Unapplied (Net Cash) Balance"—Comparative Fund Balance Sheet, General Fund, opposite page 150.
 †Subject to slight adjustment.

Operation Accounts.

EXPENSES, 1911 (see Schedule No. 1, page 192)	\$5,416,675 68	REVENUE, 1911	\$6,660,484 87
Excess of revenue over expenses	653,809 19		
Total	\$91,669,484 87	Total	\$36,090,484 87

Surplus Accounts.

CHARGES AGAINST SURPLUS:		SURPLUS, JANUARY 1, 1911 (see General Account Balance Sheet above)	\$6,552,730 19
Net Advances to Capital Account during 1911 (see Schedule No. 2, page 193)	\$1,184,954 14	CREDITS TO SURPLUS:	
Transfer to School District of Philadelphia	896,803 02	Excess of revenue over expenses (see Operation Accounts)	653,809 19
Allowances and reductions of delinquent taxes and water rents	243,164 57	Unpaid delinquent taxes and other accounts receivable set up on the general ledger subsequent to January 1, 1911	197,774 73
Reserve for losses on account of failed trust companies	126,000 00	Claims against Commonwealth for primary election expenses	35,763 57
Reserve for non-collection—State tax	17,945 62	Other credits	10,156 82
Transfer to Park Fund	4,496 09		
SURPLUS CARRIED TO GENERAL ACCOUNT, DECEMBER 31, 1911 (see General Account Balance Sheet above)	4,936,761 15		
Total	\$7,380,224 50	Total	\$7,380,224 50

Audit of Inventory of City Property

The audit of the inventory of City property that was taken in November and December, 1910, was completed during the year, and property accounts with each class of property were opened in the new property ledger.

A property record has been opened that controls the custodianship of property by Departments and Bureaus, and agrees in total with the property ledger. Both the ledger and the record are controlled by the permanent property account in the general ledger. In auditing the inventories it was ascertained: (1) that they had been made by responsible officials and that titles, dates and signatures were correct; (2) that all City property of a permanent nature had been included and that property not of permanent nature had been excluded; (3) that duplication of properties or entries in error did not exist; (4) that all property was correctly described and classified and that clerical inaccuracies did not exist; (5) that original cost values, as shown, were accurate; and (6) that present values had been established with due regard to depreciation and obsolescence.

In determining whether all real estate and improvements had been reported, and in the elimination of duplication and other errors of entry, the co-operation of the Board of Revision of Taxes and the Bureau of Surveys of the Department of Public Works was obtained.

The audit of the property inventory resulted in a net increase of \$11,056,796.91 in the value of the unaudited inventory, while the acquisition of property during the year 1911 amounted to \$9,506,408.55. All properties were *taken up at cost*. In some few cases where properties were originally returned at an estimated present value instead of at cost, this method resulted in a considerable reduction in the audited figures. A de-

tailed inventory of the cost of the City Gas Works has not been returned. Pending such return these properties were taken upon the books at \$29,000,000, the cost figure at which they are reported by the Census Bureau.

The cost value of land, buildings, equipment and other permanent improvements, by Departments and Bureaus, and by classes of property is shown in detail on Schedule 1 of Exhibit "C," opposite page 194.

In arriving at an adequate reserve for depreciation on the permanent properties, the assessed value of the properties as determined by the Board of Revision of Taxes was taken as being their present value. On all other structures and equipment a reserve, based on their estimated life, was calculated. The resulting reserve for depreciation is \$49,568,758.93. (See Exhibit "C.")

Balance Sheets

The assets, liabilities, appropriations and reserves of the City are shown in summary form in Exhibit "A," opposite page 172. The General Account, Capital Account, Sinking Fund Account, and Special and Trust Account balance sheets appear in Exhibits "B," "C" and "D," opposite pages 174, 176 and 178, and show in greater detail the City's financial condition. The comparative fund balance sheet, Exhibit "E," opposite page 180, shows the provisions made for financing the City's needs, together with the condition of funds and appropriations as of December 31 and January 1, 1911. All of the detail balance sheets have been made comparative as between December 31 and January 1, 1911, and increases and decreases have been shown.

The new general ledger which was installed January 1, 1911, has now been a year in operation and thus makes possible for the first time the presentation in this re-

CITY OF PHILADELPHIA

CAPITAL ACCOUNT—STATEMENT AS OF DECEMBER 31 AND JANUARY 1, 1911, AND COMPARISONS.

Permanent Funds, Properties and Improvements.

ASSETS.	December 31, 1911.	January 1, 1911.	Increase.	Decrease.	LIABILITIES.	December 31, 1911.	January 1, 1911.	Increase.	Decrease.
CASH	\$15,494,649 68	\$9,569,616 44	\$5,925,033 24		BILLS AND PAYROLLS AUDITED.....	\$624,204 30		\$624,204 30	
PHILADELPHIA AND READING RAIL- ROAD COMPANY'S GUARANTEE ON SUBWAY LOAN	1,543,500 00	(1)	1,543,500 00		WARRANTS PAYABLE	11,964 05	\$67,244 92		\$555,280 87
LAND, BUILDINGS, EQUIPMENT AND OTHER PERMANENT IMPROVEMENTS	*270,914,558 09	250,331,352 63	20,583,205 46		MORTGAGES PAYABLE	1,006,500 00		1,006,500 00	
					FUNDED DEBT (see Table "C").....	109,829,800 00	98,403,800 00	11,426,000 00	
					Less Sinking Funds applicable (see below).....	14,001,200 00	12,155,600 00	1,845,600 00	
					NET FUNDED DEBT	\$95,828,600 00	\$86,248,200 00	\$9,580,400 00	
					RESERVE FOR DEPRECIATION on land, buildings, equipment and other perma- nent improvements	*49,568,758 93		49,568,758 93	
					SURPLUS—CASH over immediate demands for cash	114,878,481 33	9,092,371 52	5,866,109 81	
					SURPLUS—PROPERTIES OVER NET FUNDED DEBT, mortgages payable and reserve for depreciation	130,054,199 16	161,103,152 63		\$38,048,953 47
					Total surplus	\$110,012,680 49	\$173,105,524 15		\$32,192,843 66
Total assets	\$287,952,707 77	\$359,920,969 07	\$28,031,738 70		Total liabilities, reserve and surplus	\$287,952,707 77	\$359,920,969 07	\$28,031,738 70	

*Taken upon the new general ledger subsequent to January 1, 1911. See comment on pages 175 and 176 and Schedule No. 1, opposite page 194.
†See "Unapplied (Net Cash) Balance"—Comparative Fund Balance Sheet, Loan Fund, opposite page 189.

Sinking Fund Account—Assets, Liabilities, Reserves and Surplus.

Cash	\$123,197 02	\$195,310 28		\$72,113 26	Unclaimed interest	\$30,034 72		\$30,034 72
Investments (City loans).....	14,001,200 00	12,155,600 00	1,845,600 00		Reserve required to meet Funded Debt at maturity	12,368,073 50	\$11,161,324 42	1,206,749 08
Premium on investments purchased (less amortization)	49,442 94		49,442 94		Reserve for unclaimed matured loans and interest		51,143 22	\$51,143 22
					Free surplus	1,171,831 74	1,137,842 64	33,989 10
Total assets	\$14,173,839 96	\$12,350,910 28	\$1,822,929 68		Total liabilities, reserves and surplus	\$14,173,839 96	\$12,350,910 28	\$1,822,929 68

port of an operation account (see Exhibit "B," opposite page 174, showing revenue and expenses for 1911, as distinct from receipts and expenditures. A detailed classification of all expenditures by objects of expenditure is shown in Exhibit "F," opposite page 194. As the work of the asset and liability, revenue and expense accounts developed during the year, various accounts were taken upon the books, so that the balance sheets as of December 31, 1911, show several items that were absent at January 1, 1911.

The unpaid taxes of 1911, at December 31, including the five per cent. added for delinquency, \$1,357,399.98, is a considerable amount and should be collected as rapidly as possible; it is interesting to note that it amounts to only about six per cent. of the total tax levy. But a small amount of water rents are outstanding. Of the unpaid departmental accounts for 1911 it is noteworthy that over \$10,000 is due in the Bureau of Elevator Inspection. Revenue accruing to the City from the services performed by this Bureau should be more promptly collected.

The advances of general account moneys to capital account during 1911, which at December 31 amounted to \$1,184,954.14, have been charged to Surplus Account, as of the close of the year.

The payment to the School District of Philadelphia at the close of the year of the balances of the Board of Education's 1911 appropriations, as provided by the School Code, approved by the Legislature May 18, 1911, which amounted to \$866,803.02 (exclusive of loan moneys transferred—see page 187, has also been charged to the Surplus Account.

The comparative fund balance sheet is designed to show separately for the General, Loan and Park Funds the available resources, the encumbrances thereon and the funds available for appropriation. The unencum-

bered balances of appropriations, the amounts specifically reserved for contracts and the reserve set aside for mandamus executions are separately stated.

A detailed exhibit of expenditures of the General, Loan and Park Funds, by objects, upon the classification of the President's Commission on Economy and Efficiency is set forth on Exhibit "F," opposite page 187.

United Gas Improvement Company

I desire to again note the steadily growing increase in payments to the City by the United Gas Improvement Company for the consumption of gas during the year ending September 30th last. A comparison of the annual receipts since the lease of the works and the gradual increase shown each year has exceeded to the present time the estimate made when the lease was entered into.

September 30th, 1898.....	\$193,633 31
September 30th, 1899.....	340,193 73
September 30th, 1900.....	375,484 85
September 30th, 1901.....	416,449 72
September 30th, 1902.....	476,284 15
September 30th, 1903.....	636,859 95
September 30th, 1904.....	650,683 62
September 30th, 1905.....	668,887 83
September 30th, 1906.....	707,528 14
September 30th, 1907.....	758,929 43
September 30th, 1908.....	996,184 43
September 30th, 1909.....	1,173,110 03
September 30th, 1910.....	1,248,812 04
September 30th, 1911	1,304,028 78

\$9,947,070 01

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Special and Trust Account—Statement as of December 31 and January 1, 1911, and Comparisons.

Fire Insurance Fund Account—Assets, Liabilities and Reserve.

ASSETS.	December 31, 1911.	January 1, 1911.	Increase.	Decrease.	LIABILITIES AND RESERVES.	December 31, 1911.	January 1, 1911.	Increase.	Decrease.
Cash	\$30,631 61	\$7,663 30	\$22,968 31		Fire Loss—Philadelphia Hospital.....	\$18,791 40		\$18,791 40	
Investments (City loans).....	320,900 00	315,900 00	5,000 00		Fire Loss—Cumberland School.....	82 00		82 00	
Premium on investments purchased (less amortization)	282 35		282 35		Reserve for losses by fire.....	332,940 56	323,563 30	9,377 26	
Total assets	\$351,813 96	\$323,563 30	\$28,250 66		Total liabilities and reserve.....	\$351,813 96	\$323,563 30	\$28,250 66	

Park Fund Account—Assets, Liabilities and Reserve.

Cash	\$9,418 87	\$5,652 30	\$3,766 57		Bills and payrolls audited.....	\$423 98		\$423 98	
					Surplus—Cash over immediate demands.....	\$8,994 89	\$5,652 30	3,342 59	
Total assets	\$9,418 87	\$5,652 30	\$3,766 57		Total liabilities and reserve.....	\$9,418 87	\$5,652 30	\$3,766 57	

*See "Unapplied (Net Cash) Balance" Comparative Balance Sheet, Park Fund, opposite page 190.

Highway Contractors' Account.

Cash	\$46,500 00	\$5,000 00	\$41,500 00		Reserve for highway contractors' deposits..	\$46,500 00	\$5,000 00	\$41,500 00	
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EXHIBIT "D"

The following is a summary of the total appropriations, with the balances merging and available for further appropriation, together with those not merging and carried forward to the books of 1912.

Appropriations.	Countersigned.	Merging.	Non-merging.
\$63,104,251 50	\$46,782,086 82	\$571,824 14	\$15,750,340 54

The unexpended balances of loans carried in the above non-merging column are as follows:

The Mayor	\$2,386,805 20
City Treasurer	1,812,986 36
City Commissioners	16,528 63
Clerk of Quarter Sessions	162 50
County Prison, Holmesburg	607 79
District Attorney	1,526 69
Prothonotary, Court Common Pleas	2 50
Sheriff	32 87
Clerks of Councils	125 13
Receiver of Taxes	88
Supplies	103,943 34
Wharves, Docks and Ferries	419,099 43
Board of Recreation	61,652 74
Highways Bureau	3,158,786 67
Surveys Bureau	2,736,791 78
Water Bureau	511,177 11
Director's Office, Public Safety	3 25
Building Inspectors	4 10
Bureau of City Property	1,405,646 55
" Correction	337 84
" Electrical	142,943 60
" Fire and Fire Escapes	439,286 11
" Police	2,250 23
Director's Office, Public Health and Char-	
ities	2,145 14
Health, Public Health and Charities ...	185,894 40
Charities, Public Health and Charities	904,779 83
Commissioners, Fairmount Park	464,960 66

\$14,758,481 33

Disbursements

The total disbursements for the year 1911 were \$46,254,389.76. This amount included the interest on the Funded Debt, Sinking Fund, the allotment to the Board of Public Education, the amount due the Commonwealth for Personal Property Taxes for 1911, the expenditures required by the various Departments and Bureaus for administration, operation, maintenance, mandamus, debt and other services. A large portion of the expenditures were from loan moneys for buildings, equipment, permanent improvements and various other purposes, adding largely to the permanent assets of the City.

To this expenditure of 1911 must also be added the amount from the bank and trust companies' balance of suspension in the Tradesmen's Trust Company, amounting to \$126,000, which, by ordinance, was directed to be charged off to suspense account, thus eliminating this amount from the bank and trust companies' balance of assets. There is still due from the suspended American Trust Company the sum of \$27,483.68, and from the City Trust Company the sum of \$21,950, making a total of \$175,433.72 carried to suspense account. In this connection I desire to call the attention of your Honorable Bodies to the ordinance of April 9, 1892, regulating the deposits of City moneys by the City Treasurer and the payment of interest thereon, in contrast to the Act of Assembly of May 18, 1911, regulating and safeguarding the deposits of school funds under the new School Code of Pennsylvania, by requiring the depositories to furnish a proper bond in such amount, and with such surety, or sureties as may be required and approved by the School Board for the faithful keeping, paying out, and accounting for school funds; also, the difference that exists between the national banks and trust companies as to the security of the City's deposits, the shareholders of the former being liable to the extent of the amount of their

CITY OF PHILADELPHIA.

COMPARATIVE FUND BALANCE SHEET

Showing Provisions made for Financing the City's Future Needs, together with the Condition of Funds and Appropriations as of December 31 and January 1, 1911.

General Fund.

GENERAL, LOAN AND PARK FUNDS (DEBIT BALANCES).	December 31, 1911.	January 1, 1911.	Increase.	Decrease.	GENERAL, LOAN AND PARK FUNDS (CREDIT BALANCES)	December 31, 1911.	January 1, 1911.	Increase.	Decrease.
APPROPRIATION ACCOUNTS (NET ASSETS AND ESTIMATED RECEIPTS):					APPROPRIATION ACCOUNTS (UNEXPENDED BALANCES) (see Table "A") ..	\$89,308 61	\$83,964,836 80		\$82,915,288 19
City Controller's estimated receipts.....	\$4,996,671 81	\$4,659,911 35		\$36,760,339 16	Unencumbered balance of appropriations.....	692,459 08	23,431,558 86		32,768,899 74
Unapplied (net cash) balance.....	3,171,518 01	3,689,998 78		549,360 77	Reserve for contracts.....	326,900 50	473,297 94		116,388 41
					UNAPPROPRIATED BALANCE:				
					Funds available for appropriation.....	(*)	2,407,713 33		2,407,713 33
					Reserve for mandamus.....	101,321 39	2,009,099 00		1,808,478 41
					OTHER RESERVE.....		28,250 00		28,250 00
Total debit balances.....	\$1,091,060 20	\$8,340,820 13		\$37,249,729 92	Total credit balances.....	\$1,091,060 20	\$8,340,820 13		\$37,249,729 93

*This amount in italics represents the excess of actual receipts from taxes and miscellaneous sources over the City Controller's estimate of August 1, 1910, and consequently is available for appropriation (see page 167).

†See "Surplus—Cash, over immediate demands for Cash" General Account, opposite page 174.

Loan Funds.

NET ASSETS AND LOANS UNISSUED:					APPROPRIATION ACCOUNTS (UNEXPENDED BALANCES) (see Table "A").....	\$14,758,481 33	\$8,715,895 05	\$6,042,186 28	
Loans authorized and unissued (see page 18).....	\$2,425,000 00	\$3,825,000 00		\$1,400,000 00	Unencumbered balance of appropriations.....	8,073,640 51	5,112,068 46	2,961,572 05	
Unapplied (net cash) balances.....	114,858,481 33	9,002,371 52		\$5,856,109 81	Reserve for contracts.....	5,684,810 82	3,693,926 59	2,090,914 23	
					Reserve for mandamus.....	1,000,000 00		1,000,000 00	
					UNAPPROPRIATED BALANCE:				
					Funds available for appropriation.....	100,000 00	12,027 92	87,972 08	
					Reserve for mandamus.....		274,348 65		\$274,348 65
					RESERVE FOR LOANS AUTHORIZED AND UNISSUED.....	2,425,000 00	3,825,000 00		1,400,000 00
Total debit balances.....	\$17,283,481 33	\$12,827,371 52		\$4,456,109 81	Total credit balances.....	\$17,283,481 33	\$12,827,371 52		\$4,456,109 81

†See "Surplus—Cash, over immediate demands for Cash"—Capital Account, opposite page 176.

Park Fund.

UNAPPLIED (NET CASH) BALANCE.....	\$8,994 89	(§)			UNENCUMBERED BALANCE OF APPROPRIATIONS (see Table "A").....	\$2,200 00	(§)		
					FUNDS AVAILABLE FOR APPROPRIATION.....	6,704 29	(§)		
Total debit balances.....	\$8,994 89	(§)			Total credit balances.....	\$8,994 89	(§)		

†See "Surplus—Cash, over immediate demands for Cash" Special and Trust Account (Park Fund Account), opposite page 178.

§The separation of the Park Fund accounts from the General Fund accounts was made subsequent to January 1, 1911.

stock therein, at the par value thereof, in addition to the amount invested in such shares; whereas the liability of the trust company is limited to the liquidated assets of the company, except as to such trust companies as are members of the Philadelphia Clearing House Association, whose rules require a deposit with it of marketable securities to protect the average daily clearances, besides the added security of being subject to examination at any time without previous notice.

There is also a marked difference in the rate of interest received by the School Board from their school depositories on school funds, as compared with those of the City, the depositories of the former being four banks in excellent financial standing and credit, paying interest at the rate of two and one-half per cent., while the ordinance above referred to fixes the rate of interest on the City's deposits at two per cent. on the average daily balances. The difference this year would have been an increase to the City of \$88,324.26. The ordinance having been enacted twenty years ago, practical experience has demonstrated that it needs revising as to security, rate of interest on deposits, and especially Section 6, which should be amended to read as follows:

“SECTION 6. The Mayor of the City, the City Treasurer, and the City Controller, shall be a standing Committee, a majority of which shall have authority and discretion to discontinue and withdraw or reduce in such amount or amounts as they shall deem advisable, deposits in any City depositories in which for any reason it may by them be deemed advisable to so discontinue, withdraw or reduce said deposits; and thereupon to deposit the money taken therefrom in other depositories, in accordance with the provisions of this ordinance: *Provided*, That the check or checks withdrawing or reducing said deposit or deposits shall be signed by the City Treasurer and countersigned by the Mayor or City Controller.”

Mandamus Executions

The payment of writs of mandamus executions, amounting to \$898,478.41, shows a reduction over 1910 of \$122,855.61, and leaves a balance available for payments of mandamuses during 1912 of \$1,101,521.59, principally funds derived from the loan of June 19, 1911. This large balance was the Controller's justification for releasing the \$2,000,000 set aside for the payments of mandamuses for 1912 for appropriation by your Honorable Bodies to the different Departments.

In order to reduce payments from the City Treasury upon writs of mandamus to the lowest amount possible, it is urged that Councils, in the enactment of ordinances for the opening and widening of streets, changes of grade and condemnation of property, in order to retain legislative and administrative control, make an appropriation based upon an estimate of the cost of the work by the different Departments under whose jurisdiction the work is to be performed.

The present method of paying mandamuses from the City Treasury takes entirely out of the hands of Councils and the regularly constituted executive officials of the City the control that they ordinarily should, and do have over the purchase of materials, supplies and all other work done by the City, by the drawing of a warrant upon an appropriation made therefor, the signing of the same by the proper executive official and the audit and countersignment thereof by the City Controller and payment by the Treasurer. This is the regular method that statute and ordinances have provided for safeguarding the City's interest.

By the course above outlined, provision would be made for almost three-fourths of the often unexpected annual mandamus demands upon the City Treasury, leaving the balance, consisting of damages from personal injuries, stenographers' fees, etc., to be paid by order of the Court.

Mandamus Executions.

Opening and widening streets	\$317,462	54
Change of grade	202,453	19
Condemnation of property:		
Pennypack Creek Park	28,177	50
Cobbs Creek Park and Driveway	207,224	32
Boulevards:		
Boulevard, from Second street to Rhawn street	1,148	25
Construction of Sewers:		
Dauphin street, from Twelfth street to Broad street	4,109	55
Whitaker street, between Rockland and Louden streets	1,108	75
Vacation of streets:		
Penrose Ferry road, from Curtin to Por- ter street	1,523	25
Stenographers' fees	57,286	25
Personal injuries, caused by defective highways ...	54,028	85
Damages to personal property	2,719	18
Damages to real estate	105	00
Commissioners in Lunacy	2,400	75
Professional services: sundry cases, murder trials.	5,415	55
Supplies to Supreme Court and Court Common Pleas	3,257	35
Probation Officers, Quarter Sessions Court	809	65
Equity suits	1,251	50
Binding assessors' lists	28	75
Printing jury lists	332	75
Costs, municipal suits	35	30
Fine and costs, Magistrate Court	11	50
Return of fugitive from justive of Pennsylvania from Idaho	384	75
Damages for death of minor child	683	59
Salaries recovered by suit:		
Fred. W. Koster	818	66
Charles R. Quick	430	15
Computing returns of election of November 7, 1911	4,654	75
County Auditor (appointed by the Courts)	272	00
Costs of appeal of Superior Court.....	79	78
Renovating Court rooms	265	00
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	\$898,478	41
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In addition to the above payments by execution, the following payment per ordinance of City Councils was made out of the fund set aside for mandamus purposes, favor Wm. W. Wiltbank, Admr. C. T. A., for extension of Fairmont Park. Ordinance approved April 21, 1911 ...\$9,782 00

Outstanding Warrants

The amount of the outstanding warrants that are carried for six years from the issuance of same, in accordance with the ordinance of Councils of June 21, 1882, are as follows:

1906.....	\$875 41
1907.....	1,334 77
1908.....	937 38
1909.....	1,259 44
1910.....	2,118 82
1911.....	3,356,984 88
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	\$3,363,510 70
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Funded Debt

1911	
January 1st, gross	
funded debt	\$98,403,800 00
March 15th, \$11,200,000	
loan issued	\$1,400,000 00
April 21st, \$2,300,000	
loan issued	2,300,000 00
July 1st, \$9,750,000 loan	
issued	9,750,000 00
Unclaimed matured loan	
returned to Sinking	
Fund Commission-	
ers	100 00 13,450,100 00
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	\$111,853,900 00

DECREASE.

Loans redeemed by Sinking Fund	
Commissioners	\$1,057,800 00
Loans redeemed by ordinance of	
Councils	966,000 00
Matured loans redeemed	300 00
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	2,024,100 00
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Total funded debt	\$109,829,800 00
City securities held by Sinking Fund	
Commissioners	14,001,200 00
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Net debt, December 31, 1911	\$95,828,600 00

Loans Authorized Awaiting Negotiation.

Loan of October 1, 1906, grade cross-ings	\$1,425,000 00	
Loan of February 6, 1907, various improvements	1,000,000 00	
	<hr/>	\$2,425,000 00

The borrowing capacity of the City, January 1, 1912, based upon the assessed valuation of August 4, 1911, of \$1,533,791,867, less securities held by the Sinking Fund Commissioners and loans authorized awaiting negotiation is \$8,090,705.69.

Fire Insurance Fund

The balance in the hands of the Sinking Fund Commissioners to the credit of the Fire Insurance Fund as security against loss by fire on property owned by the City amounts to \$351,531.61, of which \$320,900 is invested in City loan, and a cash balance of \$30,631.61.

The losses sustained during the year were as follows:

April 6, 1911, fire in laundry, Philadelphia Hospital, Thirty-fourth and Pine streets, amounting to \$47,351.06; of this amount, \$28,560.26 has been paid, the balance, \$18,791.40, is under contract awaiting completion.

December 19, 1911, fire in Cumberland School, Hancock and Cumberland streets, amounting to \$82.00; under contract awaiting completion.

The total balance in the fund January 1, 1912		\$351,531 61
Contract for repairs to laundry, Philadelphia Hospital not yet completed, still outstanding	\$18,791 40	
Contract for repairs Cumberland School not yet completed, still outstanding	82 00	18,873 40
Leaving an actual balance of.....		<hr/> \$332,658 21 <hr/>

These transactions show an increase in cash and securities over that of the year 1910 of \$9,094.91.

The losses by the City since the establishment of the Fire Insurance Fund were as follows:

1904.....	\$1,181 00
1905.....	74,991 85
1906.....	20,000 00
1907.....	2,215 71
1908.....	2,468 97
1910.....	5,313 45
1911.....	47,433 66
Total	\$153,604 64

Summary of Valuations, Collections, Etc.

For Taxation in	Assessed Valuation, Estimated.	Yield at \$1.85.	Average Collection Within the Year.	Current Taxes Collect- ed Within the Year.	Delinquent Taxes Collected of Other Years.
1896.....	\$801,028,552	\$14,336,655 50	\$13,633,227 86	\$13,403,910 61	\$1,234,638 04
1897.....	818,827,549	14,645,537 01	13,848,819 80	13,827,899 17	1,455,986 63
1898.....	842,330,700	15,667,099 83	14,187,783 89	14,210,008 28	1,466,755 18
1899.....	864,516,035	15,466,195 04	14,564,515 87	14,455,794 58	1,730,189 05
1900.....	880,935,265	15,762,606 75	14,902,538 92	14,711,752 19	1,835,958 34
1901.....	894,628,974	16,020,142 08	15,145,442 32	15,059,783 00	1,562,571 20
1902.....	901,009,664	16,137,306 30	15,224,257 52	15,136,072 85	1,590,042 47
1903.....	911,968,674	16,243,957 28	15,450,596 57	15,694,438 82	1,502,253 59
1904.....	1,162,074,623	*16,872,055 67	15,917,434 76	16,351,105 94	1,541,889 95
1905.....	1,185,899,831	*17,215,246 72	16,280,871 99	16,816,271 83	1,308,565 80
1906.....	1,215,776,334	*17,667,300 22	16,813,133 60	17,313,399 31	1,363,501 49
1907.....	1,250,688,286	*18,212,803 81	17,479,629 18	17,823,178 68	1,273,698 26
1908.....	1,287,287,123	*18,753,493 15	18,114,454 05	18,343,824 31	1,261,383 05
1909.....	1,317,292,053	*19,186,816 37	18,682,279 85	18,851,441 65	1,476,103 22
1910.....	1,358,675 057	*19,902,675 80	19,454,865 68	19,753,090 53	1,310,660 54
1911.....	1,458,851,880	*21,067,749 39	20,810,462 62	20,678,856 57	1,469,917 39

*Yield at \$1.50.

In compliance with the law, the audit of the accounts of the City Departments has been completed for the year 1911.

Education

In accordance with the Act of May 18, 1911, the Board of Public Education of the First District of Pennsylvania passed out of existence on the first day of January, 1912, and was succeeded by the Board of Public Education of the School District of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. The new Board succeeded to all the powers and responsibilities of the old body, and in addition was authorized and empowered by the Act which called the new Board into existence, to levy and collect taxes, pledge the credit of the School District, to receive the State School appropriation and to appropriate and expend the money so received. By the change thus brought about, the body intrusted with the management of educational affairs within the County and City of Philadelphia became entirely separate in all its actions from the municipality.

The amount of the non-merging balances of appropriations from the year 1911 is \$1,250,291.29, composed of \$866,803.02 from appropriations from general revenues, and \$383,488.27 from appropriations from loan funds. The amount of these balances under contract is \$1,051,875.22, of which sum \$773,629.09 is against general revenue appropriations, and \$278,246.13 is against loan funds. Taking into consideration these contract obligations which are to be assumed by the new Board, the unencumbered balance available is \$199,039.07, of which \$93,796.93 is from general revenue appropriations and \$105,242.14 is from loan funds.

In accordance with the Act of Assembly of May 18, 1911, and the ordinance of January 8, 1912, the unexpended balances of money collected and appropriated for educational purposes, and the unexpended balance of City loans created for school purposes, were transferred to the credit of the School District of Philadelphia by warrant

drawn in favor of M. Dobbins, Treasurer of the Board of Public Education, School District of Philadelphia.

Appreciating as I do the kindly relations and cordial co-operation that has existed in the past between the Board of Public Education and the City Controller's office, it is my hope that, under the new conditions, even greater benefits will accrue to the community in the treatment of the educational problem.

The following is an alphabetical list of the tables embodied in this report:

TABLE A is a statement of the receipts and expenditures during the year 1911.

TABLE B is a statement of the receipts and expenditures and balances of the several Sinking Funds, with the amount of registered loans still due, the securities held by each fund, date of the ordinance creating each loan, the purpose for which created, and date of maturity.

TABLE C is a statement of the funded debt, together with the valuation of property as furnished by the Board of Revision for Taxation in 1912.

TABLE D is a statement of the expenses of the Departments only for the years 1887, 1888, 1889, 1890, 1891, 1892, 1893, 1894, 1895, 1896, 1897, 1898, 1899, 1900, 1901, 1902, 1903, 1904, 1905, 1906, 1907, 1908, 1909, 1910 and 1911.

TABLE E is a statement of outstanding taxes.

TABLE F is a statement of the liabilities of the City and available assets.

TABLE G is a statement in detail of receipts of the different Departments for 1911.

TABLE H is a statement of the expenditures of the different Departments for 1911.

TABLE I is a statement showing the total receipts, total payments, cost of Departments, annual payments to Sinking Fund, funded debt, outstanding warrants, amount of funded debt paid for years 1855 to 1911, and assessed valuation of property subject to taxation, with the tax rate for the years 1856 to 1911.

TABLE J is a statement of the City debt and annual interest.

TABLE K is a statement of three, three and one-eighth, three and one-quarter, three and one-half, and four per cent. loans of the City of Philadelphia, and the years of their maturity.

TABLE L is a statement of the real estate owned by the City of Philadelphia (not including that held by the Board of City Trusts) as appraised by the Board of Revision of Taxes, to December 31, 1911.

TABLE M is a statement of the property exempt from taxation in the City of Philadelphia, including the real estate owned by the City.

TABLE N is a statement of the audit of the Bureau of Water for 1911, showing total registered, or delinquent, for the year.

TABLE O is a statement of the outstanding delinquent water rents for the years 1879 to 1911, inclusive.

The concluding table is a statement of the audit of the Current Tax Accounts of the Receiver of Taxes for the year 1911, with comparative receipts of that Department for former years.

I have the honor to remain,

Yours very truly,

JOHN M. WALTON,

City Controller.

Limit of City Expenses for 1912

Act of Assembly approved June 11, 1879.

The tax rate on assessed valuation of \$1,533,791,867 yields at \$1---\$14,881,096 09

"The amount of tax moneys collectible during the year for which such tax shall have been levied, shall be ascertained by deducting from the gross amount yielded by said rate the average of such proportion of the annual tax levy for each of the five years immediately preceding, as shall have remained unpaid at the end of each of said years."

(Average of the years 1906, 1907, 1908, 1909 and 1910)----- 353,067 71

Estimated amount collectible within the year under the above rate.\$14,528,028 28

Average income from sources other than current tax moneys (exclusive of Sinking Fund receipts), such average of income to be determined by ascertaining the average income during the five years immediately preceding.

(Average of the years 1906, 1907, 1908, 1909 and 1910)----- 14,324,777 62

\$28,852,806 00

For lawful obligations due by the City:

Interest due May 1, 1912-----	\$27,600 00
Interest due July 1, 1912-----	147,126 88
Interest due Nov. 1, 1912-----	27,600 00
Interest due Jan. 1, 1913-----	147,126 87
	<hr/> \$349,453 75

State tax on loans----- 252,000 00

Thirteenth Series "M" \$4,600,000 Loan, due November 1, 1912----- 230,000 00

Eleventh Series "K" \$1,000,000 Loan, due December 31, 1912----- 50,000 00

Tenth Series "J" \$3,500,000 Loan, due December 31, 1912----- 175,000 00

Ninth Series "I" \$1,100,000 Loan, due December 31, 1912----- 55,000 00

Ninth Series "I" \$3,000,000 Loan, due December 31, 1912----- 150,000 00

Ninth Series "I" \$2,720,000 Loan, due December 31, 1912----- 136,000 00

Eighth Series "H" \$1,200,000 Loan, due December 31, 1912----- 60,000 00

Eighth Series "H" \$1,200,000 Loan, due December 31, 1912----- 60,000 00

Eighth Series "H" \$1,000,000 Loan (Refunding), due December 31, 1912----- 50,000 00

Amount due from Commonwealth:

Teachers' Institute of Philadelphia-----	\$3,000 00
School of Design (Women)-----	10,000 00
Teachers' Annuity Association-----	10,000 00
	<hr/> 23,000 00

Firemen's Pension Fund----- 40,000 00

Estimated interest on new loans as may be issued during the year 1912----- 300,000 00

Sinking Fund for 1912:

Annual appropriation-----	\$2,492,769 25
Interest on loans-----	3,565,714 50
	<hr/> 6,058,483 75

Estimated amount for maintenance of indigent insane at Norristown----- 20,000 00

Mandamuses (estimated) for year 1912----- 2,000,000 00

For reporting vital statistics----- 3,350 00

Installment on mortgage of \$1,000,000----- 100,000 00 \$10,112,287 50

Amount available for appropriation-----\$18,740,518 50

List of Appropriations for 1912, Exclusive of Sinking Fund and Interest on Loans

Department of Public Health and Charities:	
Director's Office	\$77,300 00
Bureau of Health	340,900 00
Bureau of Charities	471,350 00
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	\$889,550 00
Department of City Controller	77,900 00
Department of City Treasurer	58,340 00
Department of Clerks of Councils	97,030 00
Department of Clerk of Quarter Sessions	67,000 00
Department of Coroner	55,020 00
Department of City Commissioners	1,367,579 00
Department of County Prisons:	
Reed Street Prison	104,480 00
Holmesburg Prison	103,100 00
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	207,580 00
Department of District Attorney	73,100 00
Department of Law	176,490 00
Department of Mayor	479,000 00
Department of Prothonotary, Court of Common Pleas	85,870 00
Pennsylvania Nautical School	30,000 00
Department of Public Safety:	
Director's Office	\$36,280 00
Bureau of Police	3,811,237 35
Bureau of Correction	101,304 00
Bureau of Fire and Fire Escapes	1,297,331 00
Bureau of Electricity	1,626,771 71
Bureau of Building Inspection	77,920 00
Bureau of Elevator Inspection	36,800 00
Bureau of Steam Engines and Boiler Inspection	20,980 00
Bureau of City Property	567,315 37
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	7,575,939 43
Department of Public Works:	
Director's Office	\$36,060 00
Bureau of Gas	10,000 00
Bureau of Highways	2,626,285 00
Bureau of Lighting	532,044 00
Bureau of Surveys	326,680 00
Bureau of Water	1,098,671 00
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	4,639,740 00
Department of Receiver of Taxes	266,090 00
Department of Revision of Taxes	288,568 14
Department of Recorder of Deeds	253,410 00
Department of Register of Wills	75,800 00
Department of Sheriff	130,240 00
Department of Sinking Fund Commissioners	26,850 00
Department of Supplies	1,757,105 00
Department of Civil Service Commission	30,590 00
Department of Wharves, Docks and Ferries	157,210 00
Park Commissioners	513,078 75
Board of Recreation	153,380 00
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	\$19,532,460 32
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Estimated receipts	\$28,852,806 00
Less lawful obligations	9,228,287 50
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	\$19,624,518 50
Amount appropriated to Departments	19,532,460 32
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Unappropriated balance	\$92,058 18
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MONTHLY STATEMENT OF EXPENSES.

Showing Expenses Incurred for Administration, Operation, Maintenance, Debt Service, Etc., during the Year ending December 31, 1911.

Month of	Expenses of				Totals.
	Administration.	Operation.	Maintenance.	Debt Service.	Other.
January-----	\$166,637 75	\$283,302 64	\$180 91	-----	\$8,978 74
February-----	277,015 63	1,638,418 32	14,367 31	\$1,304,961 03	56,519 38
March-----	289,440 30	1,616,603 09	63,294 40	46,875 00	389,208 06
April-----	196,074 14	2,608,638 21	202,236 55	77,925 00	21,245 81
May-----	339,808 79	1,572,798 86	614,120 70	-----	20,166 65
June-----	351,009 20	2,307,992 04	127,685 58	1,492,105 43	66,079 31
July-----	181,805 76	1,460,910 80	166,131 16	46,875 00	31,125 69
August-----	249,028 56	1,458,625 80	187,626 75	1,304,961 08	4,678 47
September-----	445,265 59	1,372,199 02	246,001 45	-----	11,278 00
October-----	319,244 01	1,744,525 52	284,631 79	1,612,886 09	27,273 96
November-----	353,086 39	1,953,480 30	228,847 92	-----	22,615 44
December-----	351,965 91	3,466,349 67	594,817 20	1,132,258 12	24,973 00
Totals-----	\$3,520,472 03	\$21,483,834 27	\$2,729,350 72	\$7,018,846 75	\$654,171 91
					\$85,406,675 68

EXHIBIT "B"—SCHEDULE NO. 1.

Statement of Expenditures for out of Revenue during the year ending
December 31, 1911.

Month of	General Account Advances for Capital Outlays.				Capital Account Advances for Expenses.	Excess of General Account Advances Over Capital Account Advances.	Excess of Capital Account Advances Over General Account Advances.
	Land.	Buildings and Improvements.	Equipment.	Total.			
January	\$13,500 00	\$25,544 85		\$39,044 85	\$32,501 30	\$6,543 55	
February		371,997 06	\$47,052 62	419,049 68	40,809 22	378,240 46	
March	152,874 80	59,095 35	38,554 74	250,524 89	53,681 92	196,842 97	
April	73,000 00	89,807 17	120,923 33	283,730 50	57,248 54	226,481 96	
May	149,495 77	282,597 78	59,783 83	491,877 38	90,353 56	401,523 82	
June	39,080 03	111,575 48	81,789 89	232,445 40	46,692 42	185,752 98	
July	45,295 65	88,557 18	37,123 68	170,976 51	90,302 02	80,674 49	
August	162 50	74,958 16	35,774 24	110,894 90	92,855 03	18,039 87	
September	10,723 80	21,863 31	26,442 59	59,029 70	66,783 60		\$7,753 90
October	5,001 25	46,855 91	14,390 55	66,277 71	93,782 30		27,504 59
November	68,900 55	35,875 80	62,391 31	167,167 66	121,230 98	45,936 68	
December		62,963 39	62,443 50	125,406 89	284,398 40		158,991 51
Totals	\$558,034 35	\$1,271,721 44	\$580,670 28	\$2,416,426 07	\$1,070,639 29	\$1,345,786 78	
Adjustments arising from reclassification	1,603 50	60,681 12	101,755 02	160,832 64			\$160,832 64
Balance, December 31, 1911	\$559,637 85	\$1,211,040 32	\$484,915 26	\$2,255,593 43	\$1,070,639 29	\$1,184,954 14	

EXHIBIT "B"—SCHEDULE NO. 2.

EXHIBIT "C"—SCHEDULE NO. 1.

STATEMENT SHOWING THE AUDITED INVENTORY VALUE (COST) OF LAND, BUILDINGS, EQUIPMENT AND OTHER PERMANENT IMPROVEMENTS AS OF JANUARY 1, 1911; ADDITIONAL PROPERTY TAKEN UPON THE BOOKS DURING THE YEAR 1911; AND THE BOOK VALUE (COST) AT DECEMBER 31, 1911.

See the first and second folded sheets attached to opposite page.

EXHIBIT "F."

CLASSIFICATION OF EXPENDITURES BY OBJECTS—SHOWING DETAILS OF EXPENDITURES FOR 1911, FROM THE GENERAL, LOAN AND PARK FUNDS (NOT INCLUDING MANDAMUSES).

See the third and fourth folded sheets attached to opposite page.

Table A.

Statement of the Receipts of the City Treasurer.

Showing the Estimated Revenue for the Year 1911, Revenue Collected from all Sources, and Cash Balance on hand January 1, 1911

	Estimated revenue.	Revenue collected.	Cash balance Jan. 1, 1911.
Cash balance on hand January 1, 1911-----			\$14,500,848 66
Receipts of taxes 1869-----		\$2 04	
" " " 1870-----		58 25	
" " " 1871-----		21 09	
" " " 1872-----		87 89	
" " " 1873-----		90 00	
" " " 1874-----		149 47	
" " " 1875-----		114 55	
" " " 1876-----		111 98	
" " " 1877-----		137 35	
" " " 1878-----		131 86	
" " " 1879-----		102 92	
" " " 1880-----		129 03	
" " " 1881-----		88 63	
" " " 1882-----		101 87	
" " " 1883-----	\$1,300,000 00	108 63	
" " " 1884-----		163 76	
" " " 1885-----		132 36	
" " " 1886-----		114 96	
" " " 1887-----		281 78	
" " " 1888-----		320 92	
" " " 1889-----		376 46	
" " " 1890-----		589 57	
" " " 1891-----		562 52	
" " " 1892-----		494 67	
" " " 1893-----		425 34	
" " " 1894-----		896 33	
" " " 1895-----		1,003 86	
" " " 1896-----		1,048 19	
Amounts carried forward-----	\$1,300,000 00	\$7,846 28	

Table A—Continued.

	Estimated revenue.	Revenue collected.	Cash balance Jan. 1, 1911.
Amounts brought forward-----	\$1,300,000 00	\$7,846 28	
Receipts of taxes 1897-----		964 10	
“ “ “ 1898-----		1,228 65	
“ “ “ 1899-----		12,002 33	
“ “ “ 1900-----		12,265 69	
“ “ “ 1901-----		12,137 63	
“ “ “ 1902-----		11,995 02	
“ “ “ 1903-----		14,937 60	
“ “ “ 1904-----		36,320 19	
“ “ “ 1905-----		59,019 31	
“ “ “ 1906-----		48,841 10	
“ “ “ 1907-----		68,230 83	
“ “ “ 1908-----		96,150 30	
“ “ “ 1909-----		208,485 69	
“ “ “ 1910-----		879,492 67	
“ “ “ 1911-----	\$20,810,462 42	20,678,856 57	
Receipts of State Tax after settlement for year 1911-----		57,941 91	
Receipts of Delinquent State Tax after settle- ment-----		11,023 50	
Receipts of Delinquent Public Building Tax-----		46 53	
“ “ Poll Tax-----	25,000 00	63,080 10	
“ “ Mayor-----	35,020 00	33,864 00	
“ “ City Property-----	55,000 00	101,998 58	
“ “ Water-----	4,500,000 00	4,785,694 46	
“ “ Water (searches, etc.)-----		22,587 75	
“ “ Fire Escapes-----	150 00	72 00	
“ “ Highways-----	63,000 00	54,351 43	
“ “ Highway Supervisors-----		14,733 20	
“ “ Electricity-----	145,000 00	133,269 46	
“ “ Steam Engines and Boilers-----	25,000 00	21,153 68	
“ “ Building Inspectors-----	50,000 00	73,825 35	
“ “ Search Fees (real estate)-----	10,050 00	10,472 75	
“ “ Gas consumed, U. G. I. Co., 15 per cent. on collections-----	1,300,000 00	1,304,028 78	
“ “ Meter Inspectors. Salaries from U. G. I. Co-----	10,000 00	10,000 00	
Amounts carried forward-----	\$28,328,682 42	\$28,846,917 43	

Table A—Continued.

	Estimated revenue.	Revenue collected.	Cash balance Jan. 1, 1911
Amounts brought forward.....	\$28,323,682 42	\$28,846,917 44	
Receipts of Meter Inspections (Bureau of Gas).....		46 00	
“ “ Surveys	166,000 00	151,166 69	
“ “ Charities	274,234 00	218,481 41	
“ “ Charities (Public Health and Charities)		39,138 07	
“ “ Correction	55,000 00	24,946 67	
“ “ Park Fund		6,704 29	
“ “ Health (Public Health and Charities)	50,000 00	12,501 31	
“ “ Health, Board of		29,316 58	
“ “ City Solicitor	250,000 00	229,818 91	
“ “ Prisons, Reed Street	8,000 00	2,565 19	
“ “ “ Holmesburg		3,307 45	
“ “ Prothonotary, Court Common Pleas, etc.	66,000 00	61,131 18	
“ “ Register of Wills	115,000 00	130,399 32	
“ “ Sheriff	75,000 00	72,291 12	
“ “ Magistrates	42,500 00	67,750 13	
“ “ City Treasurer	1,973,000 00	2,067,205 94	
“ “ Clerk of Quarter Sessions.....	36,500 00	42,741 47	
“ “ City Commissioners	175,000 00	130 00	
“ “ Board of Education		407 93	
“ “ Recorder of Deeds	220,000 00	236,554 36	
“ “ Interest on City Deposits (Banks and Trust Companies).....	250,000 00	353,297 04	
“ “ Miscellaneous	4,000 00	6,626 43	
“ “ Proportion of Interest due by the P. and R. R. Co., Subway Loan	59,272 50	59,272 50	
“ “ Proportion Series “H” Loan, March 15, 1894, maturing Dec. 31, 1911, due by P. and R. R. Co.	150,000 00	150,000 00	
“ “ State Appropriation to Schools (special)	16,000 00	23,000 00	
“ “ State Appropriation to Schools for year 1911.....	925,060 00	877,789 60	
Amounts carried forward.....	\$33,239,188 92	\$33,683,507 57	

Table A—Continued.

	Estimated revenue.	Revenue collected.	Cash balance Jan. 1, 1911.
Amounts brought forward.....	\$33,239,188 92	\$33,683,507 57	
Receipts of Personal Property Tax (3 mills) from Commonwealth of Penn'a.....	1,535,000 00	1,636,261 31	
“ “ Firemen's Pension Fund from Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.....	40,000 00	41,761 06	
“ “ Wharves, Docks and Ferries.....	55,000 00	60,185 56	
“ “ Supplies Department	12,000 00	16,459 67	
“ “ Philadelphia Rapid Transit Co.....	499,785 07	502,219 43	
“ “ Philadelphia Rapid Transit Co., Abolition of Grade Crossings.....		56,781 01	
“ “ Phila. and Reading R. R. Co., Abolition of Grade Crossings.....		18,323 28	
“ “ Department of Public Safety:			
Employment Agents' Licenses.....	6,800 00	8,000 00	
“ “ Operators' Licenses	100 00	530 00	
“ “ Bureau of Police (sales and fines)	13,000 00	13,922 99	
“ “ Moving Picture Licenses	15,000 00	16,400 00	
“ “ Elevator Inspection	25,000 00	35,389 00	
“ “ Lodging House Licenses			
“ “ Suspense Account			
“ “ Ordinances of Councils.....		1,300 00	
“ “ \$11,200,000 Loan		1,400,000 00	
“ “ Premium on Loan.....		42,000 00	
“ “ Accrued Interest		11,666 66	
“ “ \$2,300,000 Loan		2,300,000 00	
“ “ Accrued Interest		27,067 21	
“ “ \$9,750,000 Loan		9,750,000 00	
“ “ Premium on Loan.....		97,659 55	
“ “ Accrued Interest		20,543 50	
“ “ Refunded Mandamuses		38,869 84	
“ “ Temporary Loan		1,200,000 00	
Total.....	\$35,440,873 99	\$50,978,847 64	



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Table A—Continued.

City Trust Account.

Money Deposited in the City Treasury to the Credit of the Girard Trust and Minor Trusts, but not a Part of the Current Fund of the City.

1911.	Girard Trust.		Minor Trusts.	
	Receipts.	Payments.	Receipts.	Payments.
Balance, January 1, 1911--	\$30,607 64	-----	\$22,467 81	-----
January-----	260,648 52	\$147,787 49	27,233 85	\$12,337 21
February-----	176,608 80	198,016 04	2,801 61	7,973 93
March-----	175,461 07	262,485 71	7,267 83	4,886 94
April-----	299,578 20	131,959 66	11,520 34	4,545 49
May-----	162,683 60	143,704 73	3,752 04	7,194 95
June-----	152,985 08	150,034 42	8,088 40	17,262 78
July-----	223,902 03	129,332 07	18,407 30	2,977 48
August-----	133,362 93	190,988 36	9,473 32	8,806 14
September-----	143,604 48	216,330 09	2,449 62	6,161 65
October-----	244,029 42	174,752 04	15,407 93	8,008 16
November-----	153,712 96	192,264 62	6,223 89	4,757 83
December-----	193,821 68	221,093 44	12,045 93	21,472 18
Balance-----		192,257 74	-----	40,755 18
Total-----	\$2,351,006 41	\$2,351,006 41	\$147,139 92	\$147,139 92



Table B.

Receipts, Expenditures and Balances of the Several Sinking Funds, with the Amount of Securities on Hand, Maturity of Loans, and the Purpose for Which Created.

Name of Sinking Fund and rate of interest.	Cash balance, December 31, 1910.	Receipts during 1911.	Payments during 1911.	Cash balance, December 31, 1911.	Amount of securities on hand December 31, 1911.	Total cash and securities on hand December 31, 1911.	Amount of loans outstanding December 31, 1911.	Date of ordinance authorizing loan.	Purpose of each loan.	Maturity of loan.
\$6,000,000 Loan, 3½ per cent.....	\$397 81	\$491,327 37	\$491,328 33	\$496 53	\$765,200 00	\$766,396 83	\$5,087,000 00	March 15, 1894.....	Reading Railway Subway	December 31, 1912, 1923.
\$2,000,000 Loan, 3½ per cent.....	Dr. 110 63	173,453 86	180,150 00	Dr. 6,8 6 77	137,000 00	137,000 00	1,900,000 00	January 13, 1896	Widening Delaware avenue	December 31, 1912, 1924.
\$650,000 Loan, 3½ per cent.....	1 20	60,002 17	61,083 34	Dr. 1,079 87	81,300 00	81,300 00	4,750 00	June 17, 1897.....	Refunding loan	December 31, 1912, 1926.
\$1,336,000 Loan, 3 per cent.....	10,039 74	110,757 68	129,753 00	Dr. 2,361 58	172,600 00	172,600 00	1,011,800 00	June 18, 1898.....	Refunding loan	December 31, 1912, 1927.
\$11,200,000 Loan, \$8,000,000 3 per cent., \$1,400,000 3½ per cent., \$1,800,000 4 per cent.....	2,187 53	1,019,221 62	1,022,350 00	Dr. 940 85	1,688,700 00	1,698,700 00	(6,100,000 00 2,400,000 00 1,400,000 00	June 17, 1898.....	Municipal purposes	December 31, 1912, 1927.
\$12,000,000 Loan, \$3,000,000 3 per cent., \$9,000,000 3½ per cent.....	97,127 22	778,582 00	870,751 68	4,567 54	3,031,000 00	3,035,557 54	(3,000,000 00 3,000,000 00	March 15, 1900.....	Water	July 1, 1920, July 1, 1931.
\$5,000,000 Loan, 3½ per cent.....	Dr. 1,954 58	328,284 12	323,766 67	2,562 87	1,151,200 00	1,153,762 87	6,000,000 00	July 11, 1902.....	Municipal purposes	July 1, 1932.
\$16,000,000 Loan, 3½ per cent.....	16,814 59	1,012,935 57	1,017,317 15	12,453 41	2,745,600 00	2,758,053 41	16,000,000 00	May 18, 1901.....	Municipal purposes.	July 1, 1934.
\$1,000,000 Loan, \$750,000 4 per cent., \$1,000,000 4 per cent., \$1,500,000 4 per cent.....	11,337 99	168,113 60	174,308 89	5,042 89	186,200 00	190,212 89	(75,000 00 1,000,000 00 1,500,000 00	October 1, 1906	Removing grade crossings	July 1, 1937, July 1, 1938, July 1, 1939.
\$13,500,000 Loan, \$125,000 3½ per cent., \$6,000,000 4 per cent., \$4,875,000 4 per cent., \$1,500,000 4 per cent.....	465 91	827,636 02	808,486 69	19,615 84	1,214,000 00	1,233,615 84	(125,000 00 6,000,000 00 4,875,000 00 1,500,000 00	February 6, 1907	Municipal purposes	January 1, 1937, July 1, 1937, January 1, 1938, July 1, 1938.
\$10,000,000 Loan, 4 per cent.....	Dr. 18,067 44	656,432 53	630,638 87	7,726 22	821,000 00	828,726 22	10,000,000 00	April 15, 1908.....	Municipal purposes	July 1, 1938.
\$5,500,000 Loan, 4 per cent.....	4,735 71	229,603 66	227,601 13	6,678 24	283,000 00	289,678 24	3,500,000 00	October 17, 1908	Municipal purposes	July 1, 1938.
\$6,720,700 Loan, 4 per cent.....	789 37	370,649 26	363,615 79	7,822 84	365,200 00	373,022 81	5,720,700 00	July 1, 1909.....	Municipal purposes	July 1, 1939.
\$7,000,000 Loan, 4 per cent.....	7,068 99	319,086 82	323,671 11	3,684 61	170,000 00	173,684 61	5,000,000 00	July 1, 1910.....	Municipal purposes	July 1, 1940.
\$2,300,000 Loan, 4 per cent.....	72,567 31	71,561 13	1,106 18	35,000 00	26,196 18	2,300,000 00	2,300,000 00	April 21, 1911.....	Municipal purposes	July 1, 1941.
\$9,750,000 Loan, 4 per cent.....	330,138 54	316,733 31	3,305 23	120,000 00	123,305 23	9,750,000 00	9,750,000 00	July 1, 1911.....	Municipal purposes	July 1, 1941.
Commissioners Sinking Funds.....	12,842 64	189,561 10	192,075 00	10,331 74	1,164,500 00	1,174,831 74				
Unclaimed matured loans.....	10,000 00	100 00	300 00	18,800 00		18,800 00				
	\$183,299 71			\$104,654 87		\$14,196,254 57				
Product debt balance.....	20,132 65			11,792 07		11,792 07				
	\$163,167 06			\$92,362 30		\$14,093,462 30				
Unclaimed interest	32,143 22	2,980 75	4,189 25	39,934 72		39,934 72				
	\$105,310 28	\$7,137,327 38	\$7,209,440 54	\$123,197 02	\$14,061,200 00	\$14,124,397 02	\$99,244,000 00			
Cash balance in Treasurer's hands..				\$123,197 02						
Total amount securities, December 31, 1911					\$14,061,200 00					
Total cash and securities, December 31, 1911						\$14,124,397 02				
Total amount Sinking Fund Loans outstanding December 31, 1911.....							\$99,244,000 00			
Unclaimed matured loans outstanding December 31, 1911.....							18,800 00			
							\$99,262,800 00			



Table B—Continued—Serial Loans.

Serial loans or loans that are apportioned alphabetically into twenty series, the first being due ten years after the date of authorization of loan, and paid annually thereafter at maturity by direct appropriation from taxation.

Section 3 of ordinance approved April 1, 1899, relating to the first serial loan of \$4,600,000, is as follows:
 "Whenever any loan shall be created by virtue of this ordinance there shall thereafter be annually appropriated out of the income of the City of Philadelphia, and from money raised by taxation, a sum sufficient to pay the interest on said certificates, and after the said loan shall become payable there shall annually be appropriated for the payment of the principal the sum of two hundred and thirty thousand dollars."

Original loan.	Amount of each series.	Maturity of series.	Amount of series matured.	Amount of loans outstanding Dec. 31, 1911.	Date of ordinance authorizing loan.	Purpose of each loan.	Maturity of loan.
\$1,600,000 Loan, 3 per cent.	\$230,000 00	I. Nov. 1, 1911.	\$2,760,000 00	\$1,840,000 00	April 1, 1890.	Municipal purposes.	Nov. 1, 1919.
\$1,000,000 Loan, 3 per cent.	50,000 00	J. Dec. 31, 1911.	500,000 00	500,000 00	Sep. 16, 1892.	Municipal purposes.	Dec. 31, 1921.
\$3,500,000 Loan, \$2,625,000 3 per cent., \$875,000 4 per cent.	175,000 00	I. Dec. 31, 1911.	1,575,000 00	1,925,000 00	Feb. 6, 1893.	Municipal purposes.	Dec. 31, 1922.
\$1,100,000 Loan, 3½ per cent.	55,000 00	H. Dec. 31, 1911.	440,000 00	660,000 00	April 3, 1894.	Municipal purposes.	Dec. 31, 1923.
\$3,000,000 Loan, 3½ per cent.	150,000 00	H. Dec. 31, 1911.	1,200,000 00	1,800,000 00	April 3, 1894.	Municipal purposes.	Dec. 31, 1923.
\$2,720,000 Loan, 3½ per cent.	136,000 00	H. Dec. 31, 1911.	1,088,000 00	1,632,000 00	Nov. 8, 1894.	Municipal purposes.	Dec. 31, 1924.
\$1,200,000 Loan, 3 per cent.	60,000 00	G. Dec. 31, 1911.	420,000 00	780,000 00	June 13, 1895.	Municipal purposes.	Dec. 31, 1924.
\$1,200,000 Loan, 3 per cent.	60,000 00	G. Dec. 31, 1911.	420,000 00	780,000 00	Sep. 18, 1895.	Municipal purposes.	Dec. 31, 1924.
\$1,000,000 Loan, \$994,000 3½ per cent., \$5,000 ¾ per cent., \$1,000 3½ per cent.	50,000 00	G. Dec. 31, 1911.	350,000 00	650,000 00	Dec. 10, 1895.	Refunding loan.	Dec. 31, 1924.
Total amount serial loans.				\$10,567,000 00			
Add Sinking Fund Loans.				99,244,000 00			
Add Unclaimed Matured Loans.				18,800 00			
Total Funded Debt, Jan. 1, 1912.				\$109,829,800 00			
By a decision of the Supreme Court of the State of Pennsylvania, filed May 31, 1894, it is held "that within the meaning of the word 'debt,' in Section 8, Article 9, of the Constitution of the State of Pennsylvania, the real debt of the City is the authorized debt, less the amount of City Certificates purchased and uncanceled in the Sinking Funds."							
City Loans held by Sinking Funds January 1, 1912.				\$14,001,200 00			
Net Funded Debt January 1, 1912.				\$95,828,600 00			

Table B—Continued.
Expenditures.

Name of Sinking Fund.	Matured loans paid during 1911.	Interest on Sinking Fund Loans paid during 1911.	Amount of securities purchased during 1911.	Amount paid for securities purchased during 1911.	Unclaimed matured loans paid during 1911.	Unclaimed interest paid during 1911.	Securities purchased from other Sinking Funds during 1911.	Total payments, 1911.	Cash balance Dec. 31, 1911.
\$6,000,000 Loan	\$300,000 00	\$118,545 60	\$70,000 00	\$72,683 33	-----	-----	-----	\$491,228 33	\$496 85
\$2,000,000 Loan	100,000 00	49,000 00	30,000 00	31,150 00	-----	-----	-----	180,150 00	Dr. 6,806 77
\$650,000 Loan	32,500 00	18,200 00	10,000 00	10,383 34	-----	-----	-----	61,083 34	Dr. 1,079 87
\$1,306,000 Loan	65,300 00	33,303 00	30,000 00	31,150 00	-----	-----	-----	129,753 00	Dr. 2,964 58
\$11,200,000 Loan	560,000 00	306,600 00	150,000 00	155,750 00	-----	-----	-----	1,022,350 00	Dr. 940 85
\$12,000,000 Loan	-----	405,000 00	290,000 00	300,751 68	-----	-----	\$105,000 00	\$70,751 68	4,957 54
\$5,000,000 Loan (1902)	-----	175,000 00	145,000 00	148,766 67	-----	-----	-----	323,766 67	2,562 87
\$16,000,000 Loan	-----	560,000 00	445,000 00	457,317 15	-----	-----	-----	1,017,317 15	12,433 41
\$4,000,000 Loan	-----	103,000 00	69,000 00	71,308 69	-----	-----	-----	174,308 69	5,042 80
\$13,500,000 Loan	-----	499,375 00	360,000 00	369,111 09	-----	-----	-----	808,486 09	19,615 84
\$10,000,000 Loan	-----	400,000 00	225,000 00	230,638 87	-----	-----	-----	630,638 87	7,756 22
\$3,500,000 Loan	-----	140,000 00	85,000 00	87,661 13	-----	-----	-----	227,661 13	6,678 24
\$5,739,700 Loan	-----	229,588 00	120,000 00	134,027 79	-----	-----	-----	363,615 79	7,822 84
\$5,000,000 Loan (1910)	-----	290,000 00	120,000 00	123,671 11	-----	-----	-----	323,671 11	3,084 61
\$2,300,000 Loan	-----	46,000 00	25,000 00	25,361 13	-----	-----	-----	71,361 13	1,196 18
\$9,750,000 Loan	-----	195,000 00	120,000 00	121,733 31	-----	-----	-----	316,733 31	3,305 23
Commissioners of Sinking Fund.	-----	-----	15,000 00	15,575 00	-----	-----	176,500 00	192,075 00	10,331 74
Unclaimed matured loan	-----	-----	-----	-----	\$300 00	-----	-----	300 00	18,800 00
Deduct debit balance	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	\$104,054 37
	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	11,792 07
Unclaimed interest	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	\$92,262 30
	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	4,189 25	30,984 72
	\$1,057,800 00	\$3,478,611 00	\$2,259,000 00	\$2,327,040 29	\$300 00	\$4,189 25	\$341,500 00	\$7,209,440 54	\$123,197 02

Fire Insurance Fund, City of Philadelphia.

Ordinance March 29, 1904.

	Cash balance Dec. 31, 1910.	Received during 1911.	Payments during 1911.	Cash balance Dec. 31, 1911.	Amount of securities on hand Dec. 31, 1911.	Total cash and securities Dec. 31, 1911.
Appropriation -----	-----	\$45,000 00				
Sale of securities -----	-----	40,604 44				
Interest on securities -----	-----	13,115 61				
Sale of damaged goods, fire Philadelphia Hospital -----	-----	196 43				
Matured loan -----	-----	5,000 00				
Purchase \$50,000 City loan -----	-----		\$51,916 66			
Fire losses paid -----	-----		28,560 26			
Fire adjuster's fee -----	-----		462 00			
Stationery -----	-----		9 25			
	\$7,663 30	\$103,916 48	\$80,948 17	\$30,631 61	\$320,900 00	\$351,531 61
Contract for repairs to laundry in Philadelphia Hospital, damaged by fire April 6, 1911 (not yet completed, still outstanding) -----					\$18,791 40	\$351,531 61
Contract for repairs to Cumberland School, damaged by fire December, 1911 (not yet completed, still outstanding) -----					\$2 00	18,873 40
Leaving an actual balance of -----						\$332,658 21

Table C.

Statement of Funded Debt, Additions and Redemptions During 1911.

Total funded debt January 1, 1911-----		\$98,403,800 00
Additions:		
\$11,200,000, balance issued 4 per cent. loan-----	\$1,400,000 00	
\$2,300,000, balance issued 4 per cent. loan-----	2,300,000 00	
\$9,750,000, balance issued 4 per cent. loan-----	9,750,000 00	
Unclaimed matured loan returned by the Farmers' and Mechanics' National Bank-----	100 00	
		13,450,100 00
Total-----		\$111,853,900 00
Redeemed by Sinking Fund Commissioners:		
Series H, 3½ per cent. Loan, March 15, 1894, due December 31, 1911-----	\$300,000 00	
Series H, 3½ per cent. Loan, January 13, 1896, due December 31, 1911-----	100,000 00	
Series E, 3½ per cent. Loan, June 17, 1897, due December 31, 1911-----	32,500 00	
Series D, 3 per cent. Loan, June 18, 1898, due December 31, 1911-----	65,300 00	
Series D, 3 per cent. Loan, June 17, 1898, due December 31, 1911-----	560,000 00	
Overdue loans -----	300 00	
	\$1,058,100 00	
By ordinance of Council:		
Series L, 3 per cent. Loan, April 15, 1890, due November 1, 1911-----	\$230,000 00	
Series J, 3 per cent. Loan, September 16, 1892, due December 31, 1911-----	50,000 00	
Series I, 3 per cent. Loan, February 6, 1893, due December 31, 1911-----	175,000 00	
Series H, 3½ per cent. Loan, April 3, 1894, due December 31, 1911-----	55,000 00	
Series H, 3½ per cent. Loan, April 3, 1894, due December 31, 1911-----	150,000 00	
Series H, 3½ per cent. Loan, November 8, 1894, due December 31, 1911-----	136,000 00	
Series G, 3 per cent. Loan, June 8, 1895, due December 31, 1911-----	60,000 00	
Series G, 3 per cent. Loan, September 16, 1895, due December 31, 1911-----	60,000 00	
Series G, 3½ per cent. Loan, December 10, 1895, due December 31, 1911-----	50,000 00	
	966,000 00	
		2,024,100 00
Total funded debt January 1, 1912-----		\$109,829,800 00
By a decision of the Supreme Court of the State of Penn- sylvania, filed May 31, 1894, it is held "that within the meaning of the word 'debt' in Section 8. Article 9, of the Constitution of Pennsylvania, the real debt of the City is the authorized debt less the amount of City Certificates purchased and uncan- celled in the Sinking Funds."		
City Loans held by Sinking Funds January 1, 1912-----		14,001,200 00
Net funded debt January 1, 1912-----		\$95,828,600 00

Table C—Continued.

Valuation of Property as Furnished by the Board of Revision of Taxes, for Taxation in 1912, with the Rate Sufficient to give the Departments the Estimated Amounts Asked for.

		Classified as follows:	Rate.	Product.
Real estate.....	\$1,531,757,232 00	Full -----\$1,429,440 251 00	\$2 30	\$32,877,125 77
Personal estate..	2,034,635 00	Suburban -- 79,642 127 00	1 53½	1,221,179 28
		Farm----- 24,709 489 00	1 15	284,159 12
Total-----	\$1,533,791,867 00	\$1,533,791,867 00	-----	\$34,382,464 17

Statement of Balances in the Depositories of the City of Philadelphia of the City Fund, Sinking Fund, Fire Insurance Fund and Highway Contractors' Accounts—December 31, 1911.

Franklin National Bank (active account)-----	\$250,847 77	
Franklin National Bank-----	490,000 00	
		\$740,847 77
Market Street National Bank (active account)-----	\$1,285,493 92	
Market Street National Bank-----	280,000 00	
		1,565,493 92
Third National Bank (active account)----	\$250,663 24	
Third National Bank-----	196,000 00	
		446,663 24
American Bank (State)-----		28,000 00
Central Bank (National)-----		560,000 00
Centennial Bank (National)-----		112,000 00
Commerce Bank (State)-----		56,000 00
Corn Exchange Bank (National)-----		350,000 00
Farmers' and Mechanics' Bank (National)-----		462,000 00
Fourth Street Bank (National)-----		1,260,000 00
Fox Chase Bank (State)-----		14,000 00
Germantown Bank (National)-----		98,000 00
Girard Bank (National)-----		840,000 00
Kensington Bank (National)-----		70,000 00
Manayunk Bank (National)-----		84,000 00
Manufacturers' Bank (National)-----		126,000 00
North America Bank (National)-----		462,000 00
Northern Bank (National)-----		56,000 00
Northern Liberties Bank (National)-----		182,000 00
Northwestern Bank (National)-----		112,000 00
Penn Bank (National)-----		255,000 00
Philadelphia Bank (National)-----		700,000 00
Quaker City Bank (National)-----		126,000 00
Ridge Avenue Bank (State)-----		34,000 00
Security Bank (National)-----		154,000 00
Southwark Bank (National)-----		56,000 00
Southwestern Bank (National)-----		42,000 00
Amount carried forward-----		\$8,992,004 93

Statement of Balances in the Depositories—Continued.

Amount brought forward-----		\$8,992,004 93
Textile Bank (National)-----		42,000 00
Tradesmen's Bank (National)-----		168,000 00
Union Bank (National)-----		168,000 00
Western Bank (National)-----		112,000 00
First Bank (National)-----		406,000 00
Second Bank (National)-----		98,000 00
Sixth Bank (National)-----		56,000 00
Eighth Bank (National)-----		154,000 00
Ninth Bank (National)-----		126,000 00
Tenth Bank (National)-----		42,000 00
North Penn Bank (State)-----		9,000 00
Aldine Trust Company-----		33,000 00
Belmont Trust Company-----		11,000 00
Central Trust Company-----		132,000 00
Cheltenham Trust Company-----		33,000 00
Colonial Trust Company-----		55,000 00
Columbia Avenue Trust Company-----		88,000 00
Commonwealth Trust Company-----		276,000 00
Commercial Trust Company-----		336,000 00
Continental Trust Company-----		77,000 00
Empire Trust Company-----		22,000 00
Equitable Trust Company-----		144,000 00
Excelsior Trust Company-----		48,000 00
Fairmount Trust Company-----		36,000 00
Federal Trust Company-----		24,000 00
Fidelity Trust Company-----		1,440,000 00
Finance Co. of Penna. Trust Company-----		612,000 00
First Mortgage Trust Company-----		168,000 00
Frankford Trust Company-----		36,000 00
Franklin Trust Company-----		60,000 00
German-American Trust Company-----		88,000 00
Germantown Trust Company-----		156,000 00
Girard Trust Company-----		1,309,000 00
Girard Avenue Trust Company-----		36,000 00
Guarantee Trust Company-----		192,000 00
Haddington Trust Company-----		12,000 00
Hamilton Trust Company-----		60,000 00
Holmesburg Trust Company-----		24,000 00
Amount carried forward-----		\$15,872,004 93

Statement of Balances in the Depositories—Continued.

Amount brought forward-----	\$15,872,004 93
Industrial Trust Company-----	156,000 00
Integrity Trust Company-----	156,000 00
Independence Trust Company-----	192,000 00
Kensington Trust Company-----	24,000 00
Land Title Trust Company-----	660,000 00
Logan Trust Company-----	72,000 00
Manayunk Trust Company-----	44,000 00
Market Street Trust Company-----	24,000 00
Merchants'-Union Trust Company-----	156,000 00
Mutual Trust Company-----	44,000 00
North America Trust Company-----	143,000 00
North Philadelphia Trust Company-----	38,000 00
Northern Trust Company-----	228,000 00
Northwestern Trust Company-----	38,000 00
Pelham Trust Company-----	24,000 00
Penna. Co. for Ins. Trust Company-----	720,000 00
Penna. Warehousing Trust Company-----	120,000 00
People's Trust Company-----	77,000 00
Philadelphia Trust Company-----	540,000 00
Provident Trust Company-----	605,000 00
Real Estate Title Trust Company-----	240,000 00
Real Estate Trust Company-----	528,000 00
Republic Trust Company-----	48,000 00
Rittenhouse Trust Company-----	36,000 00
Tacony Trust Company-----	36,000 00
United Security Trust Company-----	204,000 00
Wayne Junction Trust Company-----	24,000 00
West End Trust Company-----	252,000 00
West Philadelphia Trust Company-----	108,000 00
	\$21,409,004 93
Sinking Fund-----	123,197 02
Fire Insurance Fund-----	30,631 61
	\$21,562,833 56

Table D.

Cost of Departments, representing the amount of all warrants approved by this Department, including Park Commission, but exclusive of Park Fund, interest on loans, several Sinking Funds, and Mandamuses.

Year.	Amount.
Cost for 1887.....	\$13,273,893 10
Cost for 1888.....	15,340,718 50
Cost for 1889.....	16,055,759 21
Cost for 1890.....	17,787,069 3
Cost for 1891.....	18,511,941 73
Cost for 1892.....	18,424,260 16
Cost for 1893.....	23,155,664 13
Cost for 1894.....	24,915,626 08
Cost for 1895.....	23,491,865 21
Cost for 1896.....	22,500,062 60
Cost for 1897.....	23,768,615 75
Cost for 1898.....	20,829,786 60
Cost for 1899.....	22,343,309 17
Cost for 1900.....	24,627,340 75
Cost for 1901.....	24,522,803 98
Cost for 1902.....	27,754,557 14
Cost for 1903.....	28,481,788 53
Cost for 1904.....	28,646,698 68
Cost for 1905.....	25,524,061 35
Cost for 1906.....	26,918,170 02
Cost for 1907.....	30,298,571 48
Cost for 1908.....	34,117,011 26
Cost for 1909.....	35,326,049 91
Cost for 1910.....	35,691,725 38
Cost for 1911.....	33,846 875 91

Table E.

Delinquent Taxes Collected.

Showing in Detail the Amount Stricken from Record by Order of Court; Allowances by the Board of Revision of Taxes; the Assessed Tax, with Interest, Penalty and Costs Added and the net receipts for the year 1911.

	Stricken from record by order of Court.	Allowances by the Board of Revision of Taxes.	Assessed taxes.	Interest, penalty and costs.	Net receipts.
For year 1869.....			\$2 04		\$2 04
For year 1870.....			40 63	\$17 62	58 25
For year 1871.....			21 09		21 09
For year 1872.....			75 07	12 82	87 89
For year 1873.....			77 22	12 78	90 00
For year 1874.....			136 65	12 82	149 47
For year 1875.....	\$59 85		96 20	18 35	114 55
For year 1876.....			76 24	35 74	111 98
For year 1877.....			99 94	57 41	137 35
For year 1878.....			75 67	56 19	131 86
For year 1879.....			61 00	41 92	102 92
For year 1880.....			89 64	39 39	129 03
For year 1881.....		\$23 71	56 07	32 56	88 63
For year 1882.....			67 44	34 43	101 87
For year 1883.....			69 39	39 24	108 63
For year 1884.....	90		99 17	64 59	163 76
For year 1885.....	84	9 71	95 23	37 13	132 36
For year 1886.....			80 65	34 31	114 96
For year 1887.....			147 92	133 86	281 78
For year 1888.....		9 71	162 22	158 70	320 92
For year 1889.....			179 02	197 44	376 46
For year 1890.....			245 44	344 13	589 57
For year 1891.....			275 72	286 80	562 52
For year 1892.....		9 71	237 14	257 53	494 67
For year 1893.....		9 71	217 38	207 96	425 34
For year 1894.....		9 71	447 62	448 71	896 33
For year 1895.....		7 75	510 32	493 54	1,003 86
For year 1896.....		8 90	551 00	497 19	1,048 19
Amt. car'd forward.	\$61 59	\$88 91	\$4,293 12	\$3,553 16	\$7,846 28

Table E—Continued.

Delinquent Taxes Collected—Continued.

	Stricken from record by order of Court.	Allowancees by the Board of Revision of Taxes.	Assessed taxes.	Interest, penalty and costs.	Net receipts.
Amt. brt. forward--	\$61 59	\$88 91	\$4,293 12	\$3,553 16	\$7,846 28
For year 1897-----		27 20	527 83	436 27	964 10
For year 1898-----		28 78	712 76	515 89	1,228 65
For year 1899-----		36 55	6,825 29	5,177 04	12,002 33
For year 1900-----		38 64	7,201 63	5,064 06	12,265 69
For year 1901-----		38 79	6,807 85	5,329 78	12,137 63
For year 1902-----		30 87	7,482 84	4,512 18	11,995 02
For year 1903-----		30 87	9,771 99	5,165 61	14,937 60
For year 1904-----		32,734 18	24,435 82	11,884 37	36,320 19
For year 1905-----		31,590 59	40,398 98	18,620 33	59,019 31
For year 1906-----		31,617 67	35,475 00	13,366 10	48,841 10
For year 1907-----		31,717 50	51,408 28	16,822 55	68,230 83
For year 1908-----		32,220 26	75,692 49	20,457 81	96,150 30
For year 1909-----		32,689 38	175,370 03	33,115 66	208,485 69
For year 1910-----		37,936 70	831,015 49	48,477 18	879,492 67
Total-----	\$61 59	\$230,726 69	\$1,277,419 40	\$192,479 99	\$1,469,917 39

Table E—Continued.

There was due to the City, as Outstanding Taxes January 1, 1912,
as follows:

	Outstanding taxes Jan. 1, 1911.	Reduction during year 1911.	Outstanding taxes Jan. 1, 1912.
For year 1869 readjusted.....	\$253 91	\$2 04	\$256 87
For year 1870 readjusted.....	997 73	40 63	957 10
For year 1871 readjusted.....	949 43	21 09	928 34
For year 1872 readjusted.....	1,071 19	75 07	996 12
For year 1873 readjusted.....	1,488 97	77 22	1,411 75
For year 1874 readjusted.....	2,344 26	136 65	2,207 61
For year 1875 readjusted.....	2,689 46	156 05	2,533 41
For year 1876 readjusted.....	2,364 63	76 24	2,288 39
For year 1877 readjusted.....	2,564 99	99 94	2,465 05
For year 1878 readjusted.....	2,237 33	75 67	2,161 66
For year 1879 readjusted.....	1,720 10	61 00	1,659 10
For year 1880 readjusted.....	1,672 61	89 64	1,582 97
For year 1881 readjusted.....	1,729 60	79 78	1,649 82
For year 1882 readjusted.....	1,701 91	67 44	1,634 47
For year 1883 readjusted.....	1,775 34	69 39	1,705 95
For year 1884 readjusted.....	1,823 67	100 07	1,723 60
For year 1885 readjusted.....	2,015 43	105 78	1,909 65
For year 1886 readjusted.....	1,624 63	80 65	1,543 98
For year 1887 readjusted.....	2,152 10	147 92	2,004 18
For year 1888 readjusted.....	2,347 93	171 93	2,176 00
For year 1889 readjusted.....	2,412 31	179 02	2,233 29
For year 1890 readjusted.....	2,766 60	245 44	2,521 16
For year 1891 readjusted.....	3,243 93	275 72	2,968 21
For year 1892 readjusted.....	3,773 26	246 85	3,526 41
For year 1893 readjusted.....	3,392 15	227 09	3,165 06
For year 1894 readjusted.....	7,615 86	457 33	7,158 53
For year 1895 readjusted.....	6,069 69	518 07	5,581 62
For year 1896 readjusted.....	11,238 61	559 90	10,678 71
For year 1897 readjusted.....	13,546 16	555 03	12,991 13
For year 1898 readjusted.....	36,956 40	741 54	36,214 86
For year 1899 readjusted.....	30,237 28	6,861 84	23,375 44
Amount carried forward.....	\$156,812 47	\$12,602 03	\$144,210 44

Table E—Continued.

	Outstanding taxes Jan. 1, 1911.	Reduction during year 1911.	Outstanding taxes Jan. 1, 1912.
Amount brought forward.....	\$156,812 47	\$12,602 03	\$144,210 44
For year 1900 readjusted.....	14,595 99	7,240 27	7,355 72
For year 1901 readjusted.....	50,143 16	6,846 04	43,296 52
For year 1902 readjusted.....	21,585 16	7,513 71	14,071 45
For year 1903 readjusted.....	27,729 56	9,802 86	17,926 70
For year 1904 readjusted.....	77,588 42	57,170 00	20,418 42
For year 1905 readjusted.....	102,261 67	71,989 37	30,272 30
For year 1906 readjusted.....	139,128 49	67,002 67	72,035 82
For year 1907 readjusted.....	209,541 46	83,125 78	126,415 68
For year 1908 readjusted.....	272,548 97	107,912 75	164,636 22
For year 1909 readjusted.....	439,426 92	207,959 41	231,467 51
For year 1910 awaiting readjustment.....	1,291,658 84	868,952 19	422,706 65
	\$2,803,021 11	\$1,508,207 68	\$1,294,813 43
*For year 1911 awaiting readjustment.....			466,443 12
			\$1,761,256 55

*This amount is arrived at by deducting the payments made in 1911 from the estimated assessed valuation furnished by the Board of Revision of Taxes, August 1, 1910, as required by law.

The actual outstanding taxes of 1911 are not obtainable at the close of the City's fiscal year, December 31, 1911.

Table F.
Statement of the Total Liabilities of the City and the Available Assets, January 1, 1912.

The Funded Debt of the City January 1, 1912	\$109,829,800 00	Assets January 1, 1912.	\$14,001,200 00
Classified as follows:		City loans held by Sinking Funds-----	
Balance unclaimed matured loans-----	\$18,800 00	Cash bal. Central Nat. Bank \$40,000 00	
For water -----	30,443,284 00	Cash bal. Penn Nat. Bank-- 17,000 00	
For refunding loans -----	4,594,300 00	Cash bal. Quaker City Nat. Bank ----- 9,000 00	
For sewers and culverts-----	8,300,716 00	Cash bal. Third Nat. Bank-- 57,197 02	
For highways and streets -----	10,179,644 00		
For Reading Railway Subway -----	3,087,000 00		
For schools -----	7,983,284 00	Less amount unclaimed interest held by Commissioners of the Sinking Funds and not available against debt----- 30,334 72	\$123,197 02
For Delaware avenue improvements-----	1,300,000 00		
For gas -----	529,000 00		
For bridges -----	3,706,860 00		92,262 30
For abolishing grade crossings -----	4,315,060 00	Cash in Treasury-----	
For harbor improvements -----	2,392,000 00	Outstanding taxes due and collectible-----	
For police and fire stations, fire engines and bath houses -----	2,217,928 00	Outstanding water rents due and collectible-----	
For general municipal purposes -----	7,250,000 00		97,596 00
For Almshouse improvements -----	154,288 00	Total assets-----	\$37,314,819 78
For Commercial Museum -----	154,288 00		

Table F—Continued.

For Fairmount Park -----	\$579,640 00
For prisons -----	48,000 00
For small parks and squares -----	2,628,563 00
For Home for Indigent -----	500,000 00
For Boulevard east of Broad street -----	2,000,000 00
For Parkway to Fairmount -----	5,000,000 00
For improvements to South Broad st. -----	1,200,000 00
For hospital buildings -----	900,000 00
For completion of City Hall -----	675,000 00
For City Treasurer, temporary loan -----	1,200,000 00
For House of Detention -----	200,000 00
For mandamuses -----	4,350,000 00
For improvements to Delaware and Schuylkill rivers -----	637,500 00
For Health and Charities (improvements) -----	84,700 00
For Art Gallery -----	200,000 00
For Public Library -----	1,000,000 00
For Convention Hall -----	1,500,000 00
For Home for Feeble Minded Children -----	400,000 00
For Soldiers' Monument -----	100,000 00
	\$109,829,800 00

Table F—Continued.

Outstanding warrants -----	\$3,363,510 70			
Mortgage, southwest corner Broad and Arch streets---	\$1,000,000			
Mortgage, 1018 South Forty- ninth street -----	6,500			
Mortgage, Hermit lane and Ridge avenue -----	12,000			
Mortgage, Hermit lane and Ridge avenue -----	1,625			\$76,899,615 92
	1,021,125 00			
			Excess of debt over assets-----	
			Total-----	\$114,214,435 70
				\$114,214,435 70

Table G.

Detail of Receipts of Different Departments, Bureaus, etc., Paid to City Treasurer During 1911.

BUREAU OF HIGHWAYS.		
W. R. Benson, Chief.		
Frank E. Smith, Chief Clerk.		
Permits for street occupancy by builders.....	\$1,302 25	
Permits to construct vaults.....	4,921 09	
Permits to break streets.....	42,799 38	
Licenses for wagons, carts, etc.	972 25	
Licenses for hackney carriages	414 00	
Licenses for awnings	1,290 00	
Licenses for street cars	2,440 50	
Licenses for drivers	75 00	
Highway Supervisors	14,733 20	
Miscellaneous	136 96	
(Collected through Department of Receiver of Taxes)		\$69,084 63
LAW DEPARTMENT.		
James Alcorn, City Solicitor.		
Michael J. Ryan, City Solicitor.		
Claims from Water Department	\$25,413 20	
Claims from Health Department	3,265 24	
Claims from Highway Department	1,566 53	
Claims from Survey Department	1,147 29	
Claims from Law Department	190 38	
Interest	7,619 04	
Costs, exclusive of Solicitor's commissions and attorneys' fees	3,926 60	
Solicitor's commissions and attorneys' fees on City claims	747 13	
Search fees	92 05	
Bond desk fees	35,362 00	
Miscellaneous receipts as follows:		
Solicitor's costs on City claims.....	210 11	
Tax on dividends from passenger railways declared in 1910	115,578 71	
Costs on tax liens collected from Prothonotary.....	11,017 09	
Costs on water liens collected from Prothonotary.....	78 75	

Table G—Continued.

LAW DEPARTMENT—Continued.	
Costs on tax liens collected from Sheriff-----	\$775 25
Delinquent boiler inspection fees-----	20 35
Settlement in re City vs. Geo. Kelly, C. P. No. 3, June term, 1909, No. 1863-----	300 00
From Equitable Trust Company in re City vs. Mary Nice-----	113 37
Distribution of \$3 per share on 1,402 shares of the capital stock of the Spring Lake Beach Improvement Company, owned by the City of Philadelphia-----	4,206 00
Distribution of \$3 per share on 1,403 shares of the capital stock of the Sea Girt Land Improvement Company, owned by the City of Philadelphia-----	4,209 00
Costs in re Miller vs. City, C. P. No. 5, March term, 1909, No. 668-----	76 35
One-half of debt, interests and costs in settlement of award of R. Morgan et al. vs. City, C. P. No. 1, September term, 1907, No. 9516-----	545 37
From William J. Bradley, rent Gloucester Ferry Co-----	400 00
One-half verdict in re property owner's claim, Catharine Gannon vs. City, C. P. No. 3, term, 1907, No. 4629-----	500 00
Defendant's attorney fee in re Rosenblatt vs. City, C. P. No. 1, September term, 1907, No. 754-----	3 00
Costs in re Commonwealth vs. James Irons, C. P. No. 1, September term, 1885, No. 77-----	4 12
Costs in re Commonwealth vs. John J. Mulconroy, C. P. No. 1, June term, 1909, No. 4928-----	7 87
Costs in re Daniel S. Bader vs. City, C. P. No. 1, March term, 1907, No. 2799-----	33 80
From H. R. Warren, for the use of so much of the party wall of the Central Manual School-----	106 38
Costs in re City vs. Warren, C. P. No. 1, June term, 1911, No. 5962-----	12 00
From Rudolph H. Winter, executor of estate of George Geckler, deceased, legacy to Philadelphia Almshouse	190 00
Costs in re Brown vs. City, C. P. No. 5, December term, 1910, No. 5486-----	29 40
Costs in re City vs. Greenstein, C. P. No. 2, September term, 1911, No. 566-----	18 75
Costs in re appeal to Superior Court in re Common- wealth vs. Dilks-----	7 80
Costs in re Commonwealth vs. William Solomon et al., C. P. No. 4, June term, 1908, No. 1234-----	4 25
In re William J. Neely, bankrupt, being 10 per cent. dividend on claim of City, District Court of United States, Cause No. 4100-----	83 55
Costs in re Commonwealth vs. Peter Shaefer et al., C. P. No. 2, December term, 1909, No. 1024-----	4 25
Costs in re City vs. H. F. Fuss, C. P. No. 1, June term 1909, No. 4930-----	4 25

Table G—Continued.

LAW DEPARTMENT—Continued.	
Costs in re City vs. Hartung, C. P. No. 2, March term, 1911, No. 3924.....	\$4 25
Costs in re City vs. Tolliver, C. P. No. 5, June term, 1909, No. 3458.....	2 10
	<hr/> \$217,881 58
Deduct distribution of \$3 per share on 1,403 shares of the capital stock of the Sea Girt Land Improvement Company, owned by the City of Philadelphia.....	\$1,209 00
Deduct distribution of \$3 per share on 1,402 shares of the capital stock of the Spring Lake Beach Improvement Company, owned by the City of Philadelphia.....	4,206 00
	<hr/> \$8,415 00
	<hr/> 209,466 58
Michael J. Ryan, December 4, 1911, to December 31, 1911.	
Claims from Water Department	\$2,985 49
Claims from Health Department	485 93
Claims from Highway Department	257 45
Claims from Survey Department	471 27
Claims from Law Department	70 00
Interest	1,031 44
Costs, exclusive of Solicitor's commissions and attorney's fees	699 14
Solicitor's commissions and attorney's fees on City claims	119 67
Search fees	4 90
Bond desk fees	2,104 00
Solicitor's costs on City claims.....	12 98
Miscellaneous.	
Costs on tax liens collected from Prothonotary.....	377 51
Costs on tax liens collected from Sheriff.....	177 00
Costs in re City vs. Malka Margolis et al., C. P. No. 4, March term, 1908, No. 4186.....	18 25
Costs in re City vs. Abraham Rubenstein, C. P. No. 4, September term, 1911, No. 4935.....	20 25
From Pennsylvania Railroad Company for amount of damages awarded by reason of opening and change of grade of K street, from Kensington avenue to Old Front street, in pursuance of agreement between the City of Philadelphia and Connecting Railway Company, dated May 13, 1902.....	2,164 30
For amount of damages awarded by reason of opening of Sedgely avenue, from Old Front street to Kensington avenue, as per agreement of May 13, 1902.....	937 75
	<hr/> \$11,937 33

Table G—Continued.

RECORDER OF DEEDS.		
William S. Vare, Recorder.		
Joseph K. Fletcher, Deputy.		
Deeds -----		\$75,439 75
Mortgages -----		108,451 00
Assignments -----		19,866 75
Noting and registering -----		8,282 90
Searches -----		876 05
Letters of attorney -----		1,864 75
Certified copies -----		898 75
Releases -----		4,646 50
Satisfactions -----		10,133 00
Miscellaneous -----		6,154 85
		\$236,554 30
SHERIFF.		
Joseph Gillfillan, Sheriff.		
Execution docket -----		\$40,319 50
Appearance docket -----		31,156 12
Jury fees collected in Quarter Sessions -----		84 00
Fines collected in Quarter Sessions -----		731 50
		\$72,291 12
Fees collected for Sheriff by deputies in Quarter Sessions -----	\$402 28	
By Prothonotary -----	229 50	
		631 78
Fees collected by Sheriff to credit of Prothonotary -----	\$7,592 20	
To credit of Clerk of Quarter Sessions -----	249 00	
To credit of District Attorney -----	664 00	
		8,505 20
		\$81,428 10
Deduct credit fee account collected for Sheriff by deputies in Quarter Sessions Court -----	\$402 28	
By Prothonotary -----	229 50	
		631 78
Deduct credit fee account collected by Sheriff:		
To credit of Prothonotary -----	\$7,592 20	
To credit of District Attorney -----	664 00	
To credit of Clerk of Quarter Sessions -----	249 00	
		8,505 20
		\$9,136 98
		\$72,291 12

Table G—Continued.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY.		
Samuel P. Rotan, District Attorney.		
Credit account collected by Sheriff-----	\$664 00	
CLERK OF QUARTER SESSIONS.		
Thomas W. Cunningham, Clerk.		
Fees, etc., during 1911-----		\$37,115 17
Credit by Sheriff, credit fee account-----		249 00
Miscellaneous.		
Forfeited bails:		
Commonwealth vs. David Levy et al-----	\$214 65	
Commonwealth vs. John Kazlovsky et al-----	325 80	
Commonwealth vs. Patrick Gray et al-----	2,270 70	
Commonwealth vs. Jesse Bontitis -----	258 20	
Commonwealth vs. N. Gacondes et al-----	844 40	
Commonwealth vs. Albion Johnson et al-----	1,196 20	
Commonwealth vs. Joseph Russell et al-----	371 75	
Commonwealth vs. Leon S. Stagg et al-----	144 60	
		5,626 30
		\$42,980 47
Deduct credit for account collected by Sheriff-----		249 00
		\$42,731 47
PROTHONOTARY.		
Henry F. Walton, Prothonotary.		
Summons -----	\$10,182 25	
O. O. writs -----	5,916 90	
D. B. S.'s -----	6,388 25	
Transcripts -----	1,072 00	
Judgment searches -----	178 87	
Locality searches -----	175 90	
Executions -----	2,720 00	
Prothonotary's costs -----	21,633 23	
Inquisitions -----	229 50	
Miscellaneous -----	36,013 10	
		94,270 42

Table G—Continued.

PROTHONOTARY—Continued.		
Fees collected by the Sheriff and due to the credit of the Prothonotary-----	\$7,592 20	
Fees collected by Prothonotary to credit of the Sheriff--	229 50	
	\$7,821 70	\$102,092 12
Deduct credit fee account collected by Sheriff-----	\$229 50	
Deduct credit fee account collected by Prothonotary-----	7,592 20	
		7,821 70
		\$94,270 42
Deduct State tax, law library and criers' fees-----		3,139 24
Cash paid City Treasurer-----		\$91,131 18
COUNTY PRISONS.		
Emlin Hutchinson, President.		
Frederick A. Cooke, General Superintendent.		
Holmesburg Prison -----	\$3,346 68	
Reed Street Prison -----	2,526 56	
		5,873 24
BUREAU OF CHARITIES.		
Samuel Laughlin, Superintendent.		
Amount collected from the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania for account of care and treatment of insane, as per Act of May 24, 1897-----	\$184,846 57	
Board of non-residents -----	18,288 96	
Board of residents -----	12,102 72	
Miscellaneous -----	3,241 16	
Death certificate -----	2 00	
		218,481 41
BUREAU OF HEALTH.		
Charles H. Heustis, Health Officer.		
Permits for removing dead bodies-----	\$900 00	
Permits to clean privy wells-----	4,430 00	
Fees for certified copies-----	4,018 00	
House drainage permits-----	18,120 00	
Board of patients at hospitals-----	1,843 58	
Search fees -----	5 00	
		29,316 58

Table G—Continued.

BOARD OF HEALTH.		
J. A. Vogelson, Chief, Board of Health.		
John J. McKay, Chief Clerk.		
License to sell meats, etc.....	\$6,282 00	
License to sell milk.....	2,510 00	
Repayment of costs of abating nuisances.....	2,645 26	
Licenses to conduct lying-in hospitals.....	20 00	
Licenses to clean privy wells.....	800 12	
From midwives	154 00	
Miscellaneous	89 93	
		\$12,501 31
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH AND CHARITIES.		
Joseph S. Neff, M. D., Director.		
Board of children at various homes.....	\$275 28	
House of Refuge	749 06	
Norristown	36,693 98	
Elwyn	747 50	
Danville	45 50	
Harrisburg	156 00	
Wernersville	115 50	
Northern Home	303 00	
Juvenile Court }	52 25	
Miscellaneous }		
		39,138 07
CITY COMMISSIONERS.		
Robert J. Moore, Harry D. Beaton,		
Frank J. Gorman.		
Harry J. Stone, Chief Clerk.		
From Harry Kuenzel, assistant chief clerk:		
Sale of two old desks.....	\$20 00	
Sale of old papers.....	110 00	
		130 00
DEPARTMENT OF SUPPLIES.		
Joseph H. Klemmer, Director.		
Herman Loeb, Director.		
Joseph McLaughlin, Assistant Director.		
Sales of old material, etc.		
Bureau of Charities	\$6,292 80	
Bureau of Correction	1,210 02	

Table G—Continued.

DEPARTMENT OF SUPPLIES—Continued.		
Bureau of Water -----	\$1,620 14	
Bureau of Police -----	3,629 46	
Bureau of Fire -----	3,227 21	
Bureau of City Property -----	54 90	
Bureau of Health -----	234 65	
Bureau of Public Safety -----	12 30	
Bureau of City Ice Boats -----	22 20	
Bureau of Highways -----	155 99	
		\$16,459 67
BUREAU OF SURVEYS.		
George S. Webster, Chief Engineer.		
George E. Datesman, Assistant Engineer.		
Permits for sewer connections-----	\$17,917 74	
Assessments for sewer connections-----	16,145 35	
Searches -----	1,238 50	
Miscellaneous -----	80 68	
		35,382 27
Surveyors.		
First District, J. M. Nobre-----	\$7,654 15	
Second District, R. A. McFadden-----	5,020 30	
Third District, W. C. Cranmer-----	6,779 29	
Fourth District, Fritz Bloch-----	2,465 88	
Fifth District, Walter Brinton-----	21,369 27	
Sixth District, Joseph Mercer-----	6,659 77	
Seventh District, W. K. Carlisle-----	2,115 30	
Eighth District, C. A. Sundstrom-----	2,797 41	
Ninth District, Joseph C. Wagner-----	9,060 30	
Tenth District, John H. Webster-----	9,432 10	
Eleventh District, Joseph Johnson-----	8,187 76	
Twelfth District, H. G. Gillingham-----	19,376 10	
Thirteenth District, Herbert M. Fuller-----	10,788 51	
Fourteenth District, C. B. Webster-----	4,081 28	
Collected through Department of Receiver of Taxes)		151,166 69
DEPARTMENT OF MAYOR.		
John E. Reyburn, Mayor.		
Rudolph Blankenburg, Mayor.		
Licenses for pawnbrokers -----	\$28,100 00	
Licenses for places of amusement -----	1,225 00	

Table G—Continued.

DEPARTMENT OF MAYOR—Continued.		
Licenses for sale of petroleum.....	\$1,340 00	
Licenses for lodging houses	3,199 00	
(Collected through Department of Receiver of Taxes)		\$33,864 00
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY.		
Henry Clay, Director.		
George D. Porter, Director.		
Employment agency licenses.....	\$8,000 00	
Moving picture amusement licenses.....	16,400 00	
Moving picture operator licenses.....	530 00	
		24,930 00
BUREAU OF POLICE.		
Materials sold and fines collected.....	\$13,922 99	
BUREAU OF ELEVATOR INSPECTION.		
Elevator inspection	\$26,304 00	
Elevator permits	3,848 00	
Elevator certificates	4,526 00	
Elevator operator licenses	711 00	
(Collected through Department of Receiver of Taxes)		35,389 00
REGISTER OF WILLS.		
David Martin, Register.		
Register's fees	\$78,040 75	
Orphan's Court fees	52,288 52	
Commissions on writs	70 05	
		130,399 32
WHARVES, DOCKS AND FERRIES.		
Joseph F. Hasskarl, Director.		
George Norris, Director.		
Rent of wharves, bulkheads, etc.....	\$50,879 48	
Rent from real estate.....	2,232 00	
Wharfage	624 67	
Miscellaneous	6,449 41	
(Collected through Department of Receiver of Taxes)		60,185 56
BUREAU OF CITY PROPERTY.		
A. S. Eisenhower, Chief.		
Henry W. Hardesty, Chief Clerk.		
Vendors' licenses	\$21,370 00	
Rent of stalls	11,482 00	
Rent of real estate	66,431 43	

Table G—Continued.

BUREAU OF CITY PROPERTY—Continued.		
Ground rents -----	\$1,240 00	
Miscellaneous -----	1,472 17	
Interest on investments -----	2 98	
(Collected through Department of Receiver of Taxes)		\$101,998 58
BUREAU OF CORRECTION.		
William A. Patterson, Superintendent.		
Amount received for gas consumed at Tacony-----	\$1,819 13	
Amount received for gas consumed at Holmesburg-----	14,436 04	
Sale of coke -----	2,045 02	
Sale of stone -----	3,990 20	
Sale of gravel -----	164 56	
Sale of coal tar -----	2,097 20	
Labor account -----	142 48	
Amount received from laundry -----	112 55	
Return of overdrawn warrants -----	136 49	
Sundries account -----	3 00	
		24,946 67
ELECTRICAL BUREAU.		
James F. McLaughlin, Chief.		
Erection and maintenance of poles-----	\$44,648 83	
Mileage of wires on City poles-----	2,560 00	
Mileage of wires on private poles-----	57,033 00	
Attachments to City poles-----	11,294 50	
Commissions on telephone calls-----	478 19	
Police signal and telephone service-----	2,550 00	
Rent of wires in City cables-----	5,952 00	
Rent of City conduits-----	3,350 00	
Use of ducts, City conduits-----	3,940 00	
Allotments -----	500 00	
Holmes' Electric Protective Association, 3 per cent com- mission on gross receipts-----	1,097 14	
Miscellaneous receipts as follows:		
Miscellaneous -----	37 53	
Auxiliary Fire Alarm Company-----	137 41	
A. F. O'Connell -----	157 50	
Overdrawn salaries -----	48 50	

Table G—Continued.

ELECTRICAL BUREAU—Continued.		
Pennsylvania Company for Insurance on Lives and Granting Annuities -----	\$16 50	
United States Mint-----	50 00	
New York News Company-----	515 50	
		\$134,366 60
FAIRMOUNT PARK COMMISSION.		
A. Loudon Snowden, President.		
T. S. Martin, Secretary.		
Jesse T. Vodges, Superintendent.		
Rents -----	\$2,529 84	
Miscellaneous -----	219 45	
		2,749 29
Thomas W. Morris, Magistrate-----	\$40 00	
Joseph S. Boyle, Magistrate-----	2,755 00	
William J. Harris, Magistrate-----	1,160 00	
		3,955 00
BUREAU OF FIRE.		
Edward A. Waters, Chief.		
William C. Zane, Secretary.		
Fire escape approvals -----		72 00
(Collected through Department of Receiver of Taxes)		
BUREAU OF BOILER INSPECTION.		
John M. Lukens, Chief.		
George M. Clifton, Chief Clerk.		
Inspection of boilers-----	\$9,569 60	
Engineers' certificates -----	6,751 00	
Approval of boilers-----	4,833 08	
(Collected through Department of Receiver of Taxes)		21,153 68
CITY TREASURER.		
Murrell Dobbins, City Treasurer.		
J. E. M. Keller, Assistant Treasurer.		
Mercantile licenses fees-----	\$18,937 50	
Billiards and pool licenses fees-----	649 00	
Peddlers' licenses fees-----	3 00	
Restaurant licenses fees-----	790 50	
Retail liquor licenses-----	1,961,448 75	
Brokers' licenses fees-----	2,670 00	
Wholesale licenses fees-----	445 00	

Table G—Continued.

CITY TREASURER—Continued.		
Brewers' licenses fees.....	\$62 50	
Bottlers' liquor licenses fees.....	51 25	
Auctioneers' licenses fees.....	35 00	
Amusement licenses fees.....	56 25	
Gunners' licenses	20 00	
One per cent. commission on personal property tax for 1911	22,037 19	\$2,007,205 94
BUREAU OF BUILDING INSPECTION.		
Edwin Clark, Chief.		
John H. Kessler, Deputy.		
Permits to construct buildings.....		73,825 35
(Collected through Department of Receiver of Taxes)		
BUREAU OF WATER.		
Frederick C. Dunlap, Chief.		
Water rents	\$3,975,902 96	
Penalties	38,968 62	
Delinquent water rents	47,114 93	
Penalties	7,267 94	
Fractional rents	579,594 48	
Water pipe	136,842 35	
Miscellaneous	19,949 00	
Water searches	2,658 75	
(Collected through Department of Receiver of Taxes)		4,808,279 03
BUREAU OF GAS.		
N. Wiley Thomas, Chief.		
Amount received from consumers of alleged defective meters found, upon examination, to be perfect.....		46 00
BOARD OF EDUCATION.		
Henry R. Edmunds, President.		
William Dick, Secretary.		
Amount received from A. F. Hammond, Superintendent of Supplies, Board of Education, sale of old materials, etc.		407 93

Table G—Continued.

DEPARTMENT OF RECEIVER OF TAXES.		
Hugh Black, Receiver.		
James F. Morrison, Chief Clerk.		
Taxes of 1911 to June 30, 1911-----	\$9,380,157 69	
Taxes of 1911 from July 1 to December 31, 1911-----	11,421,148 58	
	\$20,801,306 27	
Add penalties from September 1, 1911-----	76,801 56	
	\$20,878,107 83	
Less discounts allowed to June 30, 1911-----	199,251 32	
Actual collections -----		\$20,678,856 51
State tax, after settlement for the year 1911-----		57,941 91
Poll taxes for the year 1911-----		63,080 10
Real estate searches-----		10,472 75
Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, personal property tax-----		1,636,261 31

Table G—Continued.

OUTSTANDING TAXES COLLECTED IN 1911.	
For the year 1869.....	\$2 04
For the year 1870.....	58 25
For the year 1871.....	21 09
For the year 1872.....	87 89
For the year 1873.....	90 00
For the year 1874.....	149 47
For the year 1875.....	114 55
For the year 1876.....	111 98
For the year 1877.....	137 35
For the year 1878.....	131 86
For the year 1879.....	102 92
For the year 1880.....	129 03
For the year 1881.....	88 68
For the year 1882.....	101 87
For the year 1883.....	108 63
For the year 1884.....	163 76
For the year 1885.....	132 36
For the year 1886.....	114 96
For the year 1887.....	281 78
For the year 1888.....	320 82
For the year 1889.....	376 46
For the year 1890.....	589 57
For the year 1891.....	562 52
For the year 1892.....	494 67
For the year 1893.....	425 34
For the year 1894.....	896 33
For the year 1895.....	1,003 86
For the year 1896.....	1,048 19
For the year 1897.....	964 10
For the year 1898.....	1,228 65
For the year 1899.....	12,002 33
For the year 1900.....	12,265 69
For the year 1901.....	12,137 63
For the year 1902.....	11,995 02
For the year 1903.....	14,937 60

Table G—Continued.

OUTSTANDING TAXES COLLECTED—Continued.		
For the year 1904.....	\$36,320 19	
For the year 1905.....	59,019 31	
For the year 1906.....	48,841 10	
For the year 1907.....	67,230 83	
For the year 1908.....	96,150 30	
For the year 1909.....	208,485 69	
For the year 1910.....	879,492 67	
		\$1,469,917 39
STATE TAX AFTER SETTLEMENT.		
For the year 1908.....	\$60 15	
For the year 1909.....	1,371 04	
For the year 1910.....	9,592 31	
		11,023 50
PUBLIC BUILDING TAX.		
For the year 1872.....	\$4 46	
For the year 1873.....	5 52	
For the year 1874.....	9 13	
For the year 1875.....	20 68	
For the year 1876.....	6 74	
		46 53

Table G—Continued.

MISCELLANEOUS RECEIPTS IN 1911.	
Philadelphia and Reading Railway Company:	
December—Proportion, or one-half of Seventh Series "G" \$300,000, due December 31, 1911, of Subway Loan of \$6,000,000, dated April 4, 1894-----	\$150,000 00
June 30—One-half of six months' interest at 3½ per cent., due on \$3,987,000 Subway Loan, April 4, 1894.	
Less interest allowed said company on daily bank balances of loan, as per ordinance of Councils, February 14, 1898-----	29,636 25
December 31—	
One-half of six months' interest at 3½ per cent., due on \$3,978,000 Subway Loan, April 4, 1894.	
Less interest allowed said company on daily bank balances of loan, as per ordinance of Councils, February 14, 1898-----	29,636 25
The Philadelphia Rapid Transit Company:	
December 31—	
Amount received from the Philadelphia Rapid Transit Company, as per lease of July 1, 1907, and placed to the credit of the fund paid to the City by said company for paving, repaving and repairing of streets occupied by passenger railways, during the year 1911-----	502,219 43
The United Gas Improvement Company:	
December 31—	
Amount received from the United Gas Improvement Company, being 15 per cent. on gas sold to consumers from October 1, 1910, to September, 1911, inclusive -----	1,304,028 78
Amount received from the United Gas Improvement Company, being for amount due under Clauses 9 and 11 of the lease of the Gas Works by the City of Philadelphia to the United Gas Improvement Company, providing for payment of salaries to meter inspectors for 1911-----	10,000 00

Table G—Continued.

MISCELLANEOUS RECEIPTS—Continued	
For interest upon deposits in the National and State bank and trust companies by the City Treasurer, for the year ending December 31, 1911.	
American State Bank.....	\$471 02
Central National Bank.....	9,562 74
Centennial National Bank.....	1,894 79
Commerce State Bank.....	948 37
Corn Exchange National Bank.....	5,830 39
Farmers' and Mechanics' National Bank.....	7,963 41
Fourth Street National Bank.....	21,259 72
Fox Chase State Bank.....	240 01
Franklin National Bank.....	8,169 85
Germantown National Bank.....	1,668 11
Girard National Bank.....	14,153 43
Kensington National Bank.....	1,181 39
Manayunk National Bank.....	1,410 30
Manufacturers' National Bank.....	2,129 90
Market Street National Bank.....	4,757 25
National Bank of North America.....	7,845 85
National Bank of Northern Liberties.....	3,067 30
Northern National Bank.....	943 88
Northwestern National Bank.....	1,893 69
Penn National Bank.....	4,032 49
Philadelphia National Bank.....	12,172 06
Quaker City National Bank.....	2,276 88
Ridge Avenue State Bank.....	492 39
Security National Bank.....	2,604 52
Southwark National Bank.....	946 40
Southwestern National Bank.....	707 56
Textile National Bank.....	712 29
Tradesmen's National Bank.....	2,854 35
Union National Bank.....	2,840 54
Western National Bank.....	1,907 72
First National Bank.....	6,920 27
Second National Bank.....	1,668 11
Third National Bank.....	3,286 73

Table G—Continued.

MISCELLANEOUS RECEIPTS—Continued

Sixth National Bank.....	\$948 82
Eighth National Bank.....	2,586 97
Ninth National Bank.....	2,187 83
Tenth National Bank.....	712 62
Pennsylvania State Bank.....	122 52
Aldine Trust Company.....	680 39
Central Truets, Safe Deposit and Surety Company of Philadelphia.....	2,695 22
Cheltenham Trust Company.....	632 69
The Colonial Trust Company.....	1,140 81
Columbia Avenue Trust Company.....	1,801 22
Commercial Trust Company.....	6,284 27
The Commonwealth Title Insurance and Trust Company.....	5,090 96
The Continental Title and Trust Company.....	1,584 10
Empire Title and Trust Company.....	454 25
The Equitable Trust Company.....	2,737 97
Excelsior Trust and Saving Fund Company.....	905 63
Fairmount Trust Company.....	680 06
Federal Trust Company.....	450 73
Fidelity Trust Company.....	26,538 09
The Finance Company of Pennsylvania.....	11,523 94
Frankford Real Estate, Trust and Safe Deposit Company.....	684 49
Franklin Trust Company of Philadelphia.....	1,135 34
German-American Title and Trust Company.....	1,812 17
Germantown Trust Company.....	2,931 94
Girard Trust Company.....	22,679 49
Girard Avenue Title and Trust Company.....	681 56
Guarantee Trust and Safe Deposit Company.....	3,621 36
Hamilton Trust Company.....	1,158 61
Holmesburg Trust Company.....	463 13
Independence Trust Company.....	4,285 10
The Industrial Trust, Title and Savings Company.....	2,946 18
Integrity Title, Insurance and Safe Deposit Company.....	2,946 18
Kensington Trust Company.....	454 58
Land Title and Trust Company.....	11,928 22
Logan Trust Company.....	1,866 01

Table G—Continued.

MISCELLANEOUS RECEIPTS—Continued		
Manayunk Trust Company-----	\$918 35	
Merchants' Union Trust Company-----	2,550 42	
Market Street Title and Trust Company-----	460 83	
Mutual Trust Company-----	906 52	
The Trust Company of North America-----	2,960 43	
North Philadelphia Trust Company-----	674 07	
Northern Trust Company-----	4,303 51	
Northwestern Trust Company-----	682 85	
Pelham Trust Company-----	458 85	
The Pennsylvania Company for Insurance on Lives and Granting Annuities -----	13,378 90	
Pennsylvania Warehousing and Safe Deposit Company--	2,261 90	
People's Trust Company-----	1,560 11	
Philadelphia, Trust Safe Deposit and Insurance Company	10,023 30	
Provident Life and Trust Company of Philadelphia-----	12,416 43	
Real Estate Title, Insurance and Trust Company of Philadelphia-----	4,513 98	
Real Estate Trust Company-----	10,104 32	
Republic Trust Company-----	872 62	
Rittenhouse Trust Company-----	683 50	
Tacony Trust Company-----	687 62	
Tradesmen's Trust Company-----	571 11	
United Security Life Insurance and Trust Company-----	3,869 47	
Wayne Junction Trust Company-----	459 39	
West End Trust Company-----	4,754 60	
The West Philadelphia Title and Trust Company-----	2,025 87	
Belmont Trust Company-----	226 58	
First Mortgage Guarantee Title and Trust Company-----	3,165 59	
Haddington Title and Trust Company-----	138 80	
		\$353,297 04
George H. McCaughan:		
For redemption of dogs during year 1911-----	\$1,910 00	
Amount received by City Treasurer through mail from unknown parties -----	614 25	
Amount received by City Treasurer from Playground Committee -----	1,331 01	

Table G—Continued.

MISCELLANEOUS RECEIPTS—Continued	
Amount received by City Treasurer through Department of District Attorney-----	\$26 50
From John E. Reyburn-----	145 00
From John E. Reyburn, for removing machinery from Fairmount Water Works-----	1,500 00
From George S. Webster, rebate for terminals returned to Revolute Machine Company-----	2 00
From United Gas Improvement Company, to delinquent bill due prior to lease with the City-----	53

Table G—Continued.

Courts.	Magistrates.	From	Fees, etc.
No. 1.	Leslie Yates -----	January 1911 to December 1911..	\$513 8
No. 2.	James H. Toughill.....	January 1911 to December 1911..	1,686 1
No. 3.	Joseph Coward -----	January 1911 to December 1911..	2,063 5
No. 4.	R. W. Barrett.....	January 1911 to October 1911....	1,542 2
No. 4.	Thomas McFarland -----	December 1911 -----	90 4
No. 5.	James A. Carey.....	January 1911 to December 1911..	4,045 3
No. 6.	John O'Donnell -----	January 1911 -----	224 8
No. 6.	Gustav Spiess -----	March 1911 to November 1911....	1,033 0
No. 6.	William Eisenbrown -----	December 1911 -----	244 9
No. 7.	William C. Hagerty.....	January 1911 to December 1911..	2,197 1
No. 8.	Charles P. Rooney.....	January 1911 to December 1911..	6,872 2
No. 9.	John McCleary -----	January 1911 to December 1911..	1,917 0
No. 10.	William J. Gallagher.....	January 1911 to October 1911....	1,276 8
No. 10.	William J. Tracy.....	December 1911 -----	118 9
No. 11.	George K. Hogg.....	January 1911 to December 1911..	3,412 1
No. 12.	William H. Belcher.....	January 1911 to December 1911..	10,506 3
No. 13.	William F. Beaton.....	January 1911 to December 1911..	7,260 8
No. 14.	David S. Scott.....	January 1911 to December 1911..	2,542 2
No. 15.	James E. Gorman.....	January 1911 to December 1911..	1,012 8
No. 16.	William J. Glenn.....	January 1911 to December 1911..	656 9
No. 17.	Charles Emely -----	January 1911 to December 1911..	1,063 3
No. 18.	Joseph Call -----	January 1911 to December 1911..	1,253 0
No. 19.	Thomas W. Morris.....	January 1911 to December 1911..	1,432 2
No. 20.	Byron E. Wrigley.....	January 1911 to December 1911..	579 2
No. 21.	Edward K. Borie.....	January 1911 to December 1911..	939 1
No. 22.	Thomas E. Fitzpatrick.....	January 1911 to December 1911..	567 8
No. 23.	Joseph S. Boyle.....	January 1911 to December 1911..	3,006 6
No. 24.	William J. Harris.....	January 1911 to December 1911..	3,002 9
No. 25.	William J. Hughes.....	January 1911 to December 1911..	715 0
No. 26.	James A. Briggs.....	January 1911 to December 1911..	1,252 9
No. 27.	William F. Campbell.....	January 1911 to December 1911..	1,004 6
No. 28.	John J. Grellis.....	January 1911 to December 1911..	1,637 2
			\$65,651 58

Table G—Continued.

MISCELLANEOUS RECEIPTS		
Returned by Magistrates for Mercantile Tax.		
Jones H. Toughill.....	\$94 05	
William J. Gallagher.....	335 10	
Joseph Coward	117 90	
Thomas Morris	301 25	
Charles P. Rooney.....	46 60	
William J. Harris.....	768 25	
William J. Hughes.....	181 60	
Jones A. Briggs.....	135 90	
Ernest E. Wrigley.....	117 90	
		\$2,098 55
		\$67,750 13
Amount due Park paid into City Treasury by the following Magistrates in 1911:		
Clerks.		
Jan. 19. Thomas W. Morris.....	\$40 00	
Feb. 23. Joseph S. Boyle.....	2,755 00	
Mar. 24. William J. Harris.....	1,160 00	
	\$3,955 00	
Chief City Treasurer.....		71,705 13
Amount due Park—Transferred to Fairmount Park Fund		3,955 00
		\$67,750 13
ADVERTISING ORDINANCES.		
January.....Merchants' Trust Company.....	\$50 00	
March.....Pennsylvania Railroad Company.....	50 00	
April.....J. B. Stetson Company.....	50 00	
April.....Commonwealth Brewing Company.....	50 00	
May.....W. J. McCahan Sugar Refining Company.....	50 00	
June.....Theodore Presser	100 00	
June.....Pennsylvania Railroad Company.....	50 00	
June.....Harry Sheip & Co.....	50 00	
June.....Philadelphia and Reading Railroad Company.....	50 00	
June.....Williams Bros. & Co.....	50 00	
July.....Cudahy Beef Packing Company.....	50 00	

Table G—Continued.

July.....Williamson Bros. & Co.....	\$50 00	
July.....John C. Hancock.....	50 00	
August....American Can Company.....	50 00	
August....Pennsylvania Railroad Company.....	50 00	
August....Robert M. Green.....	50 00	
August....New Cathedral Cemetery Company.....	50 00	
October...Strawbridge & Clothier.....	50 00	
October...H. W. Butterworth & Co.....	50 00	
October...New York News Bureau Association.....	50 00	
November..Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington Rail- road Company	50 00	
December..David H. Schuyler.....	50 00	
December..Pennsylvania Railroad Company.....	50 00	
December..Philadelphia and Reading Railroad Company	50 00	
December..Spreckles' Sugar Refining Company.....	50 00	
		\$1,300

Table G—Continued.

EXTRAORDINARY RECEIPTS.

April 2, 1911.—Received through the Department of Law, distribution of \$3 per share on 1,403 shares of the capital stock of the Sea Girt Land Improvement Company, owned by the City of Philadelphia-----	\$4,209 00
July 1, 1911.—Received through the Department of Law, Distribution of \$3 per share on 1,402 shares of the capital stock of the Spring Lake Beach Improvement Company, owned by the City of Philadelphia-----	4,206 00

INTEREST ON LOANS.

Interest on \$1,400,000 loan-----	11,666 66
Interest on \$2,300,000 loan-----	
Interest on \$9,750,000 loan-----	20,543 50

\$32,210 16

LOANS AND MISCELLANEOUS RECEIPTS.

Negotiated out of \$11,200,000 loan-----	\$1,400,000 00
Negotiated out of \$2,300,000 loan-----	2,300,000 00
Negotiated out of \$9,750,000 loan-----	9,750,000 00
Temporary loan -----	

13,450,000 00

1,200,000 00

PREMIUM ON LOANS.

Premium on \$1,400,000-----	\$42,000 00
Premium on \$2,300,000-----	27,067 21
Premium on \$9,750,000-----	97,659 55
Philadelphia and Reading Railway Company, abolishing grade crossings-----	\$18,323 28
Philadelphia Rapid Transit Company, abolishing grade crossings -----	56,781 01
Firemen's Pension Fund-----	41,761 06
State appropriation to schools-----	900,789 60

166,726 76

\$1,017,654 95

Money paid in error for mandamus out of current funds in 1908 for land damages, Road Jurors' fees, etc., along the line of the Philadelphia and Trenton Railroad Company -----

38,869 84

Table H.

Department of Mayor.

General Appropriation.	Amount appro- priated.	Amount counter- signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging
An Ordinance to make an ap- propriation to the Mayor for the year 1911, ordi- nance app'd Dec. 31, 1910.....	\$532,540 00			
Brought forward from book of 1910..	6,723 75			
Brought forward from book 1910, out of \$5,739,700 loan July 1, 1909..	81,541 95			
Brought forward from book 1910, out of \$5,000,000 loan, July 14, 1910.	29,272 73			
	\$650,078 43			
Additional appropria- tion, ord. appro'd Feb. 8, 1911.....	15,000 00			
	\$665,078 43			
Additional appropria- tion, ord. appro'd March 10, 1911.....	150,500 00			
	\$815,578 43			
Additional appropria- tion, ord. appro'd March 30, 1911.....	7,613 68			
	\$823,192 11			
Additional appropria- tion, ord. appro'd March 31, 1911.....	50,000 00			
	\$873,192 11			
Transfer to ordinance approved May 2, 1911, out of \$5,000,000 loan July 14, 1910..	5,000 00			
	\$878,192 11			
Transfer from ordi- nance app'd May 2, 1911, out of \$5,000, 000 loan, July 14, 1910	5,000 00			
	\$873,192 11			
Additional appropria- tion, ord. appro'd June 14, 1911.....	9,000 00			
	\$882,192 11			
Additional appropria- tion, ord. appro'd June 19, 1911.....	17,150 00			
	\$899,342 11			

Table H—Continued.

Department of Mayor.

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.
Additional appropriation, ord. appro'd June 21, 1911.....	\$554 16			
	\$899,896 27			
Additional appropriation, ord. appro'd June 24, 1911.....	15,000 00			
	\$914,896 27			
Transfer from ord. approved July 26, 1911.....	26,000 00			
	\$888,896 27			
Additional appropriation out of \$11,200,000 loan, June 17, 1898. Ord. appro'd July 5, 1911.....	1,000,000 00			
	\$1,888,896 27			
Additional appropriation, ord. appro'd July 13, 1911.....	10,500 00			
	\$1,899,396 27			
Transfer to, ord. app'd July 19, 1911.....	1,800 00			
	\$1,901,196 27			
Transfer from, ord. app'd July 19, 1911.	91,689 30			
	\$1,999,506 97			
Additional appropriation out of \$3,750,000 loan, June 19, 1911. Ord. appro'd July 21, 1911.....	1,600,000 00			
	\$3,499,506 97			
Additional appropriation, ord. appro'd July 11, 1911.....	6,375 00			
	\$3,415,881 97			
Additional appropriation, ord. appro'd Aug. 19, 1911.....	3,000 00			
	\$3,418,881 97			
Transfer from, out of loan \$5,739,700, July 1, 1909.....	\$53,491 48			
Transfer from, out of loan, \$5,000,000, July 14, 1910.....	\$21,807 97			
	75,299 40			
	\$3,343,582 57			
Ord approved Oct. 7, 1911.				

Table H—Continued.

Department of Mayor.

General Appropriation.	Amount appro- priated.	Amount counter- signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.
Transfer from, ordi- nance appr'd Oct. 7, 1911.....	\$2,500 00			
	<u>\$3,341,082 57</u>			
Transfer to, ord. ap- proved Oct. 7, 1911.....	7,500 00			
	<u>\$3,348,582 57</u>			
Transfer from, ordi- nance appr'd Nov. 22, 1911.....	7,465 28			
	<u>\$3,341,117 29</u>			
Transfer to, ord. ap- proved Nov. 22, 1911.....	16,465 28			
	<u>\$3,357,582 57</u>			
Additional appropri- tion, ord. approved Dec. 1, 1911.....	1,792 50			
	<u>\$3,359,375 07</u>			
Transfer to ord. ap- proved Dec. 1, 1911.....	2,500 00			
	<u>\$3,361,875 07</u>			
Additional appropri- tion, ord. approved Dec. 2, 1911.....	1,500 00			
	<u>\$3,363,375 07</u>			
Transfer from, ord. approved Dec. 29, 1911.....	4,400 00			
	<u>\$3,358,975 07</u>			
Transfer to, ord. ap- proved Dec. 29, 1911.....	4,400 00			
	<u>\$3,363,375 07</u>			
Items.				
1. Salary of Mayor.....	\$12,000 00	\$12,000 00		
1½. To make an appropriation to pay claims against the City for work and labor done and materials here- tofore furnished to the Department of Mayor.				
Additional appropriation, ordinance approved March 30, 1911.....	7,513 68	7,513 68		

Table H—Continued.

Department of Mayor.

General Appropriations.	Amount appro- priated.	Amount counter- signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging
Items.				
2. Salaries :				
Mayor's Secretary	\$3,000 00			
Chief Clerk.....	2,000 00			
Confidential Clerk	1,200 00			
Clerk	1,000 00			
Messenger.....	1,100 00			
Additional appro- priation so that the salary of the messenger shall be at the rate of \$1,200 per annum, in (lieu) of \$1,100, from June 1, 1911. Ord. app'd June 21, 1911.....	58 33			
	\$8,358 33	\$8,079 95	\$278 38	
3. For miscellaneous advertis- ing, postage, hire of vehi- cles, telegraph and mes- senger service, meals for regular employees when on extra or night work, car fare, newspapers, clean- ing office and incident- als.	\$7,500 00			
Transfer to ord ap- proved Oct. 7, 1911..	5,000 00			
Transfer to ord. ap- proved Nov. 22, 1911	3,000 00			
	15,500 00	15,208 31		\$291 69
For same purpose as item 3				
3b. Brought forward from book 1910 out of \$5,000,000 loan of July 14, 1910. Ordinance approved July 29, 1910.	3,000 88	3,000 88		
3½ Brought forward from book 1910 for maintenance of automobile and payment of chauffeurs.				
Ordinance app'd Dec. 3, 1910.	5,088 31	3,349 47	1,748 84	
For same purpose as item 3½				
3½b. Brought forward from book 1910 out of \$5,000,000 loan of July 14, 1910.				
Ordinance app'd July 29, 1910.	225 50	225 50		
4. For maintenance of automo- bile and maintenance of chauffeurs.....	3,000 00	2,323 47		676 53

Table H—Continued.

Department of Mayor.

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loan merging.
Items.					
5. Bureau of Contracts and Statistics.					
Salaries.					
Chief.....	\$3,000 00				
Assistant.....	1,800 00				
Accountant	1,500 00				
Clerk	1,200 00				
Assist't Accountant and Stenographer	1,200 00				
Messenger	350 00				
Additional appropriation so that the salary of the assistant shall be at the rate of \$2,500 per annum (lieu) of \$1,800 per annum from June 1, 1911, and the Messenger at the rate of \$300 per annum in (lieu) of \$350 per annum. Ordinance app'd June 21, 1911	\$495 83				
	\$9,545 83	\$8,579 08	\$966 75		
For same purpose as item 6.					
5b. Brought forward from book 1910 out of \$5,000,000 loan of July 14, 1910. Ordinance approved July 29, 1910.		187 95	142 50		\$450*
6. For publishing, printing, distributing and postage of Philadelphia	12,000 00				
Transfer to ord. approved Nov. 22, 1911.	350 00				
	12,350 00	10,542 20	1,807 80		
7. For expenses incident to preparation and distribution of <i>Philadelphia</i> , license, notices, postage, etc.	\$1,500 00				
Transfer from, ord. approved Nov 22, 1911	350 00				
	1,150 00	1,143 50	6 50		
(Same purpose as Item 8.)					
7b. Brought forward from book 1910, out of \$5,000,000 loan of July 14, 1910, ordinance app'd July 29, 1910..		748 80	784 80		
8. For Advertising Ordinances. <i>Provided</i> , Any balance to this item for 1910 shall not merge, Dec. 31, 1910. <i>Pro-</i>					

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General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.
Item 8—Continued.				
<i>vid. d. also,</i> That in no case shall the rate exceed ten (10) cents per line for papers that have a bona fide circulation up to and including fifty thousand (50,000); fifteen (15) cents per line for papers that have a circulation between fifty thousand (50,000) and one hundred and twenty-five (125,000), and twenty (20) cents per line for papers that have a circulation of over one hundred and twenty-five thousand (125,000); <i>Provided, further,</i> That all ordinances be printed in agate type in all the editions of the newspapers accepting such advertising.....	\$10,000 00			
Additional appropriation, ordinance approved June 24, 1911.....	10,000 00			
Transfer to, ordinance approved Nov. 22, 1911.....	6,000 00			
Transfer to, ordinance approved Dec. 20, 1911.....	4,400 00			
	\$30,400 00	\$28,958 80	.....	\$2,041 20
9. For printing certificates for the City Loan.....	600 00	596 75	\$3 25	
10. For Salary of Loan and Transfer Agent.....	18,000 00	18,000 00		
11. For the purpose of enabling the Mayor to offer rewards for the discovery of perpetrators of any crime upon the approval of the President of Select and Common Councils.....	500 00	.....	500 00	
12. An ord. to the Board of Trustees for the promotion and maintenance of a Free Library.				
For salaries.....	\$7,200 00			
Rent	28,500 00			
Binding	10,000 00			
Electric lighting.....	3,500 00			
Insurances.....	2,000 00			
Hauling and general expenses.....	4,500 00			

Table H—Continued.

Department of Mayor.

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.
Item 12—Continued.				
Repairs and alterations.....	\$4,000 00			
Books.....	19,500 00			
Maintenance of Carnegie branch libraries, maintenance at 10% as per ordinance of January 11, 1904.....	65,400 00			
For repairs to Carnegie branches....	1,000 00			
	<u>\$225,600 00</u>			
For six months maintenance of the Oak Lane branch payable in two installments, July 1 and October 1, 1911. Add appropriation, ord. approved Aug. 19, 1911	3,000 00			
	<u>\$228,600 00</u>			
Transfer to ordinance app'd Nov. 22, 1911.....	7,115 28			
	<u>\$235,715 28</u>			
Transfer from ord. app'd Nov. 22, 1911.	7,115 28			
	<u>\$228,600 00</u>	\$228,600 00		
<i>Provided, That payments be made in quarterly installments. Provided, That the minimum salary paid to librarians in charge of branches shall be nine hundred (900) dollars per annum.</i>				
12 ¹ / ₂ (new) To authorize the purchase of premises Nos. 2407, 2409, 2411, 2413, 2415 and 2417, S. Broad st., in the Thirty-ninth Ward of the City of Philadelphia, for Free Library purposes. Add. appropriation, ord. app'd June 19, 1911.....	\$17,150 00			
To the Board of Trustees for purchase of a portion of an irregular shaped lot on St. Bernard place, in				

Table H—Continued.
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General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loan not merging.
Item 12½—Continued.					
width fifty feet, where it joins the said property and following its lines to said street. Transfer to ord. app'd Dec. 1, 1911..	\$2,500 00				
To the Board of Trustees of the Philadelphia Museums. For maintenance and repairs to the Museums.....	\$40,000 00				
Care and Improvements of ground..	1,000 00				
Allowance for extra labor, etc., in power house for Almshouse, per ordinance of Council's	3,000 00				
<i>Provided</i> , Payments be made in quarterly installments for maintenance and for balance as bills are presented.					
4. To the Pennsylvania Academy of the Fine Arts. <i>Provided</i> , Payments be made quarterly. <i>Provided, further</i> , That fifty thousand tickets are supplied the Board of Education for the use of children for the Public Schools.	15,000 00	15,000 00			
5. To the American Art Society, to assist in encouraging the exhibition of the work of American artists.....	3,000 00	3,000 00			
6. For the Pennsylvania Museum and School of Industrial Art.....	25,000 00	25,000 00			
For same purpose as item 17.					
6b. Brought forward from book 1910 out of loan \$5,000,000 of July 14, 1910. Ordinance approved July 20, 1910.....	2,341 50	996 00			\$1,345 50
7. For maintenance of Philadelphia band \$15,000 00 Additional appropriation July 18, 1911	10,000 00				
	\$25,000 00				

Table H—Continued.

Department of Mayor.

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated	Amount counter- signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.
Item 17—Continued.				
Transfer from ord. app'd Oct 7, 1911.. \$2,500 00	\$22,500 00	\$22,315 75	\$154 25	
18. For Teachers' Annuity and Aid Association.....	10,000 00	10,000 00		
18½. Brought forward from book 1910. To pay bills of Bllyue-Stratford \$1,434 09 and William J. Thompson 191 35				
				\$1,625 44
Transfer from ord. app'd Dec. 29, 1911. 1,600 00	25 44		25 44	
19. For the purpose of official entertaining.....	5,000 00	4,156 83	843 17	
20. Children Playground Com- mittee, for salaries: Executive Secret'y. \$1,800 00 Stenographer..... 720 00 Messenger..... 600 00				\$3,120 00
Transfer from ord. app'd July 19, 1911. 1,980 00	1,140 00	1,140 00		
<i>Provided, That for the pay- ment of the salaries in the item, one warrant shall be drawn in the name of the Executive Secretary and payment to the Stenogra- pher and Messenger shall be made by the Executive Secretary.</i>				
21. For stationery, print- ing, postage, tele- phone, car fare, cleaning office, ice, towels, drawing materials, print- ing annual report and incidentals... \$2,500 00				
Transfer from, ord. approved July, 19, 1911..... 2,138 64	361 36	361 36		
21a. Brought forward, from book 1910, out of loan \$5,739,700, of July 1, 1909. Ord. approved July 27, 1910. To authorize the appointment of a Public Play-				

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Department of Mayor.

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.
Item 21a—Continued.				
ground Committee, for the development of playgrounds, maintenance and other purposes.....	\$81,541 95			
Transfer from, ord. approved Oct. 7, 1911.....	53,491 43			
		\$24,050 52	\$28,050 52	
21b. For necessary stationery, clerical force, supervision and salaries of teachers to conduct and maintain such playgrounds recreation centres:				
Brought forward from book 1910, out of loan, \$5,000,000 of July 14, 1910. Ord. approved July 27, 1911.....	\$22,759 10			
Transfer from, ord. approved May 2, 1911.....	5,000 00			
	\$17,759 10			
Transfer from, ord. approved Oct. 7, 1911.	17,759 00			
22. Playgrounds employees Salaries:				
Four Principals at \$1,200 each.....	\$4,800 00			
Fourteen Assistants at \$960 each.....	13,440 00			
Thirty Assistants at \$780 each.....	23,400 00			
Seven Janitors at \$720 each.....	5,040 00			
Two Assistant Janitors at \$600 each...	1,200 00			
Wages temporary employees	5,000 00			
	\$52,880 00			
Transfer from, ord. approved July 19, 1911.....	49,692 25			
		3,187 75	3,187 75	
23. For Electric Lighting.....	\$5,490 00			
Transfer from, ord. approved July 19, 1911.....	5,490 00			

Table H—Continued.
Department of Mayor.

General Appropriation.		Amount appropriated.	Amount counter- signed.	Balance merging	Balance not merging.
Items.					
24. For fuel for heating.	\$1,000 00				
Transfer from, ord. approved July 19, 1911.....	996 50	\$3 50	\$3 50		
25. For playgrounds and recreation center, equipment and supplies, tables, benches, chairs, erecting drinking foun- tains and repairs to buildings and apparatus.....	7,500 00				
Transfer from, ord. approved July 6, 1911.....	1,000 00				
	\$6,500 00				
Transfer from, ord. approved July 19, 1911.....	6,446 91	53 09	53 09		
26. For shelters and public comfort buildings.....	\$5,000 00				
Transfer from, ord. approved July 6, 1911.....	2,500 00				
	\$2,500 00				
Transfer from, ord. approved July 19, 1911.....	2,500 00				
27. For grading, drain- ing and re-surfac- ing.....	\$10,000 00				
Transfer from ord. app'd July 6, 1911..	5,000 00				
	\$5,000 00				
Transfer from ord. app'd July 19, 1911.	5,000 00				
28. For fencing and en- closure	\$5,000 00				
Transfer from ord. app'd July 6, 1911..	2,500 00				
	\$2,500 00				
Transfer from, ord. app'd July 19, 1911.	2,500 00				
29. For planting trees, bushes, flowers, shrubs and grass..	\$1,500 00				
Transfer from ord. app'd July 19, 1911.	1,500 00				

Table H—Continued.

Department of Mayor.

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated	Amount counter- signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.
Items.				
30. For play apparatus \$7,500 00				
Transfer from ord. app'd July 19, 1911 7,445 00	\$55 00	\$55 00		
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31. For heating appa- ratus \$1,000 00				
Transfer from ord. app'd July 19, 1911. 1,000 00				
32. For construction of wading pools..... \$5,000 00				
Transfer from ord. app'd July 19, 1911. 5,000 00				
33. For compensation of experts and em- ployees as the Mayor may en- gage, and for such purposes and other expenses in- cident to the prep- aration of such plans as he may in his discretion deem advisable, and for exhibi- tions of said plans and similar plans of other cities, in- cluding all ex- penses incident to such exhibitions.				
Additional appro- priation, ord. app'd Feb. 8, 1911.. \$15,000 00				
Transfer to ord. app'd July 19, 1911. 1,800 00	16,800 00	16,785 13	\$14 87	
34. To Holmesburg Trust Compaay to purchase money of property south- east side Frank- ford avenue, southwest of Lin- den in the Forty- first Ward for general municipal purposes.				
Additional appro- priation. ord. ap- proved March 10, 1911..... \$150,000 00				
Transfer from ord. app'd July 6, 1911.. 15,000 00	135,000 00	135,000 00		

Table H—Continued.

Department of Mayor.

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.
Items.				
35. To employ an expert in patent law to be associated with the City Solicitor and to be named by the City Solicitor as provided by the Act of June 1, 1885, to represent the City of Philadelphia in the matter of Jewell vs. the City of Philadelphia, et al., U. S. Circuit Court for the Eastern District of Pennsylvania. October Session, 1910, No. 609.				
Additional appropriation, Ord. app'd March 10, 1911...	\$500 00	.....	.....	\$500 00
36. To make an appropriation to the Mayor for the preparation of plans and specifications and the beginning of the work of construction of a Convention Hall in the East Fairmount Park, North Girard avenue.				
Additional appropriation, Ord. app'd March 31, 1911.	50,000 00	\$18,000 00	.....	32,000 00
37. To pay fee for membership in the National Good Roads Association.				
Additional appropriation, Ord. app'd March 30, 1911...	100 00	100 00		
37b. For furnishings, fixtures, supplies, incidental expenses and expenses of representation at conferences and conventions for the study and promotion of playgrounds work for the Public Playgrounds Committee.				
Transfer to ord. app'd May 2, 1911.				
Out of loan, \$5,000-000, of July 14, 1910.	\$5,000 00			
Transfer from ord. app'd Oct. 7, 1911.				
Out of loan, \$5,000-000, July 14, 1910....	4,048 87			
	951 13	951 13		
38. For the care and maintenance of the Parkway and for the acquirement of property necessary for the development thereof.				
Additional appropriation, Ord. app'd June 19, 1911.	\$5,000 00			
Transfer from ord. app'd Dec. 29, 1911.	2,800 00			
	2,200 00	2,133 20	\$66 80	

Table H—Continued.

Department of Mayor.

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.
Items.				
39. For prizes and other expenses incident to the public horse carnival and exhibition to be held in Fairmount Park on June 10, 1911, under the auspices of the Road Drivers' Association of Pennsylvania.				
Additional appropriation, ordinance approved June 14, 1911.....	\$4,000 00	\$3,967 11	\$32 89	
40. For a safe and sane celebration of the Fourth of July, to be expended at the discretion of the Mayor.				
Additional appropriation, ordinance approved June 24, 1911.....	5,000 00	4,991 60	8 40	
41. An ordinance making it the duty of the Mayor to supervise and carry into effect Comprehensive Plans for the future development of the City of Philadelphia. Providing for the appointment and regulating the powers, duties and procedure of a permanent committee to advise, assist and co-operate with him therein and making an appropriation therefor.				
Salaries to date from August 1, 1911:				
Executive head, per annum.....	\$10,000 00			
Chief Clerk, per annum.....	3,500 00			
Messenger, per annum.....	600 00			
Stenographer, per annum.....	1,200 00			
Additional appropriation for the salaries and other expenses of the said committee for the balance of year 1911. Ord. approved July 11, 1911.....	\$6,375 00			
Transfer to, ord. approved Oct. 7, 1911.	2,500 00			
	8,875 00	8,610 92		\$264 08

Table H—Continued.

Department of Mayor.

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
Items.					
41d. For the erection of a Convention Hall in accordance with ordinance approved June 19, 1911.					
Additional appropriation out of loan \$9,750,000, of June 19, 1911. Ordinance approved July 21, 1911.....	\$1,500,000 00				\$1,500,000 0
42d. For the erection of a Soldiers' and Sailors' Monument and the preparation of a history of Philadelphians engaged in war.					
Additional appropriation out of loan \$9,750,000 of June 19, 1911.					
Ord. app'd July 21, 1911.....	100,000 00				\$100,000 0
43. For a Library site and building to be known as the main building of the Free Library of Philadelphia.					
Additional appropriation out of loan \$11,200,000 of June 17 1898.					
Ord. app'd July 5, 1911.....	1,000,000 00	\$214,585 75			785,414 2
44. To pay the cost of the matriculation examination for the candidates of the free scholarship at the University of Pennsylvania.					
Additional appropriation.					
Ord. app'd July 13, 1911	500 00	495 00	5 00		
45. Out of the monies received from the sale of machinery, etc., at the Fairmount Pumping Station for the construction, installation and maintenance of an aquarium for the exhibition of fish and aquatic life in the Greaves Mansion, located in the Fifteenth Ward of the City of Philadelphia.					
Additional appropriation.					
Ord. app'd Dec. 2, 1911.....	1,500 00	1,083 60		\$416 40	
46. new. To provide for the expenses of the Art Jury for salaries.					

Table H—Continued.

Department of Mayor.

General Appropriation.	Amount appro- priated.	Amount counter- signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
tem 46 new.—Continued.					
For salaries to date from Nov. 15:					
Assistant Secretary per annum.....	\$3,600 00				
Stenographer and Clerk per annum.....	900 00				
Office furniture.....	1,000 00				
Stationery, postage, telephone and tele- graph charges, transportation and incidentals	200 00				
Additional appropriation, Ord. app'd Dec. 1, 1911.....	\$1,792 50	\$892 62	.....	\$1,399 88	
Totals.....	\$3,363,375 07	\$930,017 75	\$6,462 34	\$40,089 78	\$2,386,805 20

Loan Subject to
transfer Item 5b
out of the loan
\$5,000,000 of July 14,
1910\$45 45*

Table H—Continued.
Department of Sheriff.

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.
An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Sheriff, for the year 1911, ordinance approved December 20, 1910.....	\$125,240 00			
Brought from the books of 1910, out of the \$5,739,700 loan, July 1, 1909, ord. app'd November 30, 1909.....	311 67			
	\$125,551 67			
Additional appropriation to Items 4 and 5, ordinance approved June 24, 1911.....	2,500 00			
	\$128,051 67			
Items.				
1. For Salaries:				
Sheriff (fixed by Act of Assembly).....	\$15,000 00			
Chief clerk and real estate deputy (fixed by Act of Assembly).....	6,000 00			
Clerk to real estate deputy.....	1,500 00			
First special deputy.	4,000 00			
Second special deputy and assistant to chief clerk and real estate deputy.	3,000 00			
Personal estate deputy.....	4,000 00			
Execution clerk.....	1,500 00			
Appearance clerk..	1,200 00			
Assistant appearance clerk.....	1,000 00			
Fee clerk.....	1,200 00			
Miscellaneous clerk,	1,000 00			
Five deputy sheriffs, \$1,500 each	7,500 00			
Five clerks to deputy sheriffs, \$1,100 each.....	5,500 00			
Quarter Sessions deputy.....	900 00			
Five court deputies, \$100 each.....	500 00			
Deputy Sheriff, Orphans' Court.....	100 00			
	\$53,900 00	\$53,887 51	\$12 50	
Provided, That the amount appropriated in this item shall be taken from the fees earned by the Sheriff.				
2. Salaries:				
Solicitor.....	\$3,000 00			
Active solicitor.....	4,000 00			
Bill poster.....	1,200 00			

Table H—Continued.

Department of Sheriff.

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging
tem 2—Continued.					
For use and driver of van.....	\$2,000 00				
Custodian of books, records, etc.....	840 00				
Fifteen writ servers, \$900 each.....	13,500 00				
Auctioneer.....	600 00				
Stenographer and clerk.....	1,200 00				
Confidential clerk and stenographer.	1,200 00				
Messenger.....	720 00				
Janitor.....	720 00				
	\$28,980 00	\$28,980 00			
2. For books, stationery, extra clerk hire and incidentals.....	\$6,500 00				
Transfer to, ord. approved Nov. 6, 1911.	3,000 00				
	9,500 00	9,490 91	\$9 09		
3a. For Incidentals, brought from the books of 1910, out of \$5,739,700 loan of July 1, 1909, ord. app'd Dec. 28, 1909..	182 87	150 00			\$32 87
4. For preparing and adv'tng Sheriff's proclamation.....	\$4,000 00				
Additional appropriation, ord. approved June 24, 1911.....	2,000 00				
	\$6,000 00				
Transfer to, ord. approved Nov. 6, 1911.	1,500 00				
	\$7,500 00				
Transfer to, ord. approved Nov. 22, 1911.....	1,000 00				
	8,500 00	7,598 15	901 85		
4a. For preparing and advertising the Sheriff's proclamation, brought from the books of 1910, out of \$5,739,700 loan, July 1, 1909, ordinance approved Nov. 30, 1909.....	128 80	128 80			
5. For printing and posting Sheriff's proclamation.....	\$1,000 00				
Additional appropriation, ordinance approved June 24, 1911.....	500 00				
	\$1,500 00				
Transfer to, ord. approved Nov. 22, 1911.....	350 00				
	1,850 00	1,850 00			

Table H—Continued.

Department of Sheriff.

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter- signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.
Items.				
6. For expenses of Sheriff's juries.....	\$2,500 00	\$1,700 00	\$800 00	
7. For expenses of writ serving \$2,500 00 Transfer to, ord. ap- proved Nov. 6, 1911. 500 00	3,000 00	2,883 58	116 42	
8. For Sheriff's costs.... \$12,000 00 <i>Provided, The City Controller may countersign war- rants on this item for bills for the year 1910.</i> Transfer from, ord. approved Nov. 6, 1911..... 5,000 00	\$7,000 00			
Transfer from, ord. approved Nov. 22, 1911. 650 00	6,350 00	5,564 80	785 20	
9. For van service for county prisons, for salaries: Four guards, \$900 each..... \$3,600 00 Driver 900 00 Three custodians of prisoners, \$900 each 2,700 00 Uniforms, \$10 each.. 320 00 Horses 300 00 Keep of horses..... 500 00 Repairs etc..... 320 00 Janitor of cell room. 720 00	\$9,360 00			
Transfer to, ord. ap- proved Nov. 6, 1911. 100 00	\$9,460 00			
Transfer from, ord. approved Nov. 22, 1911..... 300 00	9,160 00	9,141 88	18 12	
10. For cleaning and refurbish- ing rooms in Sheriff's of- fice.....	500 00	476 63	23 37	
11. For costs incident to sale of real estate on City writs..... \$2,000 00 Transfer from, ordi- nance app'd Nov. 6, 1911..... 100 00	1,900 00			
Transfer from, ordi- nance app'd Nov. 22, 1911..... 400 00	1,500 00	765 40	734 60	

Table H—Continued.

Department of Sheriff.

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
ems.					
For conveyance, etc., of prisoners to House of Refuge, Huntingdon Reformatory, and insane persons to State hospitals for the insane at Norristown, Danville and Harrisburg	\$2,000 00	1,749 06	\$250 94		
Totals.....	\$128,051 67	\$124,366 72	\$3,652 09	.....	\$32 87
Fee account of Joseph Gillan, Sheriff, for the year 1911:					
Term commencing Jan. 4, '09.					
Brought from books of 1910.....	\$75,561 14				
Fees earned for the year 1911.....	98,288 17				
	\$173,849 58				
Charge salaries, Item 1, 1911.....	53,887 50				
Merging.....	\$119,962 08				
Out of the \$3,789,700 loan, July 1, 1909, subject to transfer by Councils...	32 87				

Table H—Continued.

Department of Coroner.

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.
An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Coroner for the year 1911.				
SECTION 1. The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain, That the sum of forty-nine thousand eight hundred and twenty (49,820) dollars be, and the same is hereby appropriated to the Coroner for the year 1911. Ordinance app'd by the Mayor, Dec. 28, 1910.	\$49,820 00			
Non merger out of \$5,000,000 loan of July 14, 1910. Ord. app'd July 29, 1910; brought from books 1910.....	96 16			
	\$49,916 16			
Transferred from ord. app'd April 6, 1911.....	96 16			
	\$49,820 00			
Additional appropriation, Ord. app'd April 21, 1911.....	3,000 00			
	\$52,820 00			
Transferred from ord. app'd Nov. 22, 1911.....	400 00			
	\$52,420 00			
Transferred to ord. approved Nov. 22, 1911..	400 00			
	\$52,820 00			
Items.				
1. For salaries:				
Coroner (Act of Assembly).....	\$5,000 00			
Deputy Coroner (Act of Assembly)	2,500 00			
Chief clerk	1,500 00			
Three ass't clerks, \$1,200 each.....	3,600 00			
Three physicians, \$2,500 each.....	7,500 00			
Eleven district deputies, \$1,200 each..	13,200 00			
Stenographer and typewriter.....	900 00			
Two detectives, \$1,500 each.....	3,000 00			
Janitor	720 00			
	\$37,920 00	\$37,880 00	\$40 00	
Provided, That the amounts appropriated in this item for Coroner, Deputy Coroner and clerk shall be taken from fees earned by the Coroner.				

Table H—Continued.
Department of Coroner.

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated	Amount counter- signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.
Items.				
2. For stationery, transpor- tation, printing and supplies \$1,200 00				
Additional appropria- tion. Ord. app'd April 21, 1911..... 200 00				
	\$1,400 00			
Transferred from ord. app'd Nov. 22, 1911.... 400 00				
	\$1,000 00	\$999 74	\$0 26	
2b. For same purpose as item 2, out of \$5,000,000 loan of July 14, 1910. Ord. app'd July 29, 1910..... \$0 91				
Transferred from ord. app'd April 6, 1911..... 91				
3. For keep of automobile for Coroner..... 600 00	600 00	600 00		
4. For exhuming and inciden- tals..... 2,000 00	2,000 00	1,999 38	62	
5. For witnesses, jury fees and burials..... \$4,000 00				
Additional appropria- tion. Ord. app'd April 21, 1911..... 2,000 00				
	\$6,000 00			
Transferred to, ord. ap- proved Nov. 22, 1911.. 400 00				
	6,400 00	6,377 75	22 25	
5b. For same purpose as item 5, out of \$5,000,000 loan of July 14, 1910, ord. app'd July 29, 1910..... \$95 25				
Transferred from ord. app'd April 6, 1911..... 95 25				
6. For maintenance of two horses and wagons..... 800 00	800 00	800 00		
7. For keep of horses, and materials for post mortems for Coro- ner's physicians five hundred (500) dollars each \$3,300 00				
Additional appropria- tion. Ord. approved April 21, 1911..... 800 00				
	4,100 00	4,100 00		

Table H—Continued.

Department of Coroner.

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount countersigned.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.
Item 7.—Continued.				
<i>Provided, That the City Controller may countersign warrants for post mortem materials against this item without advertising, upon the approval of bills by the Coroner.</i>				
Totals	\$52,820 00	\$52,756 87	\$63 13	
Fees earned during 1911. \$24,906 00				
Brought from books of 1910..... 28,164 90				
Total fees earned..... \$53,070 00				
Deduct salaries, Item 1.. 9,000 00				
Balance fee. merging.. \$44,070 00				

Table H—Continued.

Department of District Attorney.

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter- signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.
An Ordinance to make an appropriation for the year 1911, to the District Attorney:				
Section 1. The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, do ordain, That the sum of seventy-five thousand one hundred (75,100) dollars be, and the same is, hereby appropriated to the District Attorney for the year 1911, ord. app'd Dec 20, 1910....	\$75,100 00			
Non mergers, brought from books of 1910, out of \$5,000,000 loan of July 14, 1910, ord. app'd July 29, 1910...	5,112 04			
	<u>\$80,212 04</u>			
Items.				
1. For salaries:				
District Attorney (Act of Assembly)	\$12,000 00			
First Assistant, (Act of Assembly)	7,500 00			
Two Assistants, \$5,000 each (Act of Assembly).....	10,000 00			
Three Assistants, \$4,000 each (Act of Assembly).....	12,000 00			
Two Assistants, \$3,000 each (Act of Assembly).....	6,000 00			
Indictment attorn'y	2,500 00			
Indictment clerk...	2,000 00			
Legal stenographer and clerk.....	1,800 00			
Two office clerks, \$1,200 each.....	2,400 00			
Stenographer and clerk	1,000 00			
Fee clerk.....	1,100 00			
Messenger.....	1,100 00			
	<u>\$59,400 90</u>	<u>\$59,381 18</u>	<u>\$18 82</u>	
<i>Provided, The amount appropriated in this item shall be taken from the fees earned by the District Attorney.</i>				
2. For one detective....	\$1,700 00			
Two detectives, \$1,500 each.....	3,000 00			
Two stenographers and typewriters, \$1,000 each.....	2,000 00			
	<u>6,700 00</u>	<u>6,700 00</u>		

Table H—Continued.

Department of District Attorney.

General Appropriation.	Amount appro- priated.	Amount counter- signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loan not mergit
Items.					
3. For incidentals and expenses, incident to the prosecution of cases, return of fugitives, blanks, stationery and temporary clerk hire..... <i>Provided</i> , Warrants may be drawn against this item for bills contracted in 1910.	\$5,000 00	\$4,972 55	\$27 45		
3b. For same purpose as Item 3, out of \$5,000,000 loan of July 14, 1910, ord. approved July 29, 1910. Brought from books of 1910..	3,612 04	3,585 35			\$26
4. For fees of experts, steno- graphic charges and expen- ses of a similar character..	4,000 00	3,118 38	881 62		
4b. For same purpose as Item 4 out of \$5,000,000 loan of July 14, 1910, ord. approved July 29, 1910. Brought from books of 1910..	1,500 00				1,500
Totals.....	\$80,212 04	\$77,757 46	\$927 89		\$1,526
Fees earned during 1911.....	\$74,726 00				
Brought from books 1910.....	8,203 00				
Total fees earned...	\$82,929 00				
Deduct salaries, Item 1.....	50,381 18				
Balance fees not merging.....	\$23,547 82				
* Subject to transfer, \$5,000,000 loan, July 14, 1910, ord. ap- proved July 29, 1910.	\$26 69				

Table H—Continued.
Department of Prothonotary.

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.
An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Prothonotary of the Courts of Common Pleas for the year 1911, ord. app'd Dec. 20, 1911.....	\$84,770 00			
Brought from the books of 1910, out of \$5,739,700 loan, July 1, 1909, ord. app'd Nov. 30, 1909.	1,004 00			
	\$85,774 00			
Additional appropriation, ord. approved March 10, 1911.....	4,000 00			
	\$89,774 00			
Transfer from, ordinance app'd April 6, 1911.....	4 00			
	\$89,770 00			
Items.				
1. For salaries:				
Prothonotary (fixed by Act of Assembly).....	\$10,000 00			
Deputy Prothonotary.....	3,500 00			
Second Deputy Prothonotary.....	2,100 00			
First clerk.....	2,000 00			
Second clerk.....	1,500 00			
Fee clerk.....	1,500 00			
Fee clerk.....	1,200 00			
Five Court clerks, (fixed by Act of Assembly) \$2,500 each.....	12,500 00			
Four judgment search clerks, \$1,200 each.....	4,800 00			
Three locality clerks, \$1,200 each.....	3,600 00			
Five appearance clerks, \$1,200 each.....	6,000 00			
Mechanics' lien clk.....	1,200 00			
Five writ clerks, \$1,200 each.....	6,000 00			
Recording clerk.....	1,200 00			
Two index clerks, \$1,200 each.....	2,400 00			
Three exemplification clerks, \$1,200 each.....	3,600 00			
Eight recording and miscellaneous clerks, \$1,000 each.....	8,000 00			
Two custodians of records, \$900 each.....	1,800 00			
Custodian of books.....	900 00			

Table H—Continued.

Department of Prothonotary.

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount countersigned.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loan not merged.
Item 1—Continued.					
Custodian of books. \$500 00					
Two copyists, \$800 ea 1,600 00					
Messenger 800 00					
	\$76,700 00	\$76,700 00			
<i>Provided, That the amount appropriated in this item for salaries shall be taken from fees earned by the Prothonotary.</i>					
2 For blank books, blanks, rebinding, stationery..... \$5,000 00					
Additional appropriation, ord. approved March 10, 1911 2,500 00					
	7,500 00	7,498 81	\$1 19		
2b. For rebinding dockets, by transfer from Item 5.....					
Brought from the books of 1910, out of the \$5,739,700 loan, July 1, 1909. Ord. approved December 3, 1910....	\$1,000 00	997 50			\$1
3. For extra clerk (fixed by Act of Assembly) June 1, 1889...	600 00	600 00			
4. For janitor.	720 00	720 00			
5a. Brought from the books of 1910, for purchase of books, book cases, etc., for Court of Common Pleas, No. 1, out of \$5,739,700 loan July 1, 1909, ordinance app'd Nov. 5, 1909..... \$4 00					
Transfer from, ord. app'd April 6, 1911. 4 00					
5. For cleaning offices.....	750 00	750 00			
6. For incidentals:					
<i>Provided, That warrants may be countersigned on this item on the approval of bills by the Prothonotary without advertising.....</i> \$1,000 00					
Additional appropriation, ord. approved March 10, 1911..... 1,500 00					
	2,500 00	2,498 86	1 14		
Totals.....	\$89,770 00	\$89,765 17	\$2 33		\$0

Table H—Continued.

Department of Prothonotary.

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter- signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.
Fee account of Henry F. Walton, Prothonotary, for the year 1911: Term commenced Dec. 5, 1910. Brought from the books of 1910..... \$3,774 48 Fees earned for the year 1911..... 180,862 90 <hr/> \$184,637 38 Charge salaries Item 1, 1911..... 76,700 00 <hr/> To books of 1912.. \$57,937 38 <hr/> Out of the \$5,789,700 loan July 1, 1909, sub- ject to transfer by Councils..... \$2 50				

Table H—Continued.

Department of Clerk of Quarter Sessions.

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Clerk of the Courts of Oyer and Terminer and Quarter Sessions for the year 1911, ordinance approved Dec. 20, 1910.....	\$66,000 00				
Brought from the books of 1910 out of \$5,000,000 loan, July 14, 1910. Ord. app'd July 29, 1910.	162 50				
	<u>\$66,162 50</u>				
Items.					
1. For salaries, (all fixed by Act of Assembly). Clerk of the Courts of Quarter Sessions, Oyer and Terminer and General Jail delivery.....	\$8,000 00				
Deputy clerk.....	3,500 00				
Three court clerks, \$3,000 each.....	9,000 00				
Three assist't court clerks, \$1,600 each.	4,800 00				
Record clerk.....	1,500 00				
Fee clerk.....	1,400 00				
License clerk.....	1,400 00				
Road clerk.....	1,400 00				
Three ass't record clerks, \$1,200 each..	3,600 00				
Ass't license clerk..	1,200 00				
Two subpoena clerks, \$1,200 each.....	2,400 00				
Search clerk.....	1,200 00				
Assistant road clerk	1,200 00				
Five miscellaneous clerks, \$1,200 each..	6,000 00				
Custodian of records for clerk of Quarter Sessions and District Attorney.	1,200 00				
Stenographer.....	1,200 00				
Ass't custodian of records.....	1,000 00				
Messenger	1,000 00				
<i>Provided, That the amount appropriated in this item shall be taken from the fees earned by the Clerk of said Courts.</i>	\$51,000 00	\$51,000 00			
2. For blanks, books and stationery.	2,000 00	1,998 86	\$3 14		
3. For incidentals	500 00	498 03	1 97		
3½b. For safe and etc, out of \$5,000,000 loan of July 14, 1910, ord. app'd July 29, 1910. Brought from the books of 1910.....	162 50				\$162

Table H—Continued.

Department of Clerk of Quarter Sessions.

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
For advertising applications for liquor licenses.....	\$10,000 00	\$10,000 00			
For services of extra clerks..	1,000 00	950 00	\$50 00		
For advertising applications for transfer of liquor license.....	1,500 00	1,448 40	51 60		
Totals.....	\$86,162 50	\$65,893 29	\$106 71	.....	\$162 50
es account of Thomas W. Cunningham, clerk of the Court of Quarter Sessions for the year 1911: Term commenced Jan. 6, 1908.					
Brought from the books of 1910... \$142,327 73					
Fees earned for the year 1911..... 97,633 66					
Total..... \$239,961 39					
Charge salaries, Item 1, 1911..... 51,000 00					
Balance fees merging.....\$188,961 39					

Table H—Continued.

Department of Recorder of Deeds.

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.
An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Recorder of Deeds, for the year 1911, ord. app'd Dec. 31, 1910....	\$253,410 00			
Brought from the books of 1910 out of \$5,000,000.00 loan July 14, 1910 Ord. app'd July 29, 1910.....	152 60			
	<u>\$253,562 60</u>			
Transfer from ord. approved April 6, 1911	8 77			
	<u>\$253,553 83</u>			
Transfer to ord. app'd May 15, 1911.....	14,500 00			
	<u>\$268,053 83</u>			
Items.				
1. For Salaries:				
Recorder of Deeds (fixed by Act of Assembly)	\$10,000 00			
Deputy (fixed by Act of Assembly).....	4,000 00			
Chief clerk.....	2,000 00			
Bookkeeper	1,750 00			
Asst. bookkeeper...	1,200 00			
Chief Search clerk..	2,000 00			
Three (3) Mortgage Search clerks, \$1,500 each.....	4,500 00			
Two (2) Conveyance Search clerks, \$1,500 each.....	3,000 00			
Chief Mortgage Index clerk.....	1,800 00			
Chief Deed Index clerk.....	1,800 00			
Two (2) ass't Index clerks, \$1,500 each..	3,000 00			
Miscellaneous clerk.	1,300 00			
Three (3) Miscellaneous clerks, \$1,500 each.....	4,500 00			
Five (5) Miscellaneous clerks (fixed by Act of Assembly) \$1,200 each	6,000 00			
Superintendent of Transcrib'g room	1,600 00			
Chief Compare clerk	1,800 00			

Table H—Continued.

Department of Recorder of Deeds.

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
n 1—Continued.					
Four (4) Compare clerks, \$1,350 each	\$5,400 00				
Two (2) ass't Compare clerks, \$1,350 each.....	2,700 00				
Two Special Custodians of Records \$1,200 each.....	2,400 00				
Three (3) Custodians of Records, \$1,100 each.....	3,300 00				
Three (3) assistant Custodians of Records, \$1,000 each	3,000 00				
Messenger.....	800 00				
Sixty-eight (68) Transcribing clerks, (fixed by Act of Assembly), \$1,200 each.....	81,600 00				
Two (2) watchmen, \$800 each.....	1,600 00				
	\$151,050 00	\$150,311 40	\$738 60		
<i>Provided, That the amount appropriated in this item shall be taken from fees earned by the Recorder of Deeds.</i>					
For Salaries:					
Assistant superintendent of transcribing room.....	\$1,400 00				
Janitor and two (2) assistant janitors, \$720 each.....	2,160 00				
Recorder's Transfer clerk.....	1,200 00				
Six (6) special clerks (fixed by Act of Assembly), \$1,200 each.....	7,200 00				
Twenty-five (25) temporary clerks (fixed by Act of Assembly), \$1,200 each.....	30,000 00				
Twenty-six additional temporary clerks (fixed by Act of Assembly), \$1,200 each.....	31,200 00				
For copying old records:					
Superintendent of copyists.....	1,400 00				

Table H—Continued.

Department of Recorder of Deeds.

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging
Item 2—Continued.				
Nineteen (19) assistant clerks (fixed by Act of Assembly), \$1,200 each....	\$22,800 00			
	\$97,360 00	\$97,186 34	\$173 66	
3b. For blank books, stationery, extra clerk hire and re-binding, brought from the books of 1910 out of \$5,000,000 loan July 14, 1910. Ord. app'd July 29, 1910.....	\$8 77			
Transfer from, ord. app'd April 6, 1911.	8 77			
3. For blank books stationery extra clerk hire and re-binding.....	\$3,000 00			
Transfer to, ord. approved May 15, 1911	14,000 00			
	\$17,000 00	16,994 03	5 97	
4. For incidentals....	\$1,000 00			
Transfer to, ord. approved May 15, 1911	500 00			
	1,500 00	1,492 67	7 33	
4b. For incidentals.				
Brought from the books of 1910 out of \$5,000,000 loan, July 14, 1910. Ordinance approved July 29, 1910.....	143 83	143 83		
5. For stenography and type-writing.....	1,000 00	352 80	647 20	
Totals.....	\$268,053 83	\$266,481 97	\$1,572 76	
Fee account of William S. Vare, Recorder of Deeds, for the year 1911.				
Term commenced Jan. 6, 1908.				
Brought from the books of 1910.....	\$185,384 76			
Fee account for the year 1911.....	236,554 30			
Total.....	\$421,939 06			
Charge salaries, Item 1, 1911.....	150,311 40			
Balance fees merging.	\$271,627 66			

Table H—Continued.

Department of Register of Wills.

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Register of Wills for year 1911, ord. approved Dec. 28, 1910.....	\$74,300 00				
Additional appropriation item 3½ (new), ord. approved Mar. 30, 1911.....	795 67				
Ordered by transfer to item 5, ord. approved Mar. 22, 1911.....	500 00				
	<u>\$75,595 67</u>				
For salaries.					
Register of Wills and Orphans' Court (fixed by Act of Assembly)	\$5,000 00				
Deputy register	2,500 00				
Chief clerk	1,700 00				
Assistant to chief clerk	1,600 00				
Bookkeeper and cashier	1,500 00				
Chief account clerk	1,500 00				
Chief compare clerk	2,000 00				
Two transcribing clerks (\$1,200 each)	2,400 00				
Two miscellaneous clerks (\$1,200 each)	2,400 00				
Four account clerks (\$1,200 each)	4,800 00				
Four recording clerks (\$1,200 each)	4,800 00				
Inventory clerk	1,200 00				
Three index clerks (\$1,200 each)	3,600 00				
Two compare clerks (\$1,200 each)	2,400 00				
Temporary clerk	1,200 00				
Stenographer and typewriter	1,200 00				
Messenger	1,000 00				
Two custodians of records (\$1,000 each)	2,000 00				
Director	600 00				
ORPHANS' COURT.					
First assistant clerk (fixed by Act of Assembly)	3,500 00				
Second assistant clerk (fixed by Act of Assembly)	2,500 00				
Third assistant clerk (fixed by Act of Assembly)	1,800 00				
Seven assistant clerks (fixed by Act of Assembly), (\$1,500 ea.)	16,500 00				
Messenger and custodian of records	1,000 00				
	<u>\$68,700 00</u>	<u>\$68,700 00</u>			

Table H—Continued.

Department of Register of Wills.

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loss not merging.
Item 1—Continued.					
Provided, That the amount appropriated in this item shall be taken from the fees earned by the Register of Wills.					
2. For law books for library of the Orphans' Court and Register of Wills-----	\$600 00	\$600 00			
2½ (New). To pay Bingham Co. for stationery, printing and blank books ----- \$167 27					
Gans Bros., for stationery, printing postal cards and blank books ----- 628 40	795 67	795 67			
3. For incidentals and repair of books -----	500 00	500 00			
4. For blank books, rebinding, stationery and supplies-----	3,500 00	3,500 00			
5. For transcribing official stenographic notes of testimony of cases tried before the Register of Wills \$1,000 00					
Received by transfer, ord. app'd Nov. 22, 1911 ----- 500 00	1,500 00	1,500 00			
Totals-----	\$75,595 67	\$75,595 67			
Fee account of David Martin, Register of Wills, for the year 1911. Term commenced Jan. 3, 1910.					
Brought from the books of 1910----- \$57,441 34					
Fees earned for the year 1911 ----- 130,399 32					
\$187,840 66					
Charge salaries, Item 1, 1911 ----- 68,700 00					
To books of 1912----- \$119,140 66					

Table H—Continued.
Department of City Commissioners.

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.
An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of City Commissioners for the year 1911, ord. app'd Dec. 31, 1910.....	\$1,325,629 00			
Books of 1910:				
\$5,000,000 loan, July 14, ord. app'd July 23, 1910.				
2 B.....	\$23,345 00			
3 B.....	19,216 00			
4 B.....	855 00			
6 B.....	757 00			
12 B.....	2,875 97			
13 B.....	385 10			
15 B.....	171 77			
19 B.....	275 00			
26 B.....	37 50			
33 B.....	166 67			
35 B.....	1,920 00			
36 B.....	140 00			
38 B.....	2,951 49			
39 B.....	1,270 89			
	54,369 29			
Item 33a. \$10,000,000 loan, from the books of 1910.....	2,697 26			
Item 44, 1908, \$10,000,000 loan, from the books of 1910.....	14,668 88			
Item 30 1/2. \$3,500,000 loan, from the books of 1910.....	83 85			
Item 39a. \$5,739,700. from the books of 1910.....	2 05			
	\$1,397,450 33			
Additional appropriation, March 30, 1911.	46,802 41			
	\$1,444,252 74			
Item 46. New. Loan, Election	85,000 00			
Received by ord. April 21, 1911.....	\$1,529,252 74			
Transferred from Item 1 1/2, Deficiency, ord. May 15, 1911, to various Bureaus.....	32,837 75			
	\$1,496,414 99			
Transferred from by ord. April 6, 1911, Small loan balances, as follows:				
30a.....	\$83 85			
39a.....	2 05			
26B.....	37 50			
	123 40			
	\$1,496,291 59			

Table H—Continued.

Department of City Commissioners.

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter- signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging
Additional appropriation, received by ord. June 24, 1911, to Item 29.....	\$500 00			
	\$1,496,791 59			
Transferred from, by ord. July 6, 1911:				
Item 3 B....	\$10,000 00			
Item 12 B....	2,875 97			
Item 33 B....	166 67			
Item 38 B....	2,951 49			
	15,994 13			
	\$1,480,797 46			
Transferred to, Regular appropriation received by transfer, ord. July 6, 1911, Item 24.....	3,000 00			
	\$1,483,797 46			
Additional appropriation Item 1, received by ord. July 19, 1911..	11,550 00			
Additional appropriation, by ord. Oct. 3, 1911, to Item 39.....	1,000 00			
	\$1,496,347 46			
Transferred from, by Ordinance November 6, 1911, from Item 35, \$84,450.00. From Item 36, \$6,045.00.....	90,495 00			
	\$1,405,852 46			
Transferred to by ord. Nov. 6, 1911, to items:				
2.....	\$42,000 00			
4.....	700 00			
6.....	500 00			
12.....	32,200 00			
20.....	2,090 00			
24.....	2,000 00			
26.....	2,589 00			
27.....	200 00			
37.....	2,506 00			
38.....	1,000 00			
39.....	5,000 00			
	90,495 00			
	\$1,496,347 46			
Additional appropriation out of the Temporary Loan received by ord. Nov. 9, 1911:				
Item 16...	\$52,800 00			
Item 18...	8,500 00			
	61,300 00			
	\$1,557,647 46			

Table H—Continued.

Department of City Commissioners.

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.
Additional appropriation out of the Temporary Loan by ord. Nov. 22, 1911, to Item 45, new.... \$12,674 70				
\$1,570,322 16				
Items.				
1. To pay forty-nine officers of the Courts of Common Pleas and fourteen officers of the Orphans' Court and thirty-nine officers of the Court of Quarter Sessions, as follows:				
Common Pleas Court No. 1, nine tipstaves, No. 2 eleven, No. 3 ten, No. 4 nine, No. 5 ten, 49 each \$1,600. \$78,400 00				
Orphans' Court, 14 each, \$1,600..... 22,400 00				
Quarter Sessions, 3 clerks, at \$1,800..... 5,400 00				
Uniforms, Thirty-six tipstaves, at 1,440 00				
Uniforms, 3 Clerks, at \$40.00..... 120 00				
\$165,360 00				
Additional appropriation by ord. July 19, 1911..... \$11,550 00				
	\$176,910 00	\$176,442 20	\$467 80	
2 To pay jurors of the Courts of Common Pleas, Quarter Sessions and Grand Jurors.. \$ 00,000 00				
Transferr'd to, by ord. Nov. 6, 1911.... 42,000 00				
	42,000 00	135,946 65	6,053 35	
3. To pay Road Jurors	10,000 00	10,000 00		
Provided, That no employee of any department of the City, State or National Government, or of any Commission thereof or of any of the Courts, shall draw money from this item, nor shall the City Commissioners draw nor the City Controller countersign any warrant for such employee for such service.				
4. For witness fees and to bills 1910..... \$2,500 00				
Transfer to, Nov 6, 1911..... 700 00				
	3,200 00	3,139 10	60 90	

Table H—Continued.

Department of City Commissioners.

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter- signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.
Items.				
5. To pay (5) five interpreters of the courts at \$1,500 each....	\$7,500 00	\$7,500 00		
6. For meals for jurors, bills 1910..... \$1,000 00 Transfer to, Nov. 6, 1911..... 500 00	1,500 00	1,258 20	\$241 80	
7. Pay clerk for board of jurors.	1,400 00	1,400 00		
8. For coach hire for grand jury.	500 00	435 00	65 00	
9. For miscellaneous expenses of the Courts: Common Pleas, five at \$500 each..... \$2,500 00 Quarter Sessions 1, 2 and 3 at \$333.33 each..... 1,000 00 Supreme Court..... 500 00	\$4,000 00			
<i>Provided, That the City Controller may countersign warrants drawn against this item for bills contracted for in the year 1910.</i>				
Sub Items.				
9. Common Pleas Court No. 1..	500 00	494 93	5 07	
9. Common Pleas Court No. 2..	500 00	499 30	70	
9. Common Pleas Court No. 3..	500 00	500 00		
9. Common Pleas Court No. 4..	500 00	477 05	22 95	
9. Common Pleas Court No. 5..	500 00	495 19	4 81	
9. Quarter Sessions No. 1.....	333 34	309 54	23 80	
9. Quarter Sessions No. 2.....	333 33	271 00	62 33	
9. Quarter Sessions No. 3.....	333 33	305 25	28 08	
9. Supreme Court.....	500 00	499 93	05	
10. To pay State Hospital for the Insane, southeastern district of Pennsylvania.....	150,000 00	152,355 44	6,644 56	
11. To pay keep of prisoners of Philadelphia County in the Eastern Penitentiary and bills 1910.....	15,000 00	15,000 00		
12. To pay managers towards the expenses of the House of Refuge. \$30,000 00 Transfer to, by ord. Nov. 6, 1911..... 32,000 00	62,000 00	61,050 69	949 31	
13. To pay officers of the election for the year 1911 at the rate of: judge of Election, \$15; two Inspectors and two Clerks at \$5 each for each election.....	42,000 00	41,895 00	105 00	

Table H—Continued.

Department of City Commissioners.

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.
Items.				
14. To pay clerks and messengers for computing election returns.....	\$2,500 00	\$2,479 05	\$20 95	
15. For furnishing stationery, books, blanks, cards of instruction to election officers, sample tickets to voters, assessor's books for assessment in May, printing and binding election tickets for each election division to be used for voting and to pay overseers of the election and miscellaneous expenses pertaining to elections, said work to be done in the City of Philadelphia.....	40,000 00	38,342 91	1,657 09	
<i>Provided, That, instead of advertising the City Commissioners may ask for written proposals from not less than three responsible parties for the printing of election tickets and all necessary election papers; Provided, further, That work for printing shall only be awarded to contractors who pay the recognized rate of wages adopted by the Typographical Union, and bills, 1910.</i>				
16. To pay assessors for the year 1911, for voting and jury purposes, each assessor to be paid forty-four (44) dollars for the September assessment.....	\$52,800 00			
Additional appropriation out of temporary loan: To pay assessors, 1911.....	52,800 00	105,600 00	98,752 50	6,847 50
17. To pay for the burial of indigent soldiers, sailors and marines, authorized by Acts of Assembly Mar. 28, 1903 and March 7, 1907.....	10,000 00	10,000 00		
<i>Provided, That a certificate from the County Commissioners properly signed by the Commissioners appointed by them, shall be sufficient evidence for the payment of the same.</i>				

Table H—Continued.

Department of City Commissioners.

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.
Items.				
18. For printing Assessors lists for the year 1911. <i>Provided</i> , That 150 copies of the September assessment for each Division shall be printed in September. <i>Provided further</i> , That the Contractor be required to do the work in the City of Philadelphia and properly complete and deliver the same to City Commissioners lists of September assessment no later than Friday, September 11, 1911. <i>Provided also</i> , Contracts will be awarded to Contractors who pay recognized rate of wages adopted by the Typographical Union.. \$8,500 00 Additional appropriation out of the Temporary Loan. Ord. app'd Nov. 9, 1911..... 8,500 00				
	\$17,000 00	\$16,758 00	\$242 00	
19. For rent of rooms in which elections are held; the proprietors required to put up, take down and store on the premises the material required to under the Ballot Reform Law.....	30,000 00	29,925 00	75 00	
20. For posting, advertising, meals for regular employees on extra or night work, cleaning offices, legal and miscellaneous expenses..... \$2,500 00 Transferred to, by ord. Nov. 6, 1911... 2,000 00	4,500 00	4,065 96	434 04	
21. To pay Magistrates.. ..	84,000 00	82,320 09	1,679 91	
22. To pay City Commissioners. \$5,000 each.....	15,000 00	15,000 00		
23. For salaries: Chief clerk..... \$2,500 00 Chief election clerk 2,000 00 Assistant to Chief clerk..... 1,600 00 Two assistant clerks, \$1,200 each..... 2,400 00 Election clerk..... 1,250 00 Two election clerks, \$900 each..... 1,800 00 Two miscellaneous clerks, \$1,000 each. 2,000 00				
	13,550 00	12,628 87	921 13	

Table H—Continued.

Department of City Commissioners.

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging
Items.				
24. To pay extra help... \$3,000 00 <i>Provided, that any extra help that may be employed for Primary election work shall be paid out of the Primary election item and the City Controller is authorized to countersign warrants so drawn and bills 1910.</i> Transfer to ordinance July 6, 1910..... 3,000 00 \$6,000 00 Transfer to ordinance Nov. 6, 1910... 2,000 00	\$8,000 00	\$7,046 94	\$953 06	
25. To pay Pennsylvania State Lunatic Hospital at Harrisburg, Penna.....	200 00	184 00	16 00	
26. To pay Pennsylvania's Society and Women's Pennsylvania Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals in such proportions as entitled under the law, and bills 1910 \$2,000 00 Transferred to by Ordinance Nov. 6, 1911..... 2,589 00	4,589 00	4,580 00	9 00	
27. To pay State Hospital for the Insane at Danville, Pa., bills 1910..... \$1,000 00 Transferred to, Nov. 6, 1911..... 200 00	1,200 00	1,109 28	72	
28. To pay Pennsylvania Reformatory at Huntingdon, Pa.....	20,000 00	17,838 10	2,161 90	
29. For the support and maintenance of companies of the National Guard and Bands of First, Second, Third and Sixth Regiments, and two companies of the Naval Battalion and four companies of the Infantry Battalion, State Fencibles and Company B, Engineers Battalion using and occupying Armory rooms or quarters within				

Table H—Continued.

Department of City Commissioners.

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter- signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.
Item 29—Continued.				
the City of Philadelphia. five hundred (500) dollars each for each company and band. <i>Provided</i> , That the City Con- troller shall countersign no warrant drawn in this item in favor of the Com- manding Officer of any Company unless it shall be certified to the City Con- troller by the Adjutant Gen- eral of the State that the said Company has satisfac- torily passed the annual inspection provided by law; <i>Provided, however</i> , That in the case of the companies of the Infantry Battalion, State Fencibles, the City Controller is authorized to accept the certificate of the Director of the Department of Public Safety, and also certified by the Command- ing Officer of each com- pany, that the moneys ap- propriated in said item for said company has been used and expended solely and exclusively for the support and maintenance, discipline and training of said company, for which he shall account by proper vouchers to the said City Controller; <i>Provided also</i> , That no appropriation shall be made for any sub- sequent year until the ex- penditures of the previous year have been duly and satisfactorily ac- counted for..... \$27,000 00				
Additional appro- priation, by ord. app'd June 24, 1911, to support and maintenance of Troop G, Cavalry Battalion..... 500 00				
	\$27,500 00	\$26,500 00	.....	\$1,000 00
30. For keep of Incurables at Wernersville, Pa.....	20,500 00	20,500 00		
31. For maintaining at least thirty blind men in the Pennsylvania Working Home for Blind Men, at West Philadelphia	5,000 00	5,000 00		

Table H—Continued.

Department of City Commissioners.

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.
Items.				
32. For the support of and maintenance of the Old Guard of the Second Regiment Infantry Corps, N. G. Pa....	\$500 00	\$500 00		
33. For maintenance of House of Detention:				
For Salaries.				
Superintendent.....	\$2,000 00			
Assistant Superintendent.....	\$1,200 00			
Two clerks, six hundred (600) dollars each.....	1200 00			
Engineer	780 00			
Assistant engineer..	600 00			
Janitor.....	720 00			
Doorkeeper.....	540 00			
Two guards at seven hundred and twenty (720) dollars each	1,440 00			
Five guards, at six hundred (600) dollars each.....	3,000 00			
Housekeeper.....	480 00			
Four Maids, at four hundred (400) dollars each.....	1,600 00			
Cook.....	360 00			
Kitchen maid.....	240 00			
	14,160 00	13,587 28	\$572 72	
34. Salaries:				
Board of Registration Commissioners.....	12,000 00	11,925 00	75 00	
35. Election Division				
Registrars..	\$192,000 00			
Transferred from, by ord. Nov. 6, 1911.....	84,450 00			
	107,550 00	107,550 00		
36. For rent of division houses, used by registrars.....	\$24,000 00			
Transferred from, by ord Nov. 6, 1911.....	6,045 00			
	17,955 00	17,955 00		
37. Clerk hire, Board Registration Commissioners:				
Chief Clerk.....	\$2,000 00			
Clerk.....	1,200 00			
Clerk.....	939 00			
Clerk.....	845 00			
Extra clerk hire....	1,755 00			
	\$6,739 00			
Tranferred to, Nov. 6, 1911.....	2,506 00			
	9,245 00	8,236 66	1,008 34	

Table H—Continued.

Department of City Commissioners.

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter- signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.
Items.				
38. For printing, supplies and miscellaneous expenses of Board of Registration Commissioners and bills 1910..... \$20,000 00				
Transferred to, Nov. 6, 1911..... 1,000 00				
	\$21,000 00	\$20,509 86	\$490 14	
39. To pay for the maintenance and instruction of children committed from Philadelphia County to industrial schools and institutions..... \$2,500 00				
Appropriation Oct. 3, 1911..... 1,000 00				
Transferred to, by ord. Nov. 6, 1911.... 5,000 00				
	8,500 00	8,499 20	80	
40. To pay thirteen (13) official stenographers for the courts at \$2,500.00 each.....	\$2,500 00	29,999 76	2,500 24	
41. For expenses, primary elections during 1911.....	125,000 00	95,287 88	29,712 12	
42. For the support and maintenance, incidental and other expenses of the Old Guard of Philadelphia, Pa.	500 00	500 00		
43. Salaries and expenses of probation officers.....	18,420 00	18,298 31	121 69	
44. Salaries and expenses of probation officer for paroled prisoners.....	1,000 00	993 25	1 75	
45. Expenses of Board of Visitation of organizations to which have been committed dependent, neglected or delinquent children.....	500 00		500 00	
45 new. To pay salaries of the Board of Viewers and clerical assistants to said Board and for incidental expenses	12,674 70	10,118 76		\$2,555 94
46. The City Commissioners are hereby authorized and directed to prepare and distribute the necessary ballots, ballot boxes and other articles, and to take such other action as may be required for the holding of such election as provided				

Table H—Continued.

Department of City Commissioners.

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
em 46—Continued.					
for in the laws of the State of Pennsylvania governing the increase of indebtedness of municipalities and the holding of elections therefor. Total of ordinance \$11,500,000, ord. app'd April 21, 1911.....	\$85,000 00	\$84,266 50	\$783 50		
To pay claims heretofore performed or purchased, ord. app'd March 3, 1911, as per names and amounts in ordinance..... \$46,802 42					
Transferred from, ord. app'd May 15, 1911..... 32,837 75	13,964 66	13,964 66			
From books 1910:					
b. \$5,000,000 Loan. Pay Jurors.	23,345 00	23 345 00			
b. \$5,000,000 Loan. Pay Road Jurors. \$19,216 00					
Transferred from July 6, 1911..... 10,000 00	9,216 00	2,516 00			\$6,700 00
b. \$5,000,000 Loan. Pay Witness fees.....	855 00	855 00			
b. \$5,000,000 Loan. Meals for Jurors.....	757 00				757 00
b. \$5,000,000 Loan..... \$2,875 97					
Transferred from July 6, 1911..... 2,875 97					
b. \$5,000,000 Loan. Pay of officers of Election.....	385 00				385 00
b. \$5,000,000. Stationery, etc...	171 77				171 77
b. \$5,000,000 Loan. Rent rooms for Election.....	275 00				275 00
b. \$5,000,000 Loan. Penna. Society and Women's Penna. Society, Cruelty to Animals..... \$37 50					
Transfer from, by ord April 6, 1911.. 37 50					

Table H—Continued.

Department of City Commissioners.

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
Items.					
33b. \$5,000,000 Loan. For maintenance of the House of Detention..... \$166 67 Transfer from, by ord. July 6, 1911... 166 67					
35b. \$5,000,000 Loan. For pay of Election Division Registrars.....	\$1,920 00				\$1,920
36b. \$5,000,000 Loan. For rent of Division Houses.....	140 00				140
38b. \$5,000,000 for Printing and Supplies, miscellaneous expenses of the Board of Registration..... \$2,951 49 Transfer from, by ord. July 6, 1911.... 2,951 49					
39b. \$5,000,000 Loan. Maintenance and instruction of children committed from Philadelphia county to Industrial schools.....	1,272 89	\$1,272 89			
33a. \$10,000,000 Loan. To pay bills, House of Detention.....	2,697 26	2,676 42			20 8
44. 1908. \$10,000,000 Loan of April 15, 1908..... \$14,668 88 Transfer by ord. June 20, 1911, to Item 33½ for maintenance of House of Detention..... 6,000 00					
	8,668 88	2,514 75			6,154
30½. \$3,500,000 Loan for conveying Prisoners to House of Refuge..... \$83 85 Transfer from, by ord. April 6, 1911... 83 85					
39a. Maintenance of Children in Industrial schools..... \$2 05 Transfer from, by ord. April 4, 1911... 2 05					
33½. \$10,000,000 Loan. Maintenance of House of Detention..... 6,000 00 Subject to transfer by Councils. Item 33a of \$10,000,000 Loan..... \$20 84* Item 33½ \$10,000,000 Loan..... 4 89* \$25 78		5,995 11			4
Totals.....	\$1,570,332 16	\$1,484,767 48	\$57,876 24	\$11,149 81	\$16,528

Table H—Continued.

Department of Public Health and Charities
(Director's Office).

General Appropriation.	Amount appro- priated.	Amount counter- signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of Public Health and Charities, for the year 1911.					
S. 1. The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do. ordain, That the sum of eight hundred and thirty-five thousand four hundred and ninety (\$35,490) dollars be, and the same be hereby appropriated to the Department of Public Health and Charities, for the year 1911, as follows:					
C. The amount appropriated to this Department, the sum of sixty thousand five hundred and eighty (\$60,580) dollars is for the expenses of the Director's Office,					
as follows -----	\$60,580 00				
From the books of 1910, Regular appropriation-----	691 08				
From the books of 1910, Part of the \$5,000,000 Loan, July 14, 1910-----	4,748 29				
Additional appropriation, Ord. app'd Mar. 30, 1911-----	1,236 32				
Additional appropriation, Ord. app'd June 14, 1911-----	2,500 00				
Additional appropriation, Ord. app'd June 24, 1911-----	2,860 00				
Additional appropriation, Ord. app'd Oct. 3, 1911-----	1,500 00				
	\$74,115 69				
Transferred to, ord. app'd Nov. 22, 1911-----	14,000 00				
Transferred to, ord. app'd Dec. 29, 1911-----	1,041 12				
	\$89,156 81				
Transferred from, ord. app'd April 6, 1911-----	79 00				
	\$89,077 72				
Transferred from, ord. app'd Dec. 29, 1911-----	1,400 00				
	\$87,677 72				
In.					
For salaries.					
Director -----	\$10,000 00				
Provided, That the Director shall give his entire time and undivided attention to the duties of his office.					
Assistant director----	4,000 00				
Chief clerk -----	2,500 00				

Table H—Continued.

Department of Public Health and Charities
(Director's Office.)

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
Item 1—Continued.					
Clerk -----	\$1,800 00				
Confidential clerk and stenographer -----	1,200 00				
Assistant clerk -----	1,000 00				
Support clerk -----	1,650 00				
Special agent -----	1,200 00				
Miscellaneous clerk -----	800 00				
Stenographer and typewriter -----	720 00				
Children's agent -----	1,350 00				
Messenger and janitor -----	800 00				
Cleaner -----	360 00				
Additional appropriation to provide for a stenographer at the rate of seven hundred and twenty (720) dollars per annum, from July 1, 1911, ord. app'd June 24, 1911-----	360 00				
	\$27,740 00	\$27,513 56	\$226 41		
1½. To pay bills contracted previous to Jan. 1, 1910. Brought from books of 1910 -----		66 08	33 00	33 08	
2. For postage, car fare, incidental expenses, including maintenance of automobiles. Provided, That the City Controller may countersign warrants not to exceed, for the year 1910, one hundred (100) dollars-----	\$2,500 00				
Additional appropriation, ord. app'd Oct. 3, 1911-----	1,500 00				
Transferred to, ord. app'd Dec. 29, 1911-----	1,041 12	5,041 12	4,724 53	316 59	
2b. For same purposes as Item 2. Brought from books of 1910, out of \$5,000,000 loan of July 14, 1910-----	\$79 09				
Transferred from, ord. app'd April 6, 1911-----	79 09				
2½. To pay deficiency bills, ord. app'd March 30, 1911-----		1,236 32	1,229 57	6 75	
3. For the support of feeble-minded children at Pennsylvania School for Feeble-minded Children at Elwyn, Pa., or elsewhere -----		16,000 00	16,000 00		

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*Department of Public Health and Charities
(Director's Office.)*

General Appropriation.	Amount appro- priated.	Amount counter- signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
ns.					
For same purpose as Item 3. Additional appropriation, ord. app'd Nov. 22, 1911, out of \$3,500,000 loan of Oct. 17, 1908.	\$7,500 00	\$6,126 96	-----	-----	\$1,373 04
For same purpose as Item 3. Brought from books of 1910, out of loan of July 14, 1910.-----	3,098 92	3,093 92			
For maintenance of children in various homes, as directed by Act of Assembly ap- proved June 13, 1883 \$10,000 00 Transferred to, ord. app'd Nov. 22, 1911 5,727 90	15,727 90	14,119 96	\$1,607 94		
2. For maintenance of children in various homes. Transferred to, out of \$3,500,000 loan, Oct. 17, 1908, ord. app'd Nov. 22, 1911.-----	772 10	-----	-----	-----	\$772 10
For same purposes as Item 4, out of loan of July 14, 1910. Brought forward from books of 1910 -----	1,570 28	1,570 28			
For maintaining and educating two deaf mutes in Deaf and Dumb Asylum in this City-----	600 00	600 00			
For travelling expenses of chil- dren's agent -----	500 00	134 61	365 39		
For issuing processes and re- moval of non-residents -----	100 00	60 51	39 49		
For temporary provision for homeless persons -----	1,000 00	999 96	04		
For maintaining at Home for Aged Veterans and Wives, at Sixty-fifth and Vine streets, veterans of the War of the Rebellion, and wives who are now or may be in the Home for the Indigent. The said amount to be paid quarterly ----- \$2,500 00 Brought from books of 1910, non-merger 625 00	3,125 00	2,500 00	625 00		
For the City's proportion of the cost of the Mill's Show. And the Director of the Department is hereby authorized to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant to the					

Table H—Continued.

Department of Public Health and Charities
(Director's Office.)

General Appropriation.	Amount appro- priated.	Amount counter- signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging
order of E. T. Stotesbury, treasurer, for that amount, ord. app'd June 14, 1911-----	\$2,500 00	\$2,500 00			
11. For the establishment of a sys- tem of boarding out found- lings, ord. app'd June 24, 1911----- \$2,500 00					
Transferred from, ord. app'd Dec. 29, 1911 ----- 1,400 00	1,100 00			\$1,100 00	
Totals-----	\$87,677 72	\$81,211 86	\$3,220 72	\$1,100 00	\$2,145

Table H—Continued.

Department of Health and Charities (Bureau of Health).

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter- signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of Public Health and Charities (Bureau of Health), for the year 1911, approved Dec. 31, 1910-----	\$324,660 00				
Bought from books of 1910:					
Ln of May 18, 1904-----	49 24				
Ln of Oct. 17, 1908-----	42,790 48				
Ln of July 1, 1909-----	5,000 00				
Ln of July 14, 1910-----	5,135 73				
	\$377,635 45				
Additional appropriation, ord. app'd March 10, 1911-----	1,283 33				
Appropriation, ordinance app'd March 30, 1911----	5,496 40				
	\$384,415 18				
Transferred from, ord. app'd April 6, 1911-----	69 43				
	\$384,345 75				
Additional appropriation, ord. app'd April 21, 1911-----	6,600 00				
Additional appropriation, ord. app'd June 14, 1911-----	25,000 00				
	\$415,945 75				
Transferred from, ord. app'd June 20, 1911-----	5,000 00				
	\$410,945 75				
Additional appropriation, ord. app'd June 21, 1911-----	291 66				
Additional appropriation, ord. app'd June 24, 1911-----	5,360 00				
Additional appropriation, ord. app'd July 19, 1911	2,250 00				
Appropriation out of \$750,000 loan, ord. app'd July 21, 1911-----	150,000 00				
Additional appropriation, ord. app'd July 19, 1911	500 00				
Additional appropriation, ord. app'd Oct. 2, 1911	9,000 00				
Appropriation out of temporary loan, ord. app'd Nov. 9, 1911-----	8,000 00				
Additional appropriation out of temporary loan, ord. app'd Nov. 22, 1911	1,926 56				
Transferred to, ord. app'd Nov. 22, 1911-----	300 00				
	\$588,573 97				

Table H—Continued.

Department of Public Health and Charities
(Bureau of Health).

General Appropriation.	Amount appro- priated.	Amount counter- signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
Transferred from, ord. app'd Dec. 1, 1911-----	\$500 00				
	\$588,073 97				
Transferred to, ord. app'd Dec. 29, 1911-----	50 00				
	\$588,123 97				
Item.					
1. For salaries.					
Chief of Bureau-----	\$4,000 00				
Provided, That the Chief shall give his entire time and un- divided attention to the duties of his office.					
Stenographer and typewriter -----	1,000 00				
Health officer (Act of Assembly) -----	2,100 00				
Chief clerk -----	2,000 00				
First assistant clerk--	1,500 00				
Assistant clerk -----	1,200 00				
Permit clerk -----	1,200 00				
Eleven assistant clerks (\$1,000 each)-----	11,000 00				
Chief, Division of Vi- tal Statistics -----	1,750 00				
Nine registration clerks and two col- lectors of vital sta- tistics (\$1,000 each)--	11,000 00				
Messenger -----	800 00				
Chief Medical Inspec- tor, including car- riage hire -----	3,500 00				
Chief, Division School Medical Inspection--	2,400 00				
Supervising nurse----	1,200 00				
Eight visiting nurses (\$900 each) -----	7,200 00				
Clerk to Chief Medical Inspector -----	1,500 00				
Assistant clerk to Chief Medical In- spector -----	1,200 00				
Stenographer and typewriter for same	900 00				
Fifty assistant med- ical inspectors, at least ten of whom shall be physicians of the Homeopathic school of practice (\$1,400 each) -----	70,000 00				
Provided, however, That when no Ho- meopathic physician can be secured in					

Table H—Continued.

Department of Public Health and Charities
(Bureau of Health).

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
Continued.					
any ward, the Director shall be authorized to appoint an Allopathic physician.					
agnostician and consultant -----	\$2,500 00				
Assistant diagnostician and consultant -----	2,000 00				
Ophthalmologist -----	2,000 00				
Chief inspector of nuisances, including carriage hire -----	1,900 00				
Assistant to chief inspector of nuisances -----	1,500 00				
Clerk to chief inspector of nuisances -----	1,000 00				
Twenty-seven assistant inspectors of nuisances (\$1,100 each) -----	29,700 00				
Two inspectors of privy cleaning (\$1,000 each) -----	2,000 00				
Chief clerk to health officer (fixed by Act of Assembly) -----	1,200 00				
Assistant to chief clerk to health officer (fixed by Act of Assembly) -----	900 00				
Three house cleaners (\$360 each) -----	1,080 00				
Chief disinfecter, including carriage hire -----	1,400 00				
Ten assistant disinfectors (\$1,000 each) -----	10,000 00				
Chief inspector of milk, including carriage hire -----	1,900 00				
Sixteen assistant inspectors of milk, including car fare (\$1,020 each) -----	16,320 00				
Chemist -----	2,000 00				
Chief inspector of house drainage, including carriage hire -----	2,400 00				
Fourteen assistant inspectors of house drainage (\$1,300 ea.) -----	18,200 00				
Clerk, drainage division -----	1,300 00				
Hostler, antitoxin -----					
Stable -----	900 00				
Assistant hostler -----	720 00				
Chief meat and cattle inspector -----	1,350 00				
Even assistant meat and cattle inspectors (\$1,000 each) -----	7,000 00				

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Department of Public Health and Charities
(*Bureau of Health.*)

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter- signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loan not merging.
Item 1—Continued.					
TENEMENT HOUSE DIVISION.					
Chief inspector, in- cluding carriage hire	\$2,400 00				
Five assistant in- spectors (\$1,200 ea.)	6,000 00				
Clerk -----	1,000 00				
Stenographer and typewriter -----	720 00				
Clerk and stenogra- pher -----	600 00				
DIVISION OF BACTERIOLOGY.					
Chief bacteriologist---	2,000 00				
First assistant-----	2,000 00				
Second assistant-----	1,200 00				
Third assistant-----	900 00				
Fourth assistant-----	800 00				
Helper -----	600 00				
Helper -----	480 00				
Cleaner -----	240 00				
PHILADELPHIA HOSPITAL FOR CONTAGIOUS DISEASES.					
Chief resident physi- cian -----	2,500 00				
First assistant -----	900 00				
Two assistants (\$800 each) -----	1,600 00				
Uniforms for resident physicians (\$100 each) -----	400 00				
Superintendent -----	2,000 00				
Chief engineer -----	1,800 00				
Three head nurses (\$600 each)-----	1,800 00				
Three housekeepers (\$480 each) -----	1,440 00				
Druggist -----	600 00				
	\$266,700 00				
Additional appropria- tion, ord. app'd March 14, 1911, to provide for an addi- tional medical in- spector, at the rate of \$1,400 per an- num, from Feb. 1, 1911	1,283 33				
Additional appropria- tion, ord. app'd June 4, 1911, so that the salary of the					

Table H—Continued.

Department of Public Health and Charities
(Bureau of Health.)

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter- signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
Continued.					
Chief medical in- spector shall be at the rate of \$4,000 per annum from June 1, 1911-----	\$291 66				
Additional appropria- tion, ord. app'd June 24, 1911, so as to provide for a stenographer and typewriter in the division of House drainage, at the rate of \$720 per an- num, from July 1, 1911-----	360 00				
Additional appropria- tion, ord. app'd July 19, 1911, to provide for a record clerk, at the rate of \$1,000 per annum, from July 19, 1911--	500 00				
	\$269,131 99				
Transferred from, ord. app'd Nov. 6, 1911-----	1,000 00				
	\$268,131 99				
Transferred from, ord. app'd Nov. 22, 1911-----	1,550 00				
	\$266,581 99				
Transferred from, ord. app'd Dec. 29, 1911-----	500 00				
	\$266,084 99	\$265,701 50	\$383 49		
For pay of cooks, nurses, farm- ers, gardeners, drivers of am- bulances, chauffeurs, engineers, firemen, painters, mechanics, assistant clerks, stenographers, electrical wiremen, disinfectors, hostlers and miscellaneous helpers and laborers at Phila- delphia Hospital for Contagious Diseases \$30,000 00					
Additional appropria- tion, ord. app'd June 14, 1911-----	20,000 00				
Additional appropria- tion, ord. app'd Oct. 3, 1911-----	9,000 00				
Appropriated out of temporary loan, ord. app'd Nov. 9, 1911-----	8,000 00				
	67,000 00	66,806 40	193 60		

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Department of Public Health and Charities
(Bureau of Health.)

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter- signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loa no merg'
Item.					
2½ of 1910. For same purpose as Item 2. Loan of Oct. 17, 1908, trans- ferred to, ord. app'd Dec. 29, 1910.					
Brought from books of 1910-----	\$19 42				
Transferred from, ord. app'd April 6, 1911-----	19 42				
2½. Appropriation, ord. app'd March 30, 1911, to pay claim against the City for work and labor heretofore done and ma- terials heretofore furnished----	\$5,496 40	\$5,484 90	\$11 50		
3. For postage and incl- dental expenses-----	\$1,000 00				
Transferred to, ord. app'd Nov. 6, 1911--	1,000 00				
Additional appropria- tion, ord. app'd Nov. 22, 1911-----	14 47				
Transferred to, ord. app'd Nov. 22, 1911	500 00				
	\$2,514 47				
Transferred from, ord. app'd Dec. 1, 1911-----	500 00				
	\$2,014 47				
Transferred to, ord. app'd Dec. 29, 1911--	500 00				
	2,514 47	2,463 59	45 88		
3b. For same purpose as Item 3. Loan of July 14, 1910, appropri- ated, ord. app'd July 29, 1910. Brought from books of 1910----	436 67	436 58			
4. For repairs to buildings, roads, grounds and machinery, Phila- delphia Hospital for Conta- gious Diseases-----	1,000 00	549 26	450 74		
5. For repairs to ambulances, wag- ons, harness and horseshoeing for Philadelphia Hospital for Contagious Diseases and Divi- sion of Disinfection \$1,500 00					
Additional appropria- tion, ord. app'd April 2, 1911, to pay bills for work al- ready performed and materials fur- nished-----	1,398 49				
Transferred to, ord. app'd Nov. 22, 1911	1,000 00				
	4,393 49	9,397 80	69		

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Department of Public Health and Charities
(Bureau of Health.)

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
For same purposes as Item 5. appropriated, ord. app'd July 29, 1910, out of loan of July 14, 1910. Brought from books of 1910-----		\$643 08	\$642 91	-----	\$0 17
For the abatement of nuisances ----- \$5,000 00 Provided, That no salaries or wages be paid out of this item. Additional appropriation, ord. app'd July 19, 1911----- 2,250 00		7,250 00	5,585 23	\$1,499 65	\$165 12
For same purposes as Item 6. appropriated, ord. app'd July 29, 1910, out of loan of July 14, 1910----- \$0 77 Transferred from, ord. app'd March 6, 1910 ----- 77					
For special sanitary inspection and general expenses necessary for the protection of the public health----- \$3,000 00 Additional appropriation, ord. app'd April 21, 1911----- 1,400 00 Transferred to, ord. app'd Dec. 29, 1911, to pay bills of Department of Health, New York City, for hydrophobia serum purchased in 1909----- 50 00		4,450 00	3,804 61	645 39	
For gas for fuel, Philadelphia Hospital for Contagious Diseases----- \$1,000 00 Transferred to, ord. app'd Nov. 22, 1911 200 00		1,200 00	1,044 60	155 40	
For eye glasses and supplies for children -----		1,000 00	1,000 00		
For same purposes as Item 9. appropriation, ord. app'd July 29, 1910, out of loan of July 14, 1910. Brought from books of 1910-----		800 88	366 95	-----	433 93

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Department of Public Health and Charities
(Bureau of Health.)

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter- signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loa no mergi
Item.					
10. For dentistry for school children, including equipment, care and maintenance of dental clinic -----	\$2,800 00	\$2,557 31	\$242 69		
10½. An Ordinance to make an appropriation out of loan of May 18, 1904, for the erection of hospital buildings for contagious diseases, approved June 29, 1904.					
Brought from books of 1910 -----	\$49 24				
Transferred from, ord. app'd April 6, 1911 -----	49 24				
11. For drugs, medicines, surgical instruments and supplies for Philadelphia Hospital for Contagious Diseases ---	\$2,000 00				
Transferred to, ord. app'd Nov. 22, 1911 -----	1,000 00				
	3,000 00	2,939 21	60 79		
12. For postage for Division of Tenement House Inspection-----	300 00	300 00			
13. For maintenance of automobiles -----	\$1,500 00				
Additional appropriation, ord. app'd April 21, 1911-----	200 00				
	1,700 00	1,591 69	108 91		
13½. For labor, materials, furniture, fixtures, supplies, automobile ambulances, sewage disposal plant, purchasing and planting of trees, shrubs, plants and seeds; for the construction of roads and walks; for the laying out and maintenance of the grounds, and for the purchase of the necessary appliances therefor, New Municipal Hospital. Appropriation ordinance, out of loan of Oct. 17, 1908, approved Nov. 21, 1908.					
Brought from books of 1910-----	42,771 06	10,761 92			\$32,009 14
14. For uniforms for inspectors (\$40 each)---	\$3,360 00				
Additional appropriation, ord. app'd Nov. 22, 1911, to pay Jos. N. Snellenburg for uniforms furnished in 1910----	13 60				
	\$3,373 60				

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Department of Public Health and Charities
(Bureau of Health).

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
14—Continued.					
Transferred from, ord. app'd Nov. 22, 1911 -----	1,450 00				
	\$1,923 60	\$1,830 35	\$43 25		
For labor, appropriated out of loan of July 1, 1909, for \$5,739,700, ord. app'd Nov. 30, 1909.					
Bought from books of 1910-----	5,000 00	91 61	-----	-----	\$4,908 39
For construction, equipment and maintenance of antitoxin laboratory at Holmesburg -----	\$2,500 00				
Transferred to, ord. app'd Nov. 22, 1911 -----	400 00				
	2,900 00	2,899 71	29		
For same purposes as Item 15, appropriated out of loan of July 14, 1910, ord. app'd July 29, 1910.					
Bought from books of 1910-----	3,254 33	3,235 00	-----	-----	19 33
For equipment and maintenance of chemical and bacteriological laboratory -----	\$2,000 00				
Transferred to, ord. app'd Nov. 22, 1911 -----	200 00				
	2,200 00	2,200 00			
For the cleaning out of Cobbs creek, from Woodland avenue to Baltimore avenue.					
Additional appropriation, ord. app'd April 21, 1911 -----	\$5,000 00				
Transferred from, ord. app'd June 20, 1911 -----	5,000 00				
For the relief of children in the congested sections during the heated term.					
Additional appropriation, ord. app'd June 14, 1911-----	5,000 00	4,073 69	926 31		
For the purchase of ice for distribution among the poor during the summer months.					
Additional appropriation, ord. app'd June 24, 1911-----	5,000 00	-----	5,000 00		
For the erection of buildings for the treatment of contagious diseases.					
Appropriation out of the loan of June 19, 1911, ord. app'd July 21, 1911-----	150,000 00	1,476 65	-----	-----	148,523 35
Totals-----	\$588,123 97	\$392,295 87	\$9,768 58	\$165 12	\$185,894 40

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Department of Public Health and Charities.
(Bureau of Charities).

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans merging.
Of the amount appropriated to this Department the sum of four hundred and fifty thousand two hundred and fifty (450,250) dollars is for the expenses of the Bureau of Charities, as follows:					
Provided, That all chiefs of bureaus and other employees now or hereafter employed shall be citizens of the United States and bona-fide residents of this City at least one year prior to their employment, and shall remain bona-fide residents during such employment.					
Provided further, That the Director shall be allowed, when it is in his judgment to the best interests of the City, to contract, without advertising, bills for the various bureaus, not exceeding one hundred (100) dollars each.					
Provided, also, That the Department of Public Health and Charities, in the selection of their employees, are directed to prefer in their appointments honorably discharged soldiers and sailors.					
Warrants shall be drawn on the Department of Public Health and Charities in conformity with existing ordinances.					
All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith be, and the same are hereby repealed -----	\$450,250 00				
Brought from books of 1910, regular appropriation -----	8,190 50				
Brought from books of 1910, from loans of June 17, 1898, and May 18, 1904 -----	675,991 67				
July 1, 1909 -----	3,634 99				
July 14, 1910 -----	4,608 67				
Additional appropriation, ord. app'd March 30, 1911 -----	15,195 87				
Additional appropriation, ord. app'd April 21, 1911 -----	2,162 31				
Transferred to, ord. app'd May 2, 1911 -----	2,000 00				
Additional appropriation, ord. app'd June 24, 1911 -----	3,525 00				
Transferred to, ord. app'd July 6, 1911 -----	1,800 00				
Additional appropriation, ord. app'd July 19, 1911 -----	6,159 00				

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Department of Public Health and Charities
(Bureau of Charities.)

General Appropriation.	Amount appro- priated.	Amount counter- signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
ional appropriation, of \$9,750,000 loan, ord. app'd July 21, 1911	\$250,000 00				
ional appropriation, ord. app'd July 19, 1911	31,702 41				
ional appropriation, ord. app'd June 14, 1911	15,000 00				
ional appropriation, ord. app'd Oct. 3, 1911	16,500 00				
ional appropriation, of the temporary loan, ord. app'd Nov. 9, 1911	33,500 00				
ional appropriation, balance from temporary loan, ord. app'd Nov. 22, 1911	7,337 36				
referred to, ord. and Dec. 1, 1911	500 00				
referred to, ord. and Nov. 22, 1911	9,819 19				
referred to, ord. and Dec. 29, 1911	808 88				
	\$1,538,685 76				
referred from, ord. and April 6, 1911	124 38				
	\$1,538,561 38				
referred from, ord. and May 2, 1911	2,000 00				
	\$1,536,561 38				
referred from, ord. and July 6, 1911	1,800 000				
	\$1,534,761 38				
referred from, ord. and Nov. 22, 1911	8,500 00				
	\$1,526,261 38				
referred from, ord. and Dec. 29, 1911	500 00				
	\$1,525,761 38				
HOUSE GENERALLY.					
for salaries.					
superintendent	\$3,000 00				
chief clerk	1,600 00				
four miscellaneous clerks (\$800 each)	3,200 00				
night clerk	500 00				
house agent	1,400 00				
house agent's clerk	800 00				
stenographer and typewriter	720 00				
apothecary	1,200 00				
first assistant apoth- ecary	700 00				

Table H—Continued.

Department of Public Health and Charities
(Bureau of Charities.)

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loan merging.
Item 1—Continued.					
Second ass't apothecary -----	\$600 00				
Third assistant apothecary -----	500 00				
Storekeeper -----	1,400 00				
Storekeeper's clerk-----	1,000 00				
Assistant storekeeper's clerk -----	850 00				
Bookkeeper -----	450 00				
Foreman, yard gang-----	300 00				
Overseer of buildings and grounds -----	1,200 00				
Captain of hall-----	600 00				
Doorkeeper -----	600 00				
Watchman -----	600 00				
Special officer-----	1,000 00				
Foreman of stables---	800 00				
Four ambulance drivers (\$720 each)-----	2,880 00				
Two chauffeurs (\$900 each) -----	1,800 00				
Bookkeeper in manufacturing dep't ----	1,000 00				
Chief engineer and electrician -----	1,500 00				
Five engineers (\$1,000 each) -----	5,000 00				
Four firemen (\$480 each) -----	1,920 00				
Foreman of carpenters -----	1,000 00				
Foreman of plumbers -----	1,000 00				
Foreman of painters-----	1,000 00				
Foreman of tinshop---	1,000 00				
Clerk and foreman of printers -----	1,000 00				
Foreman of steam fitters -----	800 00				
Foreman of bakers---	800 00				
Gardener -----	500 00				
Housekeeper -----	600 00				
Two cooks (\$720 each) -----	1,440 00				
Three assistant cooks (\$420 each) -----	1,260 00				
Manager of laundry---	1,200 00				
Four machine laundrymen -----	1,680 00				
Four forewomen of laundry -----	1,056 00				
Six laundresses -----	1,400 00				
Two porters -----	600 00				
Farmer, house and found -----	1,200 00				
Two assistant farmers (\$720 each)-----	1,440 00				
	\$56,126 00				
Transferred from, ord. app'd Nov. 22, 1911 -----	2,000 00				
		\$54,126 00	\$53,306 98	\$819 02	

Table H—Continued.

Department of Public Health and Charities
(Bureau of Charities.)

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
ages on pay roll. Pay roll on this item to be paid on one warrant, provided that said employees shall give a warrant of attorney as approved by the City Controller:					
Doorkeeper's clerk (\$25 per month) -----	\$300 00				
Doorkeeper's clerk (\$15 per month) -----	180 00				
Four messengers (\$360 each) -----	1,440 00				
Assistant doorkeeper -----	300 00				
Three assistant watchmen (\$400 each) -----	1,200 00				
Four bakers (\$624 ea.) -----	2,496 00				
Cook (\$25 per mo.) -----	300 00				
Cook (\$20 per month) -----	240 00				
Head waitress (\$16 per month) -----	192 00				
Four waitresses (\$14 per month) -----	672 00				
Laundress (\$25 per month) -----	300 00				
Two laundresses (\$16 per month each) -----	384 00				
Two laundresses (\$15 per month each) -----	360 00				
Chambermaid (\$18 per month) -----	216 00				
Night gatekeepers (\$9 per month each) -----	864 00				
Box runners (\$10 per month each) -----	720 00				
Seven helpers (\$12 per month each) -----	1,008 00				
Five helpers (\$10 per month each) -----	720 00				
Shoe repairer (\$18 per month) -----	216 00				
Four barbers (\$18 per month each) -----	864 00				
Three runners (\$15 per month each) -----	540 00				
Truantsman -----	300 00				
	\$13,812 00				
Transferred from, ord. app'd Nov. 22, 1911 -----	1,000 00				
		\$12,812 00	\$12,533 68	\$278 32	
24. To pay claims for work performed or materials furnished to Bureau of Charities, ord. app'd March 30, 1911 -----		15,195 87	15,195 87		
3. ages on petty pay roll. Pay roll on this item to be paid on one warrant, provided said employees shall give a warrant of attorney as approved by the City Controller -----	\$13,000 00				

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(Bureau of Charities.)

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loan not merged.
Item 3—Continued.					
Transferred from, ord. app'd Nov. 22, 1911 -----	\$300 00				
	\$12,700 00	\$12,610 76	\$89 24		
4. For burial cases-----	500 00	114 50	385 50		
5. For travelling expenses of house agent, support of residents in other institutions and removal of non-residents -----	400 00	311 72	88 28		
6. For roasting coffee--- \$400 00					
Transferred to, ord. app'd Nov. 22, 1911 -----	100 00				
	500 00	483 22	16 78		
6b. For roasting coffee. Brought from books of 1910, out of loan of July 14, 1910-----	\$41 37				
Transferred from, ord. app'd April 6, 1911 -----	41 37				
7. For gas for fuel-----	1,500 00	1,500 00			
7b. Same purpose as Item 7. Brought from books of 1910, out of loan of July 14, 1910-----	1,258 50	472 30			\$78 0
8. For repairs to harness, automob- iles and wagons, horseshoe- ing, miscellaneous supplies and incidentals: Provided, That the City Controller shall counter- sign warrants upon this item upon the approval of the Su- perintendent's bills by the Di- rector of the Department of Public Health and Charities with- out advertising-----	\$1,000 00				
Additional appropria- tion, ord. app'd Nov. 22, 1911-----	3,370 48				
Transferred to, ord. app'd Nov. 22, 1911 -----	1,000 00				
	5,370 48	5,366 22	4 26		
9. For postage, car fare and incidentals -----	\$1,000 00				
Additional appropria- tion, ord. app'd Nov. 22, 1911-----	1,131 49				
Additional appropria- tion, ord. app'd Dec. 1, 1911-----	500 00				
Transferred to, ord. app'd Nov. 24, 1911 -----	19 10				

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Department of Public Health and Charities
(Bureau of Charities).

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
ter 9—Continued. ransferred to, ord. app'd Dec. 29, 1911 \$500 00 ransferred to, ord. app'd Dec. 29, 1911 308 88					
	\$3,459 47	\$3,434 41	\$25 06		
9b For same purposes as Item 9. nt of the loan of July 14, 1910. ought from books of 1910 ----- \$18 00 ransferred from, ord. app'd April 6, 1911 ----- 18 00					
0. or ice making.-----	300 00	296 27	3 73		
1. or labor on repairs to build- ings, roads and grounds, plumbing, gas and steam fit- ting. rovided, That wages only shall be paid out of this item. ay roll on this item be paid on one warrant, provided said employees shall give a warrant of attorney as approved by the City Controller ---- \$75,000 00 ditional appropriation, ord. app'd June 14, 1911----- 10,000 00 ditional appropriation, ord. app'd July 19, 1911----- 1,729 06 ditional appropriation, ord. app'd Oct. 3, 1911----- 6,500 00 ditional appropriation, ion, temporary loan, ord. app'd Nov. 9, 1911----- 13,500 00					
	\$106,729 06				
ransferred from, ord. app'd Dec. 29, 1911 ----- 500 00					
	106,229 06	90,435 85	15,793 21		
INDIGENT DEPARTMENT.					
or salaries. aptain of outwards. \$900 00 ning-room man ---- 420 00 itron ----- 480 00 y assistant ----- 216 00 sistant nurse ----- 300 00 ook and assistant book ----- 660 00 vo watchmen ----- 960 00					
	\$3,936 00				
ransferred from, ord. app'd Nov. 22, 1911 ----- 200 00					
	3,736 00	3,520 85	215 15		

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Department of Public Health and Charities
(Bureau of Charities).

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loan not merging.
Item.					
PHILADELPHIA GENERAL HOSPITAL.					
13. For salaries.					
Chief resident physician -----	\$4,000 00				
Assistant resident physician -----	1,200 00				
Assistant resident physician (house rent) -----	300 00				
Hospital clerk -----	700 00				
Secretary for medical staff -----	100 00				
Director Pathological and Bacteriological Laboratory -----	1,000 00				
Director Roentgen Laboratory -----	500 00				
Chief nurse -----	1,200 00				
Assistant chief nurse -----	750 00				
Housekeeper -----	600 00				
Head cook and two assistants -----	1,440 00				
Instructor of children -----	480 00				
	\$12,270 00	\$12,259 62	\$10 38		
14. For wages on pay roll.					
Pay roll on this item be drawn on one warrant, provided said employees shall give a warrant of attorney as approved by the City Controller.					
One hundred and twenty pupil nurses, \$9 per month each, and uniforms, \$30 each -----	\$16,560 00				
Twenty head nurses -----	9,500 00				
Three assistant female nurses, \$18 each -----	648 00				
Three assistant male nurses, \$18 each -----	648 00				
Assistant male nurse, \$10 -----	120 00				
Six stretcher bearers, \$9 each -----	648 00				
Twenty orderlies, \$18 each -----	4,320 00				
Twelve waitresses, \$13 each -----	1,872 00				
Twelve male cleaners, \$18 each -----	2,592 00				
Twelve female cleaners, \$12 each -----	1,728 00				
	\$38,636 00				
Additional appropriation, ord. app'd April 21, 1911 -----	2,162 31				
	\$40,798 31				

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Department of Public Health and Charities
(Bureau of Charities.)

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter- signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
14—Continued. Transferred from, ord. app'd Nov. 22, 1911 ----- \$3,000 00	\$37,798 31	\$36,842 55	\$955 76		
15 For maintaining and improving Pathological and Bacteriolo- gical Laboratories, Autopsy and Museum -----	500 00	302 44	197 56		
16 For maintaining Roentgen Ray Laboratory -----	500 00	480 19	19 81		
17 For 50 outdoor physicians—25 Allopathic and 25 Homeo- pathic, \$360 each-----	18,000 00	17,927 64	72 36		
Provided, That when no Homeo- pathic physician can be secured in any ward the Director may appoint an Allopath.					
18 For Gastrosopic Laboratory----	500 00	474 11	25 89		
19 For purchase of medicine and dietic food for the sick, to be distributed by the outdoor physicians. \$8,000 00 Transferred from, ord. app'd July 6, 1911 ----- 1,800 00	6,200 00	5,082 54	1,117 46		
20 For purchase of milk and ice for the sick.---- \$2000 00 Additional appropria- tion, ord. app'd June 24, 1911.----- 3,000 00	5,000 00	3,349 98	1,650 02		
20 Same purpose as Item 20. Brought from books of 1910, out of the loan of July 14, 1910 ----- \$2 56 Transferred from, ord. app'd April 6, 1911 ----- 2 56					
21 For binding and purchase of books for library.---- \$200 00 Provided, That the City Controller shall countersign war- rants upon this item upon the approval of the Superinten- dent's bills by the Director of the De- partment of Public Health and Char- ities without adver- tising. Transferred to, ord. app'd Nov. 22, 1911 100 00	300 00	284 95	15 05		

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Department of Public Health and Charities
(Bureau of Charities.)

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter- signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loan not mergi
Item.					
INSANE DEPARTMENT.					
22. For salaries.					
Chief resident physi- cian -----	\$2,500 00				
Two assistant physi- cians \$1,000 each----	2,000 00				
Two assistant physi- cians, \$800 each----	1,600 00				
Male supervisor -----	700 00				
Female supervisor-----	700 00				
Musical instructor----	420 00				
Teacher -----	300 00				
Housekeeper -----	600 00				
Cook -----	720 00				
Two assistant cooks, \$500 each -----	1,000 00				
Hospital clerk -----	500 00				
Two stenographers, \$600 each -----	1,200 00				
Instructor in massage -----	500 00				
	\$12,740 00	\$12,287 03	\$452 97		
23. For wages of attendants on pay roll.					
Wages on this item be drawn on one warrant, provided that said employees shall give a warrant of attorney as ap- proved by the City					
Controller -----	\$75,000 00				
Additional appropria- tion, ord. app'd					
June 14, 1911-----	5,000 00				
	\$80,000 00				
Additional appropria- tion, ord. app'd					
Oct. 3, 1911-----	10,000 00				
	\$90,000 00				
Additional appropria- tion, temporary loan, ord. app'd					
Nov. 9, 1911-----	17,000 00				
	107,000 00	100,002 55	6,997 45		
24. For purchase of music, musical instruments, repairs to same and hire of musi- cians -----	\$100 00				
Transferred to, ord. app'd Nov. 22, 1911	100 00				
	200 00	161 13	38 87		
25. For examination of insane cases -----	\$2,500 00				
Transferred to, ord. app'd Nov. 22, 1911	500 00				
	3,000 00	2,860 00	140 00		

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Department of Public Health and Charities.
(Bureau of Charities.)

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter- signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
6. For marketing ----- \$25,000 00 The City Controller shall countersign warrants upon the approval of the Superintendent's bills by the Director of the Department of Public Health and Charities, without advertising. transferred to, ord. app'd Nov. 22, 1911 3,500 00	\$28,500 00	\$28,410 92	\$89 08		
6b. For same purposes as Item 26. Bought from books of 1910, out of the loan of July 14, 1910 ----- \$0 60 transferred from, ord. app'd April 6, 1911 ----- 60					
7. For drugs, medicines, liquors and druggists' supplies ----- \$15,000 00 provided, That the City Controller shall countersign warrants upon the approval of the Superintendent's bills by the Director of the Department of Public Health and Charities, without advertising. transferred to, ord. app'd Nov. 22, 1911 1,000 00	16,000 00	15,555 75	444 25		
8. For surgical instruments, hospital supplies and repairs ----- \$5,000 00 provided, That the City Controller shall countersign warrants upon the approval of the Superintendent's bills by the Director of the Department of Public Health and Charities, without advertising. additional appropriation, ord. app'd Nov. 9, 1911 ----- 3,000 00 additional appropriation, ord. app'd Nov. 22, 1911 ----- 309 39	8,309 39	8,096 92	212 47		

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Department of Public Health and Charities
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General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
Item.					
28b. Same purpose as Item 28. Brought from books of 1910, out of the loan of July 14, 1910----	\$406 79	\$405 66	-----		*\$1
29. For maintenance of dental laboratory -----	500 00	466 12	\$33 88		
30. For improvement and equipments of toilets-----	2,500 00	2,109 90	390 10		
31. For removal of ashes-----	1,000 00	999 38	62		
31b. For same purpose as Item 31. Brought from books of 1910, out of the loan of July 14, 1910 ----- \$59 05 Transferred from, ord. app'd April 6, 1911 ----- 59 05					
32. For furniture, Philadelphia General Hospital -----	2,000 00	1,994 34	5 66		
32b. For furniture. Brought from books of 1910, out of the loan of July 14, 1910.	1,000 00	636 40	-----		36
33. For farming implements, cattle, seed, feed and miscellaneous farming supplies ----- \$6,000 00 Transferred to, ord. app'd July 6, 1911----- 1,800 00 Additional appropriation, ord. app'd July 15, 1911----- 6,000 00 Additional appropriation, ord. app'd Nov. 22, 1911----- 1,232 00 Transferred to, ord. app'd Nov. 22, 1911 3,500 00					
	18,532 00	15,846 40	2,685 51		
34. For improvements to roofs, including new spouting -----	500 00	491 44	8 56		
34b. Same purpose as Item 34. Brought from books of 1910, out of the loan of July 14, 1910----	319 90	209 10	-----		10
35. For sanitary flooring, Hospital Department -----	2,000 00	1,642 25	357 75		
35b. Same purpose as Item 35. Out of the loan of July 14, 1910. Brought from the books of 1910.	500 00	-----	-----		50
36. For preparing card index for Pathological Departments -----	500 00	468 96	31 04		

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General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
Itc.					
37. For improvement and equipment of laundry -----	\$2,000 00	\$1,351 69	\$11 16	\$637 15	
38. For course in diet cooking -----	300 00	224 00	76 00		
39. For salaries, Byberry:					
One assistant male physician -----	\$1,000 00				
Two special officers, \$800 each -----	1,600 00				
And uniforms, \$40 each -----	80 00				
One clerk (male) -----	800 00				
One cook -----	720 00				
One baker -----	500 00				
One engineer -----	600 00				
Four attendants, \$50 per month each -----	2,400 00				
Six attendants, \$40 per month each -----	2,880 00				
Twenty attendants, \$30 per month each -----	7,200 00				
Pay roll on this item be paid on one warrant, provided said employees shall give a warrant of attorney as approved by the City Controller.					
Additional appropriation to provide for salary of a chauffeur from June 1, 1911, ord. app'd June 24, 1911 -----	525 00				
An Ordinance to pay for the services of a chauffeur from May 19, 1911 to July 10, 1911, ord. app'd July 19, 1911 -----	159 00				
	\$18,464 00				
Transferred from, ord. app'd Nov. 22, 1911 -----	2,000 00				
	16,464 00	15,864 00	1,100 00		
30. For the erection of buildings for Home for Indigent. Brought from books of 1910, out of the \$11,200,000 loan of June 17, 1898, and the \$16,000,000 loan of May 18, 1904 -----	675,991 67	18,630 00			\$657,361 67
40. For maintenance and equipment of automobile trucks and ambulances -----	\$3,750 00				
Additional appropriation, ord. app'd July 19, 1911 -----	500 00				
	4,250 00	3,617 10	632 90		

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Department of Public Health and Charities
(Bureau of Charities.)

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter- signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
Item.					
40½. For purchase, maintenance and equipment of automobile, automobile trucks and ambulances -----	\$3,500 00	\$3,500 00			
40½b. Same purpose as Item 40½. Brought from books of 1910, out of the loan of July 14, 1910----	1,000 00	1,000 00			
41. For new boilers and repairs to old boilers -----	15,000 00	14,283 88	11 07	705 05	
42. For installing automatic fire alarms -----	500 00	500 00			
42a. For two new boilers, etc. Brought from books of 1910, out of the loan of July 1, 1909----	178 50	144 00	-----	-----	*\$34
43. For tents and equip- ment for insane----- \$2,000 00 Transferred from, ord. app'd May 2, 1911 ----- 2,000 00					
44. For fireproof stairways in Hos- pital Department -----	6,000 00	5,713 00	-----	287 00	
45. For alteration to internes' quar- ters, new furniture and plumb- ing -----	2,500 00	2,491 10	8 90		
45a. For installing incinerating plant. Brought from books of 1910, out of the loan of July 1, 1909----	1,159 05	250 00	-----	-----	909
46. For renovating tiling and equip- ment of operating and dressing rooms, insane department----	2,000 00	1,923 93	76 07		
46a. For enlargement and equipment of nurses' home. Brought from books of 1910, out of the loan of July 1, 1909----	210 49	27 50	-----	-----	182
47. For maintenance of orthopaedic department, apparatus and in- struments, hospital depart- ment -----	500 00	432 28	67 72		
47a. For new cedar tank for con- densing pipes. Brought from books of 1910, out of the loan of July 1, 1909----	200 00		-----	-----	200
48. For erection of bridges between hospital fire escapes. Brought from books of 1910, out of the loan of July 1, 1909----	1,886 95		-----	-----	1,886

Table H—Continued.

Department of Public Health and Charities
(Bureau of Charities.)

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
for the purchase of property for the site of proposed Home for the Indigent, out of the temporary loan of \$1,200,000, ord. app'd Dec. 9, 1909. Bought from books of 1910-----	\$4,690 50			\$4,690 50	
Provided, That any balance remaining to the credit of this item shall not merge December 31, 1910.					
for the erection of a pavilion and dormitory for the insane at Byberry, ord. app'd May 2, 1911 -----	2,000 00	\$1,546 51		453 49	
For the erection of buildings for care of feeble-minded persons, out of the \$9,750,000 loan of June 19, 1911, ord. app'd July 21, 1911 -----	250,000 00	7,556 16			\$242,443 84
for purchase and installation of a modern X-ray plant, and for maintenance from July 1st, ord. app'd July 19, 1911-----	7,250 00	1,907 65	\$327 85	5,014 50	
for the construction and equipment of laundry building in place of the one recently destroyed by fire, ord. app'd July 19, 1911-----	22,223 35	12,959 31		9,264 04	
An Ordinance to pay George B. Clopp for covering radiators, ord. app'd Nov. 22, 1911-----	322 00	322 00			
An Ordinance to pay Thomas McAdoo for hot water generators, ord. app'd Nov. 22, 1911 -----	900 00	900 00			
An Ordinance to pay C. H. Wheeler Manufacturing Company for two water cylinder liners, ord. app'd Nov. 22, 1911 -----	72 00	72 00			
Totals-----	\$1,525,761 35	\$563,947 10	\$35,982 72	\$21,051 73	\$904,779 83

Subject to transfer by Councils.

*25----- \$1 13

*46----- 34 50

Table H—Continued.

Department of Public Safety (Director's Office).

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter- signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging
Of the amount appropriated to this Department the sum of thirty-five thousand eight hundred and eighty (\$35,880) dollars is for the expenses of the Director's Office, ord. app'd Dec. 29, 1910.....	\$35,880 00			
Loan brought forward from book of 1910 out of loan \$5,000,000 of July 14, 1910, ord. app'd July 29, 1910.....	254 70			
	\$36,134 70			
Additional appropriation, ord. app'd March 13, 1911.....	1,500 00			
	\$37,634 70			
Additional appropriation, ord. app'd March 30, 1911.....	11,454 41			
	\$49,089 11			
Transfer from, ord. approved April 6, 1911, out of loan \$5,000,000 July 14, 1911.....	46 45			
	\$49,042 66			
Additional appropriation, ord. app'd June 24, 1911.....	400 00			
	\$49,442 66			
Additional appropriation, ord. app'd July 19, 1911.....	916 25			
	\$50,358 91			
Transfer to, ord. app'd Nov. 6, 1911.....	2,214 20			
	\$52,573 11			
Transfer to, ord. app'd Nov. 22, 1911.....	5,730 31			
	\$58,303 42			
Additional appropriation, of the unexpended balance of \$1,200,000, ord. app'd Nov. 22, 1911.....	1,806 36			
	\$60,109 78			
Transfer to, ord. app'd Dec. 1, 1911.....	4,414 21			
	\$64,523 99			

Table H—Continued.

Department of Public Safety (Director's Office).

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.
Items.				
1. For salaries:				
Director.....	\$10,000 00			
Assistant Director..	4,000 00			
Secretary.....	2,400 00			
Chief clerk.....	2,000 00			
Two clerks, \$1,200 each.....	2,400 00			
Stenographer and clerk.....	1,200 00			
Chauffeur.....	1,000 00			
Threest stenographers and typewriters, \$900 each.....	2,700 00			
Messenger and uniforms.....	1,140 00			
Messengers and uniforms.....	1,040 00			
	\$27,880 00	\$26,691 80	\$1,188 20	
<i>Provided, That the Director shall give his entire time and undivided attention to the duties of his office.</i>				
1½. To make an appropriation to pay claims against the city for work and labor heretofore done and materials heretofore furnished to the Department of Public Safety, Director's office.				
Additional appropriation, ord. app'd March 30, 1911...	11,454 41	11,153 41	301 00	
2b. Brought forward, book 1910, loan July 14, 1910..	\$34 94			
Transfer from, ord. app'd April 6, 1911.	34 94			
2. For postage, car fares, meals for regular employees engaged in extra or night work and incidentals.....	\$1,000 00			
Transfer to, ord. approved Nov 6, 1911.	1,214 20			
Transfer to, ord. approved November 22, 1911.....	1,598 50			
Transfer to, ord. approved Dec. 1, 1911.	3,631 01			
	7,443 71	6,756 03	687 68	
2½. To pay bills of the North Philadelphia Automobile Station for work and labor heretofore done, and materials and supplies heretofore furnished during 1911.				
Additional appropriation, ord. app'd July 19, 1911.....	\$916 25			

Table H--Continued.

Department of Public Safety (Director's Office).

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
Item 2½--Continued.					
To pay Keystone Telephone Co. for telephone rental from July 1, 1907, to Dec. 31, 1907. Transfer to, ord. app'd Nov. 22, 1911.....	\$900 51				
To pay bill of the Bell Telephone Co. for telephone services.					
Additional appropriation of the unexpended balance of \$1,200,000, ordinance app'd Nov. 22, 1911.....	812 46				
		\$2,629 22	\$2,629 22		
3. For maintenance of automobile.....	\$1,000 00				
Transfer to, ord. approved Nov. 6, 1911.	1,000 00				
Transfer to, ord. approved November 22, 1911.....	3,231 30				
Transfer to, ord. approved Dec. 1, 1911.	583 20				
		5,814 50	3,744 46	\$2 070 04	
3b. Brought forward, book 1910, loan June 14, 1910.....	\$11 51				
Transfer from, ord. app'd April 6, 1911.	11 51				
4. For Supervision of Employment Agency, postage, carfares and incidentals.....	\$200 00				
For refunding to those who desire to surrender their licenses a proportionate part of the amount paid, at the rate of four (4) dollars per month for the remaining period licenses have to run, as provided by Act of Assembly, approved Apr. 25, 1907	500 00				
Chief Deputy.....	1,500 00				
Inspector.....	1,200 00				
		3,400 00	3,232 00	168 00	
4b. For supervision of employment agencies, postage and transportation.					
Brought forward from book of 1910 out of loan \$5,000,000 July 14, 1910, ord. approved July 29, 1910.....		208 25	205 00		\$3 25

Table H—Continued.

Department of Public Safety (Director's Office).

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter- signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
ms.					
For hire of vehicles. \$500 00					
Additional appropriation of the un- expended balance of the \$1,200,000, ord. app'd Nov. 22, 1911. 993 90	\$1,493 90	\$1,334 60	\$159 30		
To make up deficiency on the books of the employ- ment agency division caused by the failure of the Tradesmens' Trust Co. Transfer to, ord. app'd Dec. 1, 1911.....	200 00	200 00			
For the horse watering sta- tion, Department of the Women's Pennsylvania So- ciety for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, to help maintain watering sta- tions during the summer months, said appropriation to be paid in monthly in- stallments to the said So- ciety during the months of July, August and Sep- tember, 1911.....	1,500 00	1,500 00			
For the Association for the Protection of Colored Women for the purpose of assisting in the mainte- nance of the said Associa- tion quarters in the City of Philadelphia, this appro- priation to be paid in monthly installments to the Association of \$100 per month during the months of January, Febru- ary, March, April, May and June..... \$600 00					
Additional appro- priation, ord. app'd June 24, 1911..... 400 00	1,000 00	900 00	100 00		
To pay for equipment of the Infantry Battalion, State Fencibles. Additional appropriation, ord. app'd March 13, 1911....	\$1,500 00	\$1,498 83	\$1 67		
Totals.....	\$64,523 99	\$59,844 85	\$4,679 89		\$3 25

can subject to transfer :

Item 4b, out of the \$5,000,000
loan July 14, 1910..... \$3 25*

Table H—Continued.

Department of Public Safety (Bureau of Correction).

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.
An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of Public Safety (Bureau of Correction) for the year 1911, ord. app'd Dec. 31, 1910.....	\$94,304 00			
Non-merger, general appropriation: Brought from books of 1910.....	874 50			
	<u>\$94,678 50</u>			
Non-mergers, out of \$5,000,000 loan, July 14, 1910, ord. app'd July 29, 1910: Brought from books of 1910.....	588 53			
	<u>\$95,262 03</u>			
Non-mergers, out of \$3,500,000 loan, Oct. 17, 1908, ord. app'd Nov. 21, 1908: Brought from books of 1910.....	100 00			
	<u>\$95,362 03</u>			
Transferred from, ord. app'd April 6, 1911,.....	107 69			
	<u>\$95,254 34</u>			
Items.				
1. For salaries, without board:				
Bookkeeper.....	\$1,200 00			
Assistant book-keeper.....	1,000 00			
Second asst. book-keeper.....	720 00			
Miscellaneous clerk	800 00			
Moral instructor and teacher.....	1,000 00			
Storekeeper.....	1,200 00			
Visiting physician..	900 00			
Organist.....	120 00			
Foreman of gas works.....	1,100 00			
Foremen of shoe, carpenter, black, smith, mason-quarry, and tailoring departments and baker, \$900 each.....	6,300 00			
Farmer.....	800 00			
Fifty guards, \$900 each, and uniforms, \$40 each.....	47,000 00			
Five sub. guards, \$200 per day, uniforms, \$40 each....	3,850 00			

Table H—Continued.

Department of Public Safety (Bureau of Correction).

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
Continued.					
Truck driver (guard), \$900, and uniforms, \$40.....	\$940 00				
Trunk lamp lighters, \$3 each.....	900 00				
Salaries, with board:					
Superintendent.....	2,500 00				
Prison warden.....	1,500 00				
Resident physician.....	1,200 00				
Physician.....	720 00				
Nurse.....	400 00				
Engineer.....	1,000 00				
Assistant engineer.....	700 00				
Assistant engineers, \$600 each, and uniforms, \$40 each.....	2,560 00				
Platoon of guard, \$10, and uniform \$50.....	1,150 00				
Detenant of guard, \$1,000, and uniform, \$50.....	1,050 00				
Matron.....	675 00				
Matron assistant matrons, \$360 each....	3,240 00				
Matron nurse (hospital).....	360 00				
Matron cook.....	850 00				
Assistant cook.....	500 00				
For stage, advertising and incidentals.....	\$86,235 00	\$83,070 18	\$3,164 82		
For transportation of prisoners, carfare, freight and cage.....	100 00	100 00			
For same purpose as Item 3, no merger, brought from books of 1910, out of \$5,000, loan of July 14, 1910, ord. April 29, 1910.....	301 20	100 50			\$200 70
For drugs, surgical instruments and hospital supplies.....	1,000 00	995 70	4 30		
Ordered, The City Comptroller shall countersign warrants upon the approval of bills by the Director, without advertising.					
For same purpose as Item 4, no merger, brought from books 1910, out of \$5,000 loan of July 14, 1910, ord. April 29, 1910.....	134 25	134 25			
For maintaining and extending works.....	3,500 00	3,492 71	7 29		

Table H—Continued.

Department of Public Safety (Bureau of Correction).

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter- signed.	Balance merging	Balance not merging	L me
Items.					
6. For sending to their homes, outside city limits, worthy cases	\$100 00	\$0 57	\$99 43		
7. For repairs to buildings and furniture	100 00	99 95	05		
7b. Non-merger, brought from books 1910, out of \$5,000,000 loan July 14, 1910. . \$7 69 Ordinance approved July 29, 1910, trans- ferred from, ord. app'd April 6, 1911. 7 69					
7½. (1909) Non-merger, brought from books of 1910, for sending to their homes, outside city limits worthy cases, out of \$3,500,- 000 loan October 17, 1908. Ord. app'd Nov. 21, 1908..... \$100 00 Transferred from, ord. app'd April 6, 1911..... 100 00					
8. For water rent	2,500 00	2,500 00			
9. (New 1909). For new elevator, non-merger, brought from books of 1910.....	374 50	374 50			
9b. For rent of telephone.....	169 00	169 00			
10. For electric power for ele- vator.....	300 00	95 52	204 48		
10b. Non-merger, brought from books of 1910, for installa- tion of power for elevator and maintenance, out of \$5,000,000 loan of July 14, 1910, ord. approved July 29, 1910.....	140 39	3 25			137
Total.....	\$95,254 34	\$91,436 13	\$3,480 37		387

Table H—Continued.

Department of Public Safety (Bureau of Building Inspection).

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging
Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of Public Safety (Bureau of Building Inspection) for the year 1911, ord. app'd Dec. 29, 1910.....	\$59,820 00			
Reimbursements, brought in books of 1910, out of \$5,000,000 loan of July 1910, ord. app'd July 1910.....	172 47			
	<u>\$59,992 47</u>			
Transferred from, ord. app'd April 6, 1911.....	33 33			
	<u>\$59,959 14</u>			
Additional appropriation, ord. app'd June 1911.....	12,800 00			
	<u>\$72,759 14</u>			
Additional appropriation, ord. app'd June 1911.....	583 33			
	<u>\$73,342 47</u>			
Transferred from, ord. app'd Dec. 1, 1911.....	2,784 94			
	<u>\$70,557 53</u>			
Transferred to, ord. app'd Dec. 1, 1911.....	2,784 94			
	<u>\$73,342 47</u>			
For salaries:				
Chief Inspector.....	\$3,500 00			
Provided, The Chief Inspector shall give his entire time and undivided attention to the duties of his office.				
Dep. chief inspector.	2,600 00			
Engineer of construction.....	2,500 00			
The said engineer to be appointed by the Director from the present force of engineers.				
Sixteen inspectors, \$2,000 each.....	32,000 00			

Table H—Continued.

Dep't of Public Safety (Bureau of Building Inspection)

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter- signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging	1 m
Item 1—Continued.					
Inspector engineer. \$2,500 00					
Assistant inspector engineer..... 2,000 00					
Engineering inspec- tor of reinforced concrete construc- tion..... 2,500 00					
Chief clerk..... 1,600 00					
Record clerk..... 1,200 00					
Two clerks, \$1,100 each..... 2,200 00					
Clerk and stenogra- pher..... 1,000 00					
Assistant clerk and stenographer..... 900 00					
Messenger..... 720 00					
Janitress..... 800 00					
\$55,520 00					
Additional appro- priation, ord. app'd June 14, 1911..... 10,666 67					
\$66,186 67					
Additional appro- priation, so that the salary of the Chief of the Bu- reau shall be at the rate of \$4,500 per annum, in lieu of \$3,500 per annum, from June 1, 1911, \$583.34, ord. app'd June 21, 1911..... 583 33					
\$66,770 00					
Transferred from, ord. app'd Dec. 1, 1911..... 2,784 94					
	\$63,985 06	\$57,758 82	\$6,226 24		
2. For postage, incidentals, mis- cellaneous supplies and re- pairs to furniture..... 300 00		299 96		04	
2b. For same purpose as Item 2. Brought from books of 1910, out of \$5,000,000 loan of July 14, 1910, ord. app'd July 29, 1910..... 139 14		135 04			
3. For horse keep and repairs to wagons and har- ness..... \$3,000 00					
Additional appro- priation, ord app'd June 14, 1911..... 2,133 33					
Transferred to, ord. app'd Dec. 1, 1911... 2,784 94					
	7,918 27	7,698 97	219 30		

Table H—Continued.

Dep't of Public Safety (Bureau of Building Inspection).

General Appropriation.	Amount appro- priated.	Amount counter- signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
ns.					
For same purpose as Item 3, out of \$5,- 000,000 loan of July 14, 1910, ord. app'd July 29, 1910.....	\$33 33				
Transferred from, ord. app'd April 6, 1911.....	33 33				
For removal of dangerous buildings.....	\$1,000 00		\$1 000 00		
Totals.....	\$73,342 47	\$65,892 79	\$7,445 58		\$4 10

Subject to transfer:
 *\$5,000,000 loan, July 14, 1910,
 ord. app'd July 29,
 1910..... \$4 10

Table H—Continued.

Department of Public Safety (Bureau of Elevator Inspection).

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.
An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of Public Safety (Bureau of Inspection of Passenger and Freight Elevators) for the year 1911. Ord. app'd December 29, 1910.....	\$36,800 00			
Non-mergers, general appropriation, bro'ht from books of 1910....	500 00			
	<u>\$37,300 00</u>			
Additional appropriation, deficiency, ord. app'd March 30, 1911..	500 00			
	<u>\$37,800 00</u>			
Additional appropriation (out of temporary loan) \$1,200,000. App'd Nov. 9, 1911.....	240 00			
	<u>\$38,040 00</u>			
Transferred to, ord. app'd Nov. 22, 1911....	210 00			
	<u>\$38,250 00</u>			
Transferred to, ord. approved Dec. 1, 1911..	200 00			
	<u>\$38,450 00</u>			
Items.				
1. For salaries :				
Chief Inspector,...	\$3,500 00			
Deputy Inspector...	2,000 00			
Twenty (20) district inspectors, at \$1,000 each.....	20,000 00			
Two (2) elevator inspectors, at \$1,200 each.....	2,400 00			
Two (2) tank inspectors, at \$1,200 each.	2,400 00			
Three (3) clerks, at \$1,100 each.....	3,300 00			
One clerk.....	1,000 00			
Stenographer and typewriter.....	1,000 00			
Messenger.....	700 00			
	<u>\$36,800 00</u>	\$34,036 03	\$2,263 97	
1½ new. Deficiency ordinance, app'd March 30, 1911, to pay for work previously done....	500 00	500 00		
2. 1910. Non-merger, general appropriation for stationery, postage, transportation and cleaning offices. Brought from books of 1910.....	500 00		500 00	

Table H—Continued.

Department of Public Safety (Bureau of Elevator Inspection.

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.
Items.				
2. For stationery, postage, transportation and cleaning offices	\$500 00			
Additional appropriation, out of temporary loan, \$1,200,000.				
App'd Nov. 9, 1911..	240 00			
Transferred to, ord. app'd Nov 22, 1911..	210 00			
Transferred to, ord. app'd Dec. 1, 1911...	200 00			
	\$1,150 00	\$1,150 00		
Totals.....	\$38,450 00	\$35,686 03	\$2,763 97	

Table H—Continued.

Department of Public Safety (Bureau of City Property).

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter- signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
An Ordinance making an appropriation to the Department of Public Safety (Bureau of City Property) for the year 1911, app'd Dec. 29, 1910-----	\$416,400 12				
Brought from books of 1910.					
Loans:					
\$16,000,000-----	\$273 50				
\$13,500,000-----	59,957 94				
\$10,000,000-----	348,633 79				
\$3,500,000-----	19,211 01				
\$5,739,700-----	132,342 70				
\$5,000,000-----	271,580 45				
	831,999 39				
Additional appropriation, ord. Feb. 9, 1911-----	150 00				
Additional appropriation, ord. Feb. 9, 1911-----	1,109 80				
Additional appropriation, ord. March 10, 1911-----	9,250 00				
Ordinance to pay deficiency bill, app'd March 30, 1911-----	24,823 99				
Additional appropriation, ord. April 8, 1911-----	10,000 00				
Additional appropriation, ord. March 31, 1911-----	19,500 00				
An ordinance transferring all balances of \$100 or less from loans carried on books of City Controller to City Property, Item 13, ord. April 6, 1911-----	3,453 29				
	\$1,316,686 59				
Transfer of loan balances from City Property of \$100 or less:					
Item 3b-----	\$11 10				
Item 5b-----	90				
Item 7b-----	2 67				
Item 9b-----	67 33				
Item 9½-----	48 84				
Item 11½-----	25 00				
	155 84				
	\$1,316,530 75				
Additional appropriation, ord. April 21, 1911-----	60,000 00				
Additional appropriation, ord. April 21, 1911-----	1,066 00				
Received by transfer, ord. May 15, 1911-----	1,000 00				
	\$1,378,596 75				
Additional appropriation, out of loan of April 21, 1911, ord. May 25, 1911-----	250,000 00				
Additional appropriation, ord. June 14, 1911-----	15,000 00				

Table H—Continued.

Department of Public Safety (Bureau of City Property).

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
Additional appropriation, ord. June 24, 1911-----	\$20,720 50				
	\$1,664,317 25				
Transferred from, ord. July 19, 1911-----	300 00				
	\$1,664,017 25				
Additional appropriation, ord. July 13, 1911-----	18,506 35				
Additional appropriation, July 19, 1911-----	25,211 60				
	\$1,707,735 20				
Additional appropriation, ord. July 21, 1911, out of \$9,700,000 loan of June 19, 1911, ord. July 21, 1911-----	1,000,000 00				
Additional appropriation, ord. July 19, 1911-----	13,553 61				
Additional appropriation, ord. Aug. 4, 1911-----	42,500 00				
Additional appropriation, out of temporary loan of \$1,200,000, ord. Nov. 9, 1911-----	20,000 00				
Additional appropriation, out of temporary loan, ord. Nov. 22, 1911-----	4,500 00				
	\$2,878,293 81				
Transferred from, ord. Dec. 1, 1911-----	776 48				
	\$2,877,517 33				
Items.					
1. Salaries.					
Chief of Bureau, in- cluding keep of horse and carriage--	\$4,300 00				
Chief clerk-----	1,750 00				
Superintendent of real estate-----	1,500 00				
Clerk-----	1,100 00				
Clerk and messenger--	1,000 00				
Typewriter-----	720 00				
Janitress-----	360 00				
Assistant superinten- dent of City Hall--	2,000 00				
Architect-----	4,000 00				
Draughtsman-----	1,500 00				
Draughtsman-----	1,200 00				
Clerk-----	1,500 00				
Caretaker of City Hall clocks-----	1,000 00				
Two clerks, \$1,000 ea-	2,000 00				
Stenographer-----	900 00				
Five clerks of mar- kets, \$375 each-----	1,875 00				

Table H—Continued.

Department of Public Safety (Bureau of City Property).

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
Item 1—Continued.					
INDEPENDENCE HALL.					
Superintendent and uniforms -----	\$840 00				
Assistant superintendent and uniforms--	500 00				
Curator -----	900 00				
Special officer and uniforms -----	840 00				
Engineer -----	900 00				
Fireman (employment of said fireman to be between Jan. 1st and May 1st and Sept. 1st to Dec. 31st) -----	400 00				
Five guards, \$720 each and uniforms, \$40 each -----	3,800 00				
Three night watchmen, \$720 each, and uniforms, \$40 each--	2,280 00				
Superintendent of Germantown Hall -----	600 00				
Janitor of grand and petit jury rooms----	720 00				
Twenty-seven janitors of courts at \$720 ea.	19,440 00				
Superintendent of League Island Park	1,000 00				
Forty-four superintendents of squares, \$800 each, and uniforms, \$40 each----	36,960 00				
Superintendent of Northeast Boulevard and uniforms -----	1,040 00				
Eight superintendents of squares, \$600 each, and uniforms, \$40 each -----	5,120 00				
Landscape gardener----	1,700 00				
Superintendent of City burial ground -----	600 00				
Assistant at City burial ground -----	500 00				
Attendants at public toilet rooms -----	3,880 00				
CITY MORGUE.					
Superintendent -----	1,000 00				
Assistant superintendent, with use of house -----	720 00				
Engineer -----	1,000 00				
Helper -----	600 00				
Twenty-one superintendents of public baths -----	12,600 00				
Wharfinger and uniforms -----	1,040 00				
Four special officers of pavilions -----	3,040 00				

Table H—Continued.

Department of Public Safety (Bureau of City Property).

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
Item 1—Continued.					
Two watchmen at Otis street pavilion, \$720 each, and uniforms, \$40 each.....	\$1,520 00				
Caretaker of Frankford burial ground.....	300 00				
	\$132,305 00				
Additional appropriation to provide for an additional superintendent of public baths, at the rate of \$600 per annum, from May 1, 1911, ord. April 21, 1911..	400 00				
An Ordinance providing for a superintendent of Fisher Square from July 15, 1911, at the rate of \$720 per annum..	330 00				
Transferred from, ord. Dec. 1, 1911.....	8,500 00				
	\$124,535 00	\$123,943 00	\$592 00		
1b. Salaries, from \$5,000,000 loan of July 14, 1910.					
Brought from 1910....	\$3,133 26				\$3,133 26
2. For wages.					
Seven guards, \$3 per day each, and uniforms, \$40 each; fifty-three sweepers and cleaners, \$2 per day each; seventeen lavatory attendants, \$2 per day each; ten janitrix, ladies' toilet, \$1.75 per day each; foreman of cleaners and janitors, \$1 per day; foreman of laborers, \$3.25 per day each; foreman of riggers, \$5 per day; three riggers, \$3.60 per day each; ten laborers, \$2.25 per day each; thirty-five laborers, \$2 per day each; foreman of carpenters, \$5 per day; timekeeper, \$3 per day; receiver, \$3 per day; eighteen carpenters, \$3.60 per day each; master decorator, \$5 per day; five fresco painters, \$3.50 per day each; twelve painters, \$3 per day each; foreman of plumbers, \$5 per day; three plumbers, \$3.50 per day each; gasfitter, \$3 per day; seven plumbers' and gasfitter's helpers, \$2.25 per day each; foreman of bricklayers, \$5 per day; six bricklayers, \$4.40 per day					

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Department of Public Safety (Bureau of City Property).

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
Item 2—Continued.					
each; hodman, \$3 per day; three bricklayers' helpers, \$2.00 per day each; four steamfitters, \$3.50 per day each; steamfitters' helper, \$2.75 per day; forty laborers in squares, \$2 per day each; three scrubbers and cleaners, \$1.50 per day each--	\$191,973 45				
Additional appropriation, for wages, to provide for two additional cleaners at \$1.50 per day each, for Court of Common Pleas No. 5, app'd April 21, 1911.	666 00				
	\$192,639 45				
Transferred from, ord. Dec. 1, 1911----	6,500 00				
	\$186,139 45	\$184,627 56	\$1,511 89		
2½. To pay bills of Charles T. Grosz for removal of ashes and rubbish from squares during the months of April, May and June, 1911, \$1,508.40; removal of ashes and rubbish from City Hall during the months of March, April, May and June, 1911, \$2,338.20; removal of snow and ice from courtyard and sidewalks of City Hall during the months of January, February and March, 1911, \$1,035; approved July 19, 1911-----	4,881 60	4,881 60			
3. For postage, advertising, car fare and incidentals-----	1,000 00	999 56	44		
3b. Postage, advertising, etc., out of \$5,000,000 loan of July 14, 1910, ord. July 29, 1910.					
Brought from 1910----	\$11 10				
Transferred from, ord. April 6, 1911----	11 10				
4. Repairs to market-houses-----	2,000 00	1,796 52	203 48		
4½b. Repairs to market-houses, out of \$3,500,000 loan of Oct. 17, 1908, ord. Nov. 21, 1908.					
Brought from 1910-----	178 43	91 04			*\$87 39
5. Repairs and other expenses, Town Hall, Germantown-----	100 00	64 05	35 95		

Table H—Continued.

Department of Public Safety (Bureau of City Property).

General Appropriation.	Amount appro- priated.	Amount counter- signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
b. Repairs to Town Hall, German- town; to be taken out of \$5,000,000 loan of July 14, 1910, ord. July 29, 1910. Bought from 1910----- \$0 90 Transferred from, ord. April 6, 1911----- 90					
c. Repairs to property owned by and used for City purposes, in- cluding City burial ground----	\$1,500 00	\$96 21	\$531 79		
b. Repairs to property, etc., out of \$5,000,000 loan of July 14, 1910, ord. July 29, 1910. Bought from 1910-----	1,493 00	50 72			\$1,442 28
1/2 Repairs to property, etc., out of \$3,500,000 loan of Oct. 17, 1908, ord. Oct. 21, 1908. Bought from 1910-----	1,334 83	578 11			756 72
c. Repairs and other expenses of public bath-houses -----	2,500 00	2,419 32	80 68		
b. Repairs to bath-houses, out of loan of \$5,000,000 of July 14, 1910, ord. July 29, 1910. Bought from 1910----- \$2 67 Transferred from, ord. April 6, 1911----- 2 67					
1/2 Repairing bath-houses, out of \$3,500,000 loan of Oct. 17, 1908, ord. Oct. 21, 1908. Bought from 1910-----	230 99	34 22			196 77
c. Repairs to and cleaning public blocks and City Hall courts----	500 00	499 50	50		
d. General repairs to and mainte- nance of City Morgue ----- \$500 00 Additional appropria- tion: Repairs ----- \$300 Removing ashes- 75 ----- 375 00					
	875 00	590 87	284 13		
b. Repairs to City Morgue, etc., out of \$5,000,000 loan of July 14, 1910, ord. July 29, 1910. Bought from 1910----- \$67 33 Transferred from, April 6, 1911----- 67 33					

Table H—Continued.

Department of Public Safety (Bureau of City Property).

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loan not merging.
Items.					
9½. Repairs to City Morgue, etc., out of \$3,500,000 loan of Oct. 17, 1908, ord. Nov. 21, 1908. Brought from 1910----- \$48 84 Transferred from, April 6, 1911----- 48 84					
10. General repairs to and maintenance of Independence Hall ----- \$1,000 00 Additional appropriation, ord. June 24, 1911 ----- 50 00					
	\$1,050 00	\$720 13	\$329 87		
10b. Repairs to Independence Hall, out of \$5,000,000 loan of July 14, 1910, ord. July 29, 1910. Brought from 1910-----	440 00	429 01			*\$1
10½. Repairs to Independence Hall, out of \$3,500,000 loan of Oct. 17, 1908, ord. Oct. 21, 1908. Brought from 1910-----	226 72	223 94			
11. Maintenance of recreation piers--	1,000 00	843 29	156 71		
11b. Repairs to recreation piers, out of \$5,000,000 loan of July 14, 1910, ord. July 29, 1910. Brought from 1910-----	922 99	922 84			
11½. Repairs to recreation piers, out of \$3,500,000 loan of Oct. 17, 1908, ord. Nov. 21, 1908. Brought from 1910----- \$25 00 Transferred from, April 6, 1911----- 25 00					
12. Fees of auctioneers -----	250 00		250 00		
12b. Fees of auctioneers, out of \$5,000,000 loan of July 14, 1910, ord. July 29, 1910-----	250 00				25
13. Labor and other expenses in squares, including manuring, sodding, repairs to benches and for trees on Broad street: Provided, That a lavatory be erected in Fairhill Square ----- \$10,000 00 Additional appropriation, ord. March 30, 1910 ----- 10,000 00 Transferred to, from small balances of loans from books of 1910 of \$100 and less, ord. April 6, 1911, for labor in public squares ----- 3,453 29					

Table H—Continued.

Department of Public Safety (Bureau of City Property).

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter- signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
em3—Continued.					
Loas:					
\$300,000,					
June 11, 1902 \$18 75					
\$ 000,000					
May 18, 1904 49 24					
\$189,700					
July 1, 1909 49 75					
\$300,000,					
Oct. 17, 1908 543 17					
\$300,000,					
July 14, 1910 2,792 38					
\$3,453 29					
Additional appropriation, ord. June 14, 1911-----	\$10,000 00				
Additional appropriation, ord. June 24, 1911-----	3,000 00				
Additional appropriation, out of tempo- rary loan of \$1,200,- 00, Nov. 9, 1911-----	5,000 00				
	\$41,453 29	\$40,052 56	\$1,400 73		
ew). For fencing Wharton Square-----	\$1,000 00				
Transferred from, ord. Dec. 1, 1911-----	275 00				
	725 00	725 00			
labor and other expenses in squares, out of \$5,000,000 loan of July 14, 1910, ord. July 29, 1910.					
Bought from 1910-----	156 96	156 96			
Caning cesspools-----	100 00	99 16	84		
cleaning cesspools, out of \$5,000,000 loan of July 14, 1910, ord. July 29, 1910.					
Bought from 1910-----	200 00				\$200 00
cleaning cesspools, out of \$3,500,000 loan of Oct. 17, 1908, ord. Nov. 21, 1908-----	166 20	41 84			124 36
itals.					
Marf for sanitarium					
boats-----	\$500 00				
trol station, 307 Union street-----	800 00				
trol station, Twen- ty second and York streets-----	800 00				
trol station, Cam- bria and Staunton streets-----	700 00				
lice station, Wood- and avenue and pruce streets-----	1,200 00				
lit of fire houses-----	4,800 00				
	8,800 00	8,300 00	500 00		

Table H—Continued.

Department of Public Safety (Bureau of City Property).

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
Items.					
16. Ground rents and interest-----	\$1,371 67	\$1,011 67	\$360 00		
17. Removing ice and snow from pavements in front of State House Row, public halls and squares -----	3,500 00	3,496 50	3 50		
17b. Removing ice and snow, out of \$5,000,000 loan of July 14, 1910, ord. July 29, 1910.					
Brought from 1910-----	236 60	236 60			
18. Repairs to flags and flagpoles, window shades and awnings---	500 00	210 35	289 65		
18b. Repairs to flags, etc., out of \$5,000,000 loan of July 14, 1910, ord. July 29, 1910.					
Brought from 1910-----	361 73	275 18			*\$84
19. Payment of bills of lighting military organizations ----- \$6,000 00					
Ordinance for payment of bills for lighting headquarters of cavalry, \$75; Troop B, cavalry, \$75 ----- 150 00					
	6,150 00	4,803 22	1,346 78		
20. Repairs, improvements, extension and alterations upon station and patrol houses ----- \$10,000 00					
An Ordinance to pay bills for repairs to the Twenty-seventh District police house and house of Engine Company No. 38, ord. July 19, 1911--- 13,558 61					
	23,558 61	23,430 19	128 42		
20½b. For necessary plumbing at Twenty-first Police District station house, out of \$5,000,000 loan of July 14, 1910, ord. July 29, 1910.					
Brought from 1910-----	200 00	199 95			
20b. Alterations and extensions upon station and patrol houses, out of \$5,000,000 loan of July 14, 1910, ord. July 29, 1910.					
Brought from 1910-----	4,268 62	4,268 61			
21. Repairs to stoves and steam heaters ----- \$2,500 00					
Additional appropriation, out of temporary loan, ord. Nov. 9, 1911----- 15,000 00					
	17,500 00	3,869 43	13,630 57		

Table H—Continued.

Department of Public Safety (Bureau of City Property).

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
em					
b. Repairs to stoves and heaters and repairs to boiler, Thirty-first District, out of \$5,000,000 loan of July 14, 1910, ord. July 29, 1910. Bought from 1910-----	\$1,163 76	\$1,163 76			
c. Rent pavements and repairs, including bath-house pools----	2,000 00	1,806 22	\$193 78		
2b. Rent pavements and repairs, out of loan of July 14, 1910, ord. July 29, 1910. Bought from 1910-----	204 55				\$204 55
3. In gas station and fire houses, Northern Liberties Gas Works and House of Correction-----	500 00	455 50	44 50		
4. In band and attendance----- Provided, That any extra service rendered be at the same price, and that a clause be inserted in the contract that in case of rain there shall be no charge.	15,000 00	14,898 00	2 00		
5. In portraits and other pictures, frames and relics for Independence Hall; also repairs and restorations, to be expended under the supervision of the Committee on City Property--	500 00	500 00			
6. Maintenance of City Hall and repairs to rooms---- \$5,000 00 Additional appropriation, ord. March 30, 1911----- 5,000 00 Additional appropriation, ord. June 24, 1911: Removing ashes ----\$2,500 00 Paints, oils, etc. ----- 3,000 00 5,500 00 Received by transfer, ord. Dec. 1, 1911----- 1,000 00					
	16,500 00	16,036 79	463 21		
6b. Maintenance and repairs to City Hall, out of \$5,000,000 loan of July 14, 1910, ord. July 29, 1910. Bought from 1910-----	3,461 89	3,396 58			*65 31
6c. To pay bills for removing snow in February and March, 1911, ord. June 24, 1911-----	4,295 50	4,295 50			
7. Maintenance of Philadelphia Brigade Park on Antietam Battlefield ----- \$1,000 00 Transferred from, ord. Dec. 1, 1911----- 800 00					
	200 00	190 00	10 00		

Table H—Continued.

Department of Public Safety (Bureau of City Property).

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter- signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging
Items.					
28. To purchase property No. 1018 South Forty-ninth street for general municipal purposes ----- \$15,000 00 Transferred from, ord. Dec. 1, 1911----- 6,500 00	\$8,500 00	\$8,500 00			
3½. An Ordinance to pay bills al- ready incurred in 1911. Received by transfer, ord. Dec. 1, 1911 -----	25,798 52	25,065 12	\$733 40		
33½. Restoration of Congress Hall, out of \$3,500,000 loan of Oct. 12, 1908, ord. Nov. 21, 1908. Brought from 1910-----	5,000 00				\$5,000
33½b. Restoration of Congress Hall, out of \$5,000,000 loan of July 14, 1910, ord. July 29, 1910. Brought from 1910-----	5,000 00				5,000
35. An Ordinance to make an appro- priation, out of \$16,000,000 loan of May 18, 1904, ord. June 27, 1904, for purchase of sites and the erection of police, patrol and fire stations. Brought from 1910-----	273 50				273
38. An Ordinance to make an appro- priation for the purchase of lots and erection of buildings for police, fire and bath pur- poses, out of \$13,500,000 loan of Feb. 9, 1907, app'd July 10, 1907. Brought from 1910-----	2,781 03				2,781
39. An Ordinance to make an appro- priation, out of \$13,500,000 loan of Feb. 9, 1907, app'd May 19, 1907, for completion of City Hall. Brought from 1910-----	22,662 25				22,662
39a. For the completion of City Hall, to be taken out of \$5,- 739,700 loan of July 1, 1909, ord. July 19, 1909. Brought from 1910-----	126,262 40	123,522 40			2,740
43. An Ordinance to make an appro- priation, out of \$13,500,000 loan of Feb. 9, 1907, app'd May 10, 1907, for the purchase and improvement of small parks. Brought from 1910-----	35,114 66				35,114

Table H—Continued.

Department of Public Safety (Bureau of City Property).

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
Ord.					
45. An Ordinance to make an appropriation for police and fire stations, to be taken out of \$10,000,000 loan of April 15, 1908, ord. June 20, 1908. Bought from 1910.-----	\$12,019 37	\$11,467 20	-----	-----	\$552 17
45a. An Ordinance to make an appropriation for sites and buildings for police and fire stations, out of \$5,739,700 loan of July 1, 1909, ord. July, 1909. Bought from 1910.-----	2,677 30	2,104 80	-----	-----	572 50
46. An Ordinance to make an appropriation, out of \$10,000,000 loan of April 15, 1908, ord. June 20, 1908, for bath purposes. Bought from 1910.-----	65,560 00	38,777 82	-----	-----	26,782 18
47. An Ordinance to make an appropriation, out of \$10,000,000 loan of April 15, 1908, ord. June 20, 1908, for improvement of small parks. Bought from 1910.-----	114,575 00	51,100 00	-----	-----	63,475 00
47a. An Ordinance to make an appropriation for the improvement of small parks, out of loan of \$5,739,700 of July 1, 1909, ord. July 19, 1909. Bought from 1910.-----	3,403 90	2,973 00	-----	-----	425 00
48. An Ordinance to make an appropriation, out of \$10,000,000 loan of April 15, 1908, ord. June 20, 1908. Bought from 1910.-----	156,479 42	154,683 32	-----	-----	1,796 10
49. An Ordinance to make an appropriation for the erection of bath-houses in the Forty-first Ward, out of loan of \$3,500,000 of Oct. 17, 1908, ord. Nov. 21, 1908. Bought from 1910.-----	12,000 00	12,000 00	-----	-----	-----
49a. An Ordinance to make an appropriation toward the erection of bath-houses in the Forty-first Ward, app'd July 19, 1911.-----	20,000 00	-----	-----	\$20,000 00	-----
49b. For League Island Park, out of \$5,000,000 loan of July 14, 1910, ord. July 29, 1910. Bought from 1910.-----	250,000 00	250,000 00	-----	-----	-----
50. To pay bills of Charles T. Grosvenor for removing snow from courtyard and sidewalks of					

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Department of Public Safety (Bureau of City Property).

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans merging.
Item 52—Continued.					
City Hall during January and February, 1910, ord. Feb. 8, 1911 -----	\$1,109 86	\$1,109 80			
53. For law books, furnishings, floor coverings, etc., as follows: For Room 364 City Hall, \$1,500; for Rooms 546 and 542 City Hall, \$750. Ord. app'd March 10, 1911-----	2,250 00	2,018 50	\$231 50		
54. For completion of improvement in City Treasurer's office, including electric fixtures, ord. app'd March 10, 1911-----	7,000 00	6,948 08	51 92		
55. An Ordinance to make an appropriation for the erection of a crematory, app'd April 8, 1911-----	10,000 00	8,300 00	-----	\$1,700 00	
56. An Ordinance to make an appropriation for repairs to North Second street market, app'd March 30, 1911-----	4,000 00	2,884 51	1,115 49		
57. An Ordinance to make an appropriation for adjusting and repairing witness' boxes in the criminal courts -----	500 00	498 00	2 00		
58. An Ordinance to make an additional appropriation for the improvement of Congress Hall and Independence Square, app'd April 21, 1911-----	60,000 00	674 98	-----	59,325 02	
57c. An Ordinance for continuing the work of improving League Island Park, out of \$2,300,000 loan of April 21, 1911, ord. app'd May 25, 1911-----	250,000 00	-----	-----	-----	\$250, 00
1½. Deficiency Ordinance, to pay claims for work, labor and materials heretofore furnished, app'd March 30, 1911-----	24,823 99	24,800 91	23 08		
59. An Ordinance to make an appropriation for new boiler for the Morgue, app'd June 14, 1911 ----- \$5,000 00 Transferred from, ord. July 19, 1911----- 300 00	4,700 00	3,767 62	932 38		
60. For repairs to Allegheny avenue pier -----	2,500 00	2,474 24	25 76		
61. For general repairs to Fire House No. 1, ord June 24, 1911 ----- \$5,000 00 Transferred from, ord. Dec. 1, 1911----- 5,000 00					

Table H—Continued.

Department of Public Safety (Bureau of City Property).

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
60d For continuing work on League Island Park, to be taken out of \$9,750,000 loan of June 19, 1911, ord. July 21, 1911-----	\$500,000 00				\$500,000 00
61d For the improvement of South Broad Street Plaza, ord. July 21, 1911, to be taken out of \$9,750,000 loan of June 19, 1911--	150,000 00				150,000 00
62d For acquiring property and erection and improvement of buildings for police and fire purposes, ord. July 21, 1911, to be taken out of \$9,750,000 loan of June 19, 1911-----	300,000 00	\$28,634 10			271,365 90
63d For the purchase of police and fire apparatus and equipment, including a new fire boat, app'd July 21, 1911, to be taken out of \$9,750,000 loan of June 19, 1911-----	140,000 00	78,855 00			61,145 00
64. For payment of interest on mortgage on premises south-west corner of Broad and Arch streets to Sept. 1, 1911, \$18,000, and for the payment of six months' interest on premises at 1018 South Forty-ninth street to August 19, 1911, and to pay taxes for the year 1910 upon Lazaretto property in Delaware County, ord. July 13, 1911-----	18,506 35	18,506 35			
65. n Ordinance to make an appropriation for the purchase of a tract of land bounded by Baltimore avenue, Fifty-seventh street and Washington avenue as a park, app'd Aug. 4, 1911--	42,500 00	42,500 00			
66. n Ordinance to make an appropriation for furnishing Rooms 544 and 558 City Hall for the use of the Supreme Court, ord. Nov. 22, 1911----- rovided, That this item shall not merge Dec. 31, 1911.	1,500 00			\$1,500 00	
67. n Ordinance to make an appropriation for furnishing Rooms 384 and 387 City Hall for the use of Board of Viewers, app'd Nov. 22, 1911----- rovided, That this item shall not merge Dec. 31, 1911.	3,000 00	942 22		2,057 78	
Totals-----	\$2,877,517 33	1,361,821 03	\$25,466 95	\$84,582 80	1,405,646 55

Subject to transfer:

Loan of \$3,500,000-----	\$90 17
Loan of \$500,000-----	163 15

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Department of Public Safety (Electrical Bureau).

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loa. no mergt
An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of Public Safety (Electrical Bureau), for the year 1911. Approved Dec. 29, 1910.....	\$1,567,752 90				
Brought from 1910 loans:					
\$3,500,000.....	\$504 30				
\$5,739,700.....	8 93				
\$5,000,000.....	4,376 85				
	4,890 08				
An Ordinance to pay deficiency bills, approved March 30, 1911.....	1,754 37				
Transferred from Bureau of Highways' loan to new Item 18 loan.....	75,000 00				
Additional appropriation, ord. March 30, 1911.....	300 00				
	\$1,649,697 35				
Transferred from small loan balances of 1910, carried to Bureau of City Property, ordinance April 6, 1911.....	227 01				
	\$1,649,470 34				
Additional appropriation, ordinance April 21, 1911	34,000 00				
Additional appropriation, ordinance April 21, 1911	1,892 60				
Received by transfer, ordinance May 15, 1911....	17,337 75				
Additional appropriation, ordinance June 14, 1911	36,000 00				
Additional appropriation, ordinance June 21, 1911	583 32				
Additional appropriation, ordinance June 24, 1911	15,000 00				
Received by transfer, ordinance July 6, 1911....	90 00				
Additional appropriation, ordinance July 19, 1911..	16,000 00				
Additional appropriation, ordinance July 21, 1911, out of loan of June 19, 1911	100,000 00				
Additional appropriation, ordinance July 25, 1911	27,936 50				
Additional appropriation, ordinance Oct. 3, 1911..	30,000 00				
Received by transfer, ordinance Oct. 1, 1911....	4,000 00				
Additional appropriation, out of temporary loan, ordinance Nov. 9, 1911..	30,000 00				
Received by transfer, ordinance Nov. 22, 1911....	60 00				
Additional appropriation, ordinance Dec. 1, 1911..	2,000 00				
Received by transfer, ordinance Dec. 11, 1911....	2,000 00				
	\$1,966,370 51				

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Department of Public Safety (Electrical Bureau).

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
Salaries.					
Chief -----	\$5,000 00				
Manager -----	3,000 00				
Assistant manager ----	1,800 00				
Assistant manager ----	1,700 00				
Chief engineer and superintendent of heating and ventilating.	1,800 00				
Chief inspector of electric lighting ----	1,500 00				
Assistant chief inspector of electric lighting -----	1,300 00				
Bookkeeper -----	1,200 00				
Index clerk -----	1,200 00				
Two clerks, \$1,100 ea.	2,200 00				
Clerk and messenger -----	800 00				
Photographer and typewriter -----	900 00				
Watchman -----	1,100 00				
Electrician, having supervision over electrical appliances (Bureau of Water) -----	1,400 00				
Chief line inspector and uniforms -----	1,540 00				
Twelve inspectors, \$1,300 each, and uniforms, \$40 each.	16,080 00				
Chief operator -----	1,500 00				
Thirty operators, \$1,200 each, and uniforms, \$40 each.	37,200 00				
Foreman and uniforms -----	1,040 00				
Seven linemen, \$1,100 each, and uniforms, \$40 each -----	12,540 00				
Battery man -----	1,040 00				
Four electrical plumbers, \$1,200 each.	4,960 00				
Two janitors, \$250 each -----	500 00				
Three engineers in dynamo room, \$1,460 each -----	4,380 00				
Three dynamo men, \$1,200 each -----	3,600 00				
Eleven wire repair and construction men, \$1,000 each -----	11,000 00				
An Ordinance increasing the salary of Chief of the Electrical Bureau from \$5,000 per annum to \$6,000 per annum, from June 1, 1911, app'd June 21, 1911.	583 32				
	\$120,863 32	\$114,745 21	\$6,118 11		

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Department of Public Safety (Electrical Bureau).

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter- signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loa. no mergi
Items.					
2. For repairing, haul- ing and labor-----	\$25,000 00				
Provided, That the Chief of the Bureau may employ not more than ten ap- prentices at a salary of not more than \$360 per annum.					
Received by transfer, ord. May 15, 1911---	5,000 00				
Additional appropria- tion, ord. June 14, 1911 -----	12,000 00				
	\$42,000 00				
2a. Hauling, etc., out of \$5,739,700 loan, ord. Nov. 5, 1909-----	01				
Brought from 1910.					
Transferred from , April 6, 1911-----	01				
	\$42,000 00				
2. Additional appropria- tion, ord. July 19, 1911 -----	\$5,000 00				
Additional appropria- tion, ord. Oct. 3, 1911 -----	10,000 00				
Additional appropria- tion, ord. Nov. 9, 1911, out of tempo- rary loan -----	10,000 00				
	\$67,000 00	\$62,345 56	\$4,654 44		
3. For keep of horse and wagon----	400 00	366 63	33 37		
4. For postage, car fare, advertis- ing and incidentals--	\$2,000 00				
Additional appropria- tion, ord. July 19, 1911 -----	1,000 00				
Received by transfer, ord. Oct. 7, 1911---	4,000 00				
	7,000 00	5,864 12	1,135 88		
4½. Postage, car fare and incidentals, out of loan of July 14, 1910.					
Brought from books of 1910 -----	\$36 89				
Transferred from , ord. April 6, 1911---	36 89				
5. Painting telegraph poles, electric light poles, cross arms, mast arms and patrol boxes-----	500 00	499 98	02		
5b. Painting telegraph poles, etc. -----	\$0 07				
Out of \$500,000 loan, July 14, 1910.					
Brought from 1910.					
Transferred from , ord. April 6, 1911---	07				

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Department of Public Safety (Electrical Bureau).

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter- signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
6. or telephone service \$29,846 00 Ordinance for tele- phone service for the Chief of the Di- vision of School In- spection, Municipal Nurses, and the Den- tal Dispensary in the Bureau of Health, Departm't of Health and Charities, Reg- ister of Wills and the Southern Dis- pensary, app'd Mar. 30, 1911 ----- 300 00 or telephone service for the Department of Wharves, Docks and Ferries, ord. app'd July 6, 1911... 90 00 or installing Key- stone and Bell tele- phone apparatus in office building of De- partment of Wharves, Docks and Ferries at Race street wharf, receiv- ed by transfer, ord. Nov. 22, 1911----- 60 00					
	\$30,296 00	\$29,668 60	\$627 40		
7. or hauling, repairs and labor for underground electric service cable work ----- \$20,000 00 received by transfer, ord. May 15, 1911... 5,000 00 Additional appropria- tion, ord. June 1, 1911 ----- 12,000 00 Additional appropria- tion, ord. Oct. 3, 1911 ----- 10,000 00 Additional appropria- tion, out of tempo- rary loan, ord. Nov. 9, 1911----- 10,000 00					
	57,000 00	55,568 52	1,431 48		
71 Hauling, repairs and labor, to be taken out of loan of July 29, 1910, \$5,000,000. Brought from 1910--- \$98 50 Transferred from, ord. April 6, 1911--- 98 50					
8. or use of current and labor, exten- sions and repairs to the incandescent electric lighting, in-					

Table H—Continued.

Department of Public Safety (Electrical Bureau).

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loan not merged.
Item 8—Continued.					
stallation of police, fire and police patrol stations, Morgue, Chestnut and Race street piers, high pressure pumping station and City Hall-----	\$12,500 00				
Additional appropriation, ord. Dec. 1, 1911 -----	2,000 00				
Received by transfer, ord. Dec. 1, 1911-----	2,000 00				
		\$16,500 00	\$15,543 03	\$159 47	\$797 50
Sb. For use of current and labor, extensions, repairs, etc., to be taken out of \$5,000,000 loan of July 14, 1910, ord. July 29, 1910.					
Brought from 1910-----		1,253 30	1,253 30		
9. For electric lighting-\$1,238,923 15					
Additional appropriation for the erection of 20 electric lights under the archways of the Philadelphia and Reading Railway elevated tracks on Ninth street, between Fairmount avenue and Jefferson street, ord. app'd April 21, 1911-----	1,892 60				
		1,240,815 75	1,234,824 83	5,990 92	
10. For laying underground conduits and constructing manholes -----	\$20,000 00				
Received by transfer, ord. May 15, 1911----	7,337 75				
Additional appropriation, ord. Oct. 3, 1911 -----	10,000 00				
Additional appropriation, ord. Oct. 16, 1911 -----	10,000 00				
Additional appropriation, ord. June 14, 1911 -----	12,000 00				
		59,337 75	59,196 19	141 56	
10b. Laying underground conduits and constructing manholes, out of loan of July 14, 1910, ord. July 29, 1910.					
Brought from 1910----	\$82 62				
Transferred from, ord. April 6, 1911----	82 62				

Table H—Continued.

Department of Public Safety (Electrical Bureau).

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
<p>paying underground conduits, etc., taken out of loan of July 14, 1909, ord. Nov. 11, 1909.</p> <p>Bought from 1910----- \$3 77</p> <p>Transferred from, ord. April 6, 1911--- 3 77</p>					
For rental of telephones in the various police stations connected with the Electrical Bureau-----	\$5,286 00	\$5,286 00			
For reinforcing iron posts and materials incident thereto-----	1,000 00		\$1,000 00		
For the improvement and extension of the incandescent electric lighting, installation of police, fire and police patrol stations, Morgue, Chestnut and Race street piers, high pressure pumping station and City Hall, for the improvement and extension of police and fire alarm system, and for the further improvement of the underground conduit system-----	5,000 00	4,821 69	178 31		
For maintenance of automobile for use of Chief -----	500 00	349 83	150 17		
For improvement and extension of incandescent lighting, installation of police and patrol stations, etc., to be taken out of \$5,000,000 loan of July 14, 1910, ord. July 29, 1910.					
Bought from 1910-----	2,905 47	2,860 99			\$44 48*
For maintenance of City Hall elevator service and dynamo room and repairs thereto-----	5,000 00	4,215 68	784 32		
For permanent improvements needed during Founders' Week, to be taken out of \$3,500,000 loan of Oct. 17, 1908, ord. Nov. 21, 1908.					
Bought from books of 1910-----	504 30				504 20
For wages of elevator system: Elevator superintendent at \$5 per day, and uniforms, \$40; five elevator starters at \$3 per day each, and uniforms, \$40; ten elevator operators at \$2.75 per day each, and uniforms, \$40 each; thirty-two elevator operators at \$2.75 per day each, and uniforms, \$40 each. Lower Plant—Three engineers at \$4.50 per day each; seven pumpmen at \$3 per day each, and twenty-one firemen at \$2.75 per day each-----	81,517 75	77,436 61	4,081 14		

Table H—Continued.

Department of Public Safety (Electrical Bureau).

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loan not merging.
Items.					
17. For the improvement of the police and fire alarm system, to be taken out of \$5,739,700 loan of July 1, 1909, ord. July 19, 1909.					
Brought from 1910-----	\$5 15				
Transferred from, April 6, 1911 -----	5 15				
18. Additional appropriation for repairs to elevators in City Hall, ord. app'd April 21, 1911-----	\$34,000 00	\$13,029 99	\$1,232 80	\$19,737 21	
Transferred from Bureau of Highways for the South Broad Street Boulevard, ord. April 11, 1911, out of \$10,000,000 loan of April 16, 1911-----	75,000 00	32,505 18	-----	-----	\$42,398 82
19. For materials necessary for the electrical equipment of the Southern Boulevard, ord. June 24, 1911-- \$10,000 00 Additional appropriation, ord. July 19, 1911 ----- 10,000 00	20,000 00	5,800 14	3,102 29	11,497 57	
20. For repairs to damages caused by storms to the police and fire alarm service at Tacony, and to remove the overhead wires from Tacony street, between Bridge and Ashburn sts.	5,000 00	3,624 60	425 40	950 00	
22. An Ordinance to make an appropriation for the location of certain electric lights, app'd July 25, 1911-----	27,936 50	26,751 17	1,185 32		
1½. Deficiency Ordinance to pay bills for labor and materials already furnished, app'd March 30, 1911 -----	1,754 37	7,725 37	29 60		
21d. An Ordinance for reconstructing and replacing elevators in City Hall, app'd July 21, 1911, out of \$9,750,000 loan of June 19, 1911-----	100,000 00	-----	-----	-----	100,000 00
Totals-----	\$1,966,370 51	1,757,974 22	\$32,470 41	\$32,982 28	\$142,942 82

*Subject to transfer.

Loan, \$5,000,000 ----- \$44 48

Table H—Continued.

Department of Public Safety (Bureau of Inspectors of Steam Engines and Boilers).

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
Make an appropriation to the Bureau of Steam Engines and Boilers, for the year 1911, by Ord. Dec. 29, 1910. \$20,980 00					
books of 1910, \$500,000 loan, Item 2, balance -----	21				
	\$20,980 21				
transferred to Bureau of City Property by Ord. April 6, 1911, balance Item 2½----	21				
	\$20,980 00				
Additional appropriation by Ord. June 24, 1911 -----	250 00				
	\$21,230 00				
Salaries.					
Chief inspector -----	\$3,000 00				
Subsistants, \$1,300 each -----	7,800 00				
Chief Clerk -----	1,300 00				
Assistant clerk -----	900 00				
Registering clerk -----	900 00				
Messenger -----	800 00				
Driver -----	800 00				
To smoke inspectors, \$1,200 each-----	2,400 00				
Stenographer and typewriter -----	700 00				
	\$18,600 00	\$18,600 00			
Transportation of men, keep of horses, horseshoeing, repairs to wagons, harness, test lamps, gauges and tools-----	1,780 00	1,778 65	\$1 35		
For extra labor, clerk hire, janitor, testing plates, incidentals and advertising -----	300 00	300 00			
Freight -----	300 00	300 00			
To purchase a new wagon----	250 00	150 00	100 00		
Balance \$3,500,000 loan, for the same purpose as Item 2 -----	\$0 21				
Transferred to Item 3, Bureau of City Property -----	21				
Totals-----	\$21,230 00	\$21,128 65	\$101 35		

Table H—Continued.

Department of Public Safety (Bureau of Fire and Fire Escapes).

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter- signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loan no merg.
An Ordinance. Of the amount appropriated to this Department, the sum of \$1,198,199 is for the expenses of the Bureau of Fire and Fire Escapes. Ord. app'd Dec. 29, 1910-----\$1,198,199 00					
Loans brought forward from book of 1910:					
\$10,000,000 loan of April 15, 1908 -----	\$18,627 58				
\$5,739,700 loan of July 1, 1909 -----	68,067 64				
\$5,000,000 loan of July 14, 1910 -----	83,098 68				
	<u>169,793 90</u>				
	\$1,367,992 90				
Additional appropriation, ord. app'd Feb. 2, 1911	334,472 16				
	<u>\$1,702,465 06</u>				
Additional appropriation, ord. app'd Feb. 27, 1911	3,750 00				
	<u>\$1,706,215 06</u>				
Additional appropriation, ord. app'd Mar. 10, 1911	1,908 33				
	<u>\$1,708,123 39</u>				
Additional appropriation, ord. app'd Mar. 30, 1911	10,696 97				
	<u>\$1,718,820 36</u>				
Transfer from, out of loan of \$5,000,000 of July 14, 1910, ord. app'd April 6, 1911-----	18 32				
	<u>\$1,718,802 04</u>				
Additional appropriation, ord. app'd April 8, 1911	1,500 00				
	<u>\$1,720,302 04</u>				
Additional appropriation, ord. app'd June 15, 1911	72,150 00				
	<u>\$1,792,452 04</u>				
Additional appropriation, ord. app'd July 19, 1911	8,590 00				
	<u>\$1,801,042 04</u>				
Additional appropriation, out of loan of \$9,750,000 of July 19, 1911, ord. app'd July 21, 1911-----	500,000 00				
	<u>\$2,301,042 04</u>				
Additional appropriation, ord. app'd Nov. 9, 1911	30,000 00				
	<u>\$2,331,042 04</u>				

Table H—Continued.

Department of Public Safety (Bureau of Fire and Fire Escapes).

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
Transferred from, ord. p. Dec. 1, 1911-----	\$23,450 00				
	\$2,307,592 04				
Transferred to, ord. p. Dec. 1, 1911-----	1,450 00				
	\$2,309,042 04				
Salaries.					
Chief engineer and uniforms -----	\$4,600 00				
Assistant to chief engineer and uniforms -----	3,100 00				
Two assistant engineers, \$2,000 each and uniforms -----	20,750 00				
Joseph T. Hammond and uniforms -----	1,340 00				
Secretary and clerk of Bureau of Fire Escapes -----	1,600 00				
Storehouse clerk -----	1,200 00				
Measurer and uniforms -----	\$40 00				
Assistant clerk -----	1,000 00				
The telephone operators, \$1,000 each, and uniforms, \$40 each -----	3,120 00				
Diners of supply wagon and uniforms, \$40 -----	1,040 00				
Seventy-two foremen, \$400 each, and uniforms, \$40 each.-----	103,680 00				
Seventy-five assistant foremen, \$1,250 each, and uniforms, \$40 each -----	96,750 00				
Eleven engineers, \$1,200 each, and uniforms, \$40 each -----	70,680 00				
Eighty-nine firemen, \$100 each, and uniforms, \$40 each.-----	67,260 00				
Ninety-one drivers, \$100 each, and uniforms, \$40 each.-----	103,740 00				
Seventeen tillermen, \$200 each, and uniforms, \$40 each.-----	21,080 00				
Eight hundred and twenty-three hose men and ladder men provided, That all firemen and ladder men serving two years or less shall be paid \$900 each per annum and \$40	552,919 50				

Table H—Continued.

Department of Public Safety (Bureau of Fire and Fire Escapes).

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loss merging.
Item 1—Continued.					
each for uniforms. All hosemen and laddermen serving from two to four years shall be paid \$1,000 per annum and \$40 each for uniforms. All hosemen and laddermen serving over four years shall be paid \$1,100 each per annum and \$40 each for uniforms. And provided, That the first year of service of hosemen and laddermen shall expire on the thirty-first day of December next succeeding their appointment. Provided, also, That the Director shall detail four firemen for fire duty at the Philadelphia Hospital.					
Veterinary surgeon.....	\$2,000 00				
Assistant veterinary surgeon	1,200 00				
Superintendent of repair shop	1,800 00				
Assistant superintendent of repair shop	1,200 00				
Watchman and uniforms	780 00				
Nine machinists, \$1,000 each	9,000 00				
Black smith	1,100 00				
Three blacksmiths, \$1,000 each	3,000 00				
Six helpers, \$800 each	4,800 00				
Five wheelwrights, \$1,000 each	5,000 00				
Two plumbers and gas fitters, \$1,100 each	2,200 00				
Boilermaker	1,000 00				
Four carpenters, \$1,000 each, and uniforms, \$40 each	4,160 00				
Patternmaker	1,000 00				
Five painters, \$1,000 each	5,000 00				
Messenger of Bureau of Fire Escapes.....	50 00				
Fire main pumping station superintendent and uniforms	2,240 00				
Four engineers, \$1,400 each, and uniforms, \$40 each	5,760 00				

Table H—Continued.

Department of Public Safety (Bureau of Fire and Fire Escapes).

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter- signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
Continued.					
Three machinists, \$3.75 per day each—	\$3,521 25				
Day caulkers, \$3 per day each—	5,634 00				
Driver, \$2.25 per day—	704 25				
Laborers, \$2 per day each—	3,756 00				
Fourteen oilers, \$800 each, and uniforms, \$40 each—	11,760 00				
Two janitors, \$720 each—	1,440 00				
Provided, That the money appropriated on this item for uni- forms shall be paid to each man.					
Provided further, That Section 5 of an ordinance ap- proved February 28, 1896, shall not apply to this item.					
	\$1,132,805 00				
To provide for the creation of the posi- tion of Fire Inspec- tor in the Depart- ment of Public Safety (Bureau of Fire). Appointment to date from March 1, 1911. Annual salary \$4,500. Ad- ditional appropria- tion, ord. app'd Feb. 27, 1911—	3,750 00				
To provide for addi- tional district en- gineer at the rate of \$2,000 per annum, to date from Feb. 1, 1911, and uni- forms, \$75. Addi- tional appropria- tion, ord. app'd March 10, 1911—	1,908 33				
	\$1,133,463 33				
To salaries, so as to provide for three hundred additional firemen and uni- forms from Oct. 1, 1911. Additional appropriation, June 3, 1911—	72,000 00				
	\$1,210,463 33				

Table H—Continued.

Department of Public Safety (Bureau of Fire and Fire Escapes).

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount countersigned.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loan not merging.
Item 1—Continued.					
For an additional driver at the rate of \$1,100, to date from July 1, 1911, and uniforms, \$40. Additional appropriation, ord. app'd July 19, 1911-----	\$590 00				
For salaries, out of the \$1,200,000 temporary loan for general municipal purposes. Additional appropriation, ord. app'd Nov. 9, 1911--	30,000 00				
	\$1,241,053 33				
Transferred from, ord. app'd Dec. 1, 1911 -----	23,000 00				
	\$1,218,053 33	1,191,930 02	-----	\$26,123 31	
1b. For salaries. Brought forward from books of 1910, out of loan of \$5,000,000 of July 14, 1910, ord. app'd July 29, 1910.-----		1,321 19	1,321 19		
1½. To pay claims against the City for work and labor heretofore done and materials heretofore furnished to the Department of Public Safety (Bureau of Fire). Additional appropriation, ord. app'd March 30, 1911.-----		10,696 97	10,696 41	\$0 56	
2. For horseshoeing and pasturing -----	\$13,200 00				
For medicines and surgical appliances for veterinary uses--	1,800 00				
	\$15,000 00				
Provided, That warrants may be countersigned for horseshoeing and medicines in this item on the approval of the bills by the Director without advertising: Provided, however, That said horseshoeing shall only be given to those who pay the union rate of wages.					

Table H—Continued.

Department of Public Safety (Bureau of Fire and Fire Escapes).

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
2—Continued.					
Additional appropriation, ord. app'd July 19, 1911----- \$4,000 00 \$19,000 00 Transferred to, ord. app'd Dec. 1, 1911-- 1,000 00	\$20,000 00	\$19,099 15	\$900 85		
2b Same purposes as Item 2. Brought forward from books of 1910, out of loan of \$5,000,000 of July 14, 1910, ord. app'd July 29, 1910----- \$18 32 Transferred from, ord. app'd April 6, 1911 ----- 18 32					
2c Maintenance of automobile for use of the chief-----	1,000 00	815 91	184 09		
For repairs to apparatus and rebuilding same-----	2,500 00	2,160 32	339 68		
4. For repairs to harness-----	150 00	78 60	71 40		
5. For cleaning bunk-rooms----- \$24,144 00 Transferred from, ord. app'd Dec. 1, 1911 ----- 450 00	23,694 00	23,481 33	212 67		
6. For postage and incidental expenses----- \$300 00 Additional appropriation, ord. app'd June 15, 1911----- 150 00 Transferred to, ord. app'd Dec. 1, 1911-- 450 00	900 00	473 90	426 10		
7. For expenses incurred in removing dangerous walls, as provided by ord. of April 30, 1883-----	300 00	-----	300 00		
8. For alterations and repairs to fire houses-----	4,000 00	3,840 42	159 58		
8b Same purposes as Item 8. Brought forward from books of 1910, out of loan of \$5,000,000 of July 14, 1910, ord. app'd July 29, 1910-----	6,500 00	6,291 29	-----		\$208 71
9. For alterations and repairs to truck house No. 4. Brought forward from books of 1910, out of loan of \$5,000,000 of July 14, 1910, ord. app'd Dec. 29, 1910-----	5,000 00	748 00	-----		4,252 00

Table H—Continued.

Department of Public Safety (Bureau of Fire and Fire Escapes).

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
Items.					
9. For Firemen's Pension Fund-----	\$18,000 00	\$18,000 00			
10. For building and machinery for high pressure system in the Northeast section of the City of Philadelphia. Brought forward from books of 1910, out of loan of \$10,000,000 of April 15, 1908, ord. app'd June 20, 1908-----	18,627 58	18,598 55			*\$29
10a. For extension of the fire main system in the Northeast section. alterations, repairs and additions to Fairhill Reservoir. Brought forward from books of 1910, out of loan of \$5,739,700 of July 1, 1910, ord. app'd July 16, 1909-----	68,067 64	66,538 26			1,529
11b. For completion of the high pressure fire main system in the Northeast section of the City of Philadelphia. Brought forward from books of 1910, out of loan of \$5,000,000 of July 11, 1910, ord. app'd July 29, 1910-----	70,259 17	70,259 17			
12. An Ordinance to make an appropriation to pay the Millard Construction Company for work done on the high pressure fire main system in the mill district of the City of Philadelphia. Additional appropriation, ord. app'd Feb. 2, 1911--	334,472 16	334,472 16			
13 (New). For work on the high pressure fire main system in the mill district. Additional appropriation, ord. app'd April 8, 1911-----	1,500 00		\$1,500 00		
14d. For the completion of the high pressure fire main system in the mill district in accordance with the ordinance approved July 16, 1909. Additional appropriation, out of loan of \$9,750,000 of June 19, 1911, ord. app'd July 21, 1911-----	500,000 00	66,733 01			433,266 1
15. For the purchase of one combination automobile chemical and hose wagon. Additional appropriation, ord. app'd July 19, 1911-----	4,000 00	4,000 00			
Totals-----	\$2,309,042 04	1,839,537 69	\$1,094 93	\$26,123 31	\$439,281 1

Loan subject to transfer:

Item 10, out of the
\$10,000,000 loan of
April 15, 1908----- \$29 03*

Table H—Continued.

Department of Public Safety (Bureau of Police).

General Appropriation.	Amount appro- priated.	Amount counter- signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of Public Safety (Bureau of Police) for the year 1911, ord. app'd Dec. 29, 1910.....	\$3,665,857 50				
Emergency, out of \$50,000 loan of July 14, 1910, ord. app'd Jan. 29, 1910.					
Right from books of 1910.....	22,807 57				
	\$3,688,665 07				
Additional appropriation, ord. app'd Feb. 24, 1911	17,000 00				
	\$3,705,665 07				
Emergency ordinance, approved March 30, 1911, to pay for work previously done	11,598 35				
	\$3,717,263 42				
Transferred from, ord. app'd April 6, 1911.....	266 54				
	\$3,717,056 88				
Additional appropriation, ord. app'd June 15, 1911	102,232 16				
	\$3,819,289 04				
Additional appropriation, ord. app'd June 14, 1911	2,804 50				
	\$3,822,093 54				
Additional appropriation, ord. app'd June 21, 1911	875 00				
	\$3,822,968 54				
Additional appropriation, ord. app'd June 24, 1911	2,500 00				
	\$3,825,468 54				
Additional appropriation, ord. app'd July 19, 1911	12,000 00				
	\$3,837,468 54				
Transferred from, ord. app'd Nov. 6, 1911.....	102,514 37				
	\$3,734,954 17				
Additional appropriation, out of temporary loan of \$1,200,000, app'd Nov. 9, 1911.....	450,549 00				
	\$4,185,503 17				
Transferred from, ord. app'd Nov. 22, 1911.....	6,068 95				
	\$4,179,434 22				
Transferred to, ord. app'd Nov. 22, 1911.....	330 03				
	\$4,179,764 25				

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Department of Public Safety (Bureau of Police).

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loan not merging.
Additional appropriation, unexpended balance, \$1,200,000 temporary loan, ord. app'd Nov. 22, 1911 -----	\$659 02				
	\$4,180,423 27				
Transferred from, ord. app'd Dec. 1, 1911-----	6,255 75				
	\$4,174,167 52				
Transferred to, ord. app'd Dec. 1, 1911-----	14,357 00				
	\$4,188,524 52				
Transferred from, ord. app'd Dec. 29, 1911-----	10,309 17				
	\$4,178,215 35				
Items.					
1. For salaries:					
Superintendent of Police and uniforms----	\$4,600 00				
Assistant Superintendent of Police and uniforms -----	3,100 00				
Chief clerk -----	1,800 00				
Two assistant clerks, \$1,100 each -----	2,200 00				
Central Station clerk-----	2,000 00				
Stenographer -----	1,200 00				
Clerk to Superintendent of Police and uniforms -----	1,840 00				
Record clerk and assistant to superintendent, \$1,340 each, and uniforms -----	2,680 00				
Storehouse clerk -----	900 00				
Clerk to detectives and uniforms -----	1,640 00				
Complaint clerk and uniforms -----	1,240 00				
Messenger and uniforms -----	1,140 00				
Driver of supply wagon and uniforms----	790 00				
Fire marshal -----	2,500 00				
Two assistant fire marshals, \$2,000 ea. -----	4,000 00				
Two assistant fire marshals, \$1,200 ea. -----	2,400 00				
Clerk to fire marshal-----	1,000 00				
Surgeon -----	2,500 00				
Five captains of police, \$2,100 each, and uniforms, \$100 each -----	11,000 00				
Captain of detective squad -----	2,500 00				
Twenty-eight detectives, \$1,700 each----	47,600 00				
Meat detective -----	1,750 00				

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Department of Public Safety (Bureau of Police).

General Appropriation.	Amount appro- priated.	Amount counter- signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
Continued.					
illmaster and uni- forms -----	\$1,875 00				
uperintendent o f horses and uniforms	1,875 00				
ssistant superinten- dent of horses and uniforms -----	840 00				
fficial photographer	1,600 00				
ssist't photographer	1,200 00				
x van drivers, \$900 each, and uniforms,					
\$40 each -----	5,640 00				
orty-three Heuten- ants, \$1,800 each, and uniforms, \$75 each -----	80,625 00				
ne hundred and ten street sergeants, \$1,400 each, and uni- forms, \$50 each-----	159,500 00				
ne hundred and thir- ty-one telegraph ser- geants, \$1,200 each, and uniforms, \$40 each -----	162,440 00				
eventy patrol ser- geants, \$1,200 each, and uniforms, \$40 each -----	86,800 00				
wo thousand seven hundred and forty patrolmen and two hundred and fifty substitute patrol- men, \$40 each for uniforms; \$50 for uniforms for men in mounted service; total, \$3,321,003.75.					
rovided, That all patrolmen sworn in during the year 1911 shall be paid at the rate of \$2.50 per day; all sworn in during the year 1910 shall be paid at the rate of \$2.65 per day; all sworn in during the year 1909 shall be paid at the rate of \$2.75 per day; all sworn in during the year 1908 shall be paid at the rate of \$2.85 per day; all sworn in prior to 1908 and in continuous service in the Department shall be paid at the rate of \$3 per day; sub- stitute patrolmen to					

Table H—Continued.

Department of Public Safety (Bureau of Police).

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loan not merging.
Item 1—Continued.					
be paid at the rate of \$2.25 per day.					
Provided further, That the Director shall be allowed, when in his judgment he deems it necessary, to detail substitute patrolmen for quarantining purposes; twenty patrolmen in public squares from May 1st to November 1st at \$2.50 per day each -----	\$9,200 00				
Nine engineers, \$1,200 each, and uniforms, \$40 each -----	11,160 00				
Eleven pilots, \$1,250 each, and uniforms, \$40 each -----	14,190 00				
Ten firemen, \$1,000 each, and uniforms, \$40 -----	10,400 00				
Supervising matron--- 720 00					
Matron ----- 720 00					
Twenty-three matrons, \$650 each-----	14,950 00				
Three deck laborers, \$720 each, and uniforms, \$40 each-----	2,280 00				
Two lieutenants of City Hall guards, \$1,400 each, and uniforms, \$40 each-----	2,880 00				
Sixty-eight guards for City Hall, \$2.25 per day each, and uniforms, \$40 each-----	58,565 00				
Riding instructor and uniforms -----	1,875 00				
	\$3,497,332 50				
Provided, That the money appropriated in this item for uniforms shall be paid to each man.					
Provided, also, That Section 5 or ordinance approved Feb. 28, 1856, shall not apply to this item.					
Additional appropriation, ord. authorizing the Director of the Department of Public Safety to appoint ten inspectors under the fire marshal, at an annual					

Table H—Continued.

Department of Public Safety (Bureau of Police).

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
m—Continued.					
Salary of \$1,200 each, and there is hereby appropriated to Item 1 in the appropriation to the Department of Public Safety (Bureau of Police), for the year 1911, the sum of \$12,000 for the payment of said salaries for the year 1911. This ordinance to be in full force and effect on and after Jan. 1, 1911. Ord. app'd Feb. 24, 1911-----	\$12,000 00				
	\$3,509,332 50				
Additional appropriation, ord. to provide for six street sergeants and uniforms, from July 1, 1911, \$3,900, and so as to provide for one hundred and fifty foot and fifty mounted patrolmen and uniforms, from July 1, 1911, \$95,732.16, ord. app'd June 15, 1911-----	99,632 16				
	\$3,608,964 66				
Additional appropriation ord., so that the salary of the surgeon shall be at the rate of \$4,000 per annum, in lieu of \$2,500 per annum, from June 1, 1911, ord. app'd June 21, 1911-----	875 00				
	\$3,609,839 66				
Transferred from, ord. app'd Nov. 6, 1911-----	102,514 37				
	\$3,507,325 29				
Additional appropriation, out of temporary loan of \$1,200,000, ord. app'd Nov. 9, 1911-----	450,000 00				
	\$3,957,325 29				

Table H—Continued.

Department of Public Safety (Bureau of Police).

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter- signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Lo- an merg.
Item 1—Continued.					
Transferred from, ord. app'd Nov. 22, 1911 -----	\$6,068 95				
	\$3,951,256 34				
Transferred from, ord. app'd Dec. 1, 1911 -----	6,255 75				
	\$3,945,000 59				
Transferred from, ord. app'd Dec. 29, 1911 -----	10,309 17				
	\$3,934,691 42	3,902,853 88	\$31,837 54		
1b. For same purpose as Item 1, non-merger, brought from books of 1910, out of \$5,000,000 loan of July 14, 1910, ord. app'd July 29, 1910-----		16,062 42	\$16,062 42		
2. For cleaning station houses and patrol houses and removal of ashes and pay of cleaners \$18,000 00 Additional appropria- tion, out of tempo- rary loan of \$1,200,- 000, app'd Nov. 9, 1911 -----	28 00				
	18,028 00	18,013 07	14 93		
3. For miscellaneous expenses of van service, including pay of hostlers at \$720 per annum each -----	\$20,000 00				
Additional appropria- tion, ord. app'd June 14, 1911-----	2,804 50				
	\$22,804 50				
Additional appropria- tion, out of tempo- rary loan of \$1,200,- 000, app'd Nov. 9, 1911 -----	521 00				
	23,325 50	23,300 79	24 71		
3b. For same purpose as Item 3, non-merger, brought from books of 1910, out of \$5,000,000 loan of July 14, 1910, ord. app'd July 29, 1910-----		209 68	152 88		*\$56
4. For medical attendance and meals at station houses and transportation, to pay bill already in- curred -----	\$4,000 00				
Transferred to, ord. app'd Dec. 1, 1911---	4,246 35				
	8,246 35	8,236 95	9 40		

Table H—Continued.

Department of Public Safety (Bureau of Police).

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
For same purpose as Item 4, non-merger, brought from book of 1910, out of \$5,000,000 loan of July 14, 1910, ord. app'd July 29, 1910-----	\$693 91	\$693 00	-----	-----	*\$0 91
For drugs and medicines at station houses----- Provided, That warrants may be countersigned on this item without advertising, upon the approval of bills by the Director of the Department of Public Safety.	500 00	499 51	\$0 49		
For same purpose as Item 5, non-merger, from books of 1910, out of \$5,000,000 loan of July 14, 1910, ord. app'd July 29, 1910-----	138 10	138 10			
For repairs to badges, batons, buttons, belts, lanterns and whistles-----	100 00	92 15	7 85		
Non-merger, brought from books of 1910, for same purpose as Item 6----- Transferred from, ord. app'd April 6, 1911, out of \$5,000,000 loan of July 29, 1910-----	\$5 00 5 00				
For placing street names upon public lamps, sign-boards and road posts----- Provided, That warrants may be countersigned on this item without advertising, upon the approval of bills by the Director of the Department of Public Safety.	500 00	499 00	1 00		
For postage, incidentals and miscellaneous expenses of offices, station houses----- Transferred to, ord. app'd Nov. 22, 1911----- \$330 03 Transferred to, ord. app'd Dec. 1, 1911, to pay bills already incurred-----	\$500 00 330 03 \$330 03 828 05				
	1,658 08	1,629 54	28 54		
For same purpose as Item 8, non-merger, brought from books of 1910, ord. app'd July 29, 1910, out of \$5,000,000 loan of July 14, 1910-----	189 84	189 10	-----	-----	*74

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Department of Public Safety (Bureau of Police).

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loan not merged.
Items.					
9. For taking up dogs and goats and killing the same: Women's Pennsylvania Society to Prevent Cruelty to Animals, \$8,000; Morris Refuge Home, \$2,000 -----	\$10,000 00	\$10,000 00			
10. For the detection, arrest and conviction of offenders, for eign telegraph service, investigation and procuring evidence in the alleged violation of law and for the pursuit of criminals at the direction of the Director of the Department of Public Safety, and for carfare of officers ----- \$4,000 00					
Provided, That the Director may draw in advance of the actual expenditure of money, the sum of warrant to be \$1,000; said money to provide emergency cash fund for the above work.					
Additional appropriation, ord. app'd June 24, 1911 ----- 2,000 00					
	\$6,000 00				
Additional appropriation, ord. app'd July 19, 1911 ----- 4,000 00					
	\$10,000 00				
Transferred to, ord. app'd Dec. 1, 1911, to pay bills already incurred ----- 2,509 79					
	12,509 79	11,572 67	\$937 12		
10b. For securing evidence, etc., brought from books of 1910, non-merger, out of \$5,000,000 loan of July 29, 1910 ----- \$50 21					
Transferred from, ord. app'd April 6, 1911 ----- 50 21					
	100 00	97 98	2 02		
11. For general advertising -----					
11b. For same purpose as Item 11, non-merger, brought from books of 1910, out of \$5,000,000 loan of July 14, 1910, ord. app'd July 29, 1910. ----- \$29 45					
Transferred from, ord. app'd April 6, 1910 ----- 29 45					

Table H—Continued.

Department of Public Safety (Bureau of Police).

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
2. For maintenance, repairs, miscellaneous expenses of running of police coats ----- \$1,000 00 transferred to, ord. app'd Dec. 1, 1911, to pay bills already incurred ----- 71 00	\$1,071 00	\$848 71	\$222 29		
2b. For same purposes as Item 12, non-merger, brought from books of 1910, out of \$5,000,000 loan of July 14, 1910, ord. app'd July 29, 1910.-----	1,572 21	1,441 71			\$130 50
2½. For purchase of searchlight for fireboat Edwin S. Stuart, out of \$5,000,000 loan of July 14, 1910, ord. app'd July 29, 1910. from books of 1910.----- \$3 00 transferred from, ord. app'd April 6, 1911 ----- 3 00					
3. For payments to hospitals for ambulance service: German (2), Episcopal (2), St. Joseph's (2), Methodist Episcopal (2), Jewish (2), Women's (2), Presbyterian (2), University (2), Children's Homeopathic, Germantown, St. Mary's, St. Agnes', Medico-Chirurgical, Children's, St. Timothy's, Hahnemann, Samaritan, Jefferson Medical College, St. Christopher's, St. Luke's, Mt. Sinai, Polyclinic, West Philadelphia General Homeopathic, Women's Southern Homeopathic, Stetson, Roosevelt, Frankford, Northwestern General, Webb's Homeopathic Dispensary, Mercy, Garretson, Women's Homeopathic, West Philadelphia Women's, Douglass and Chestnut Hill Hospitals, \$375 each-----	16,125 00	16,125 00			
14. Miscellaneous expenses of patrol wagons -----	200 00	199 19	81		
14. For same purpose as Item 14, non-merger, brought from books of 1910, out of \$5,000,000 loan of July 14, 1910, ord. app'd July 29, 1910.-----	200 00	100 00			*100 00

Table H—Continued.

Department of Public Safety (Bureau of Police).

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter- signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loar not mergh
Items.					
15. For horseshoeing ----- \$20,000 00 Provided, That war- rants may be coun- tersigned on this item, upon the ap- proval of bills by the Director, with- out advertising: Provided, however, That the work shall only be given to those who pay the union rate of wages. Additional appropria- tion, ord. app'd June 15, 1911----- 2,600 00 \$22,600 00 Additional appropria- tion, ord. app'd July 19, 1911----- 5,000 00	\$27,600 00	\$27,219 87	\$380 13		
15b. For same purpose as Item 15, non-merger, brought from books of 1910, out of \$5,000,000 loan of July 14, 1910, ord. app'd July 29, 1910-----	1,301 20				\$1,301 20
16. For keep and pasturing of horses, removing dead ani- mals, and horse am- bulance service ----- \$2,000 00 Transferred to, ord. app'd Dec. 1, 1911--- 2,697 06	4,697 06	4,455 06	242 00		
16b. Non-merger, brought from books of 1910, out of \$5,000,- 000 loan of July 14, 1910, ord. app'd July 29, 1910--- \$4 48 Transferred from, ord. app'd April 6, 1911, to pay bills al- ready incurred ----- 4 48					
17. Repairs to harness-----	500 00	481 63	18 37		
17b. For same purpose as Item 17, non-merger, brought from books of 1910, out of \$5,000,- 000 loan of July 14, 1910, ord. app'd July 29, 1910-----	473 40	473 40			
18. Repairs to bedding and furniture ----- \$100 00 Transferred to, ord. app'd Dec. 1, 1911, to pay bills already incurred ----- 335 49	435 49	424 73	10 76		

Table H—Continued.

Department of Public Safety (Bureau of Police).

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
b. For same purpose as Item 18, non-merger, brought from books of 1910, out of \$5,000,000 loan of July 14, 1910, ord. app'd July 29, 1910-----	\$216 64	\$65 03	-----	-----	\$151 61
c. For Police Pension Fund-----	60,000 00	60,000 00			
d. Repairs to bicycles-----	100 00	96 28	\$3 62		
bb. non-merger, brought from books of 1910, out of \$5,000,000 loan of July 14, 1910, ord. app'd July 29, 1910-----	\$0 45				
Transferred from, ord. app'd April 6, 1911-----	45				
1. For keep of horses, transportation, incidentals and maintenance of wagons of fire marshal and assistants-----	\$1,000 00				
Ordinance — For the keep of horses, transportation, etc., the sum of \$1,000, and for postage, printing, stationery, etc., \$1,000; total, \$5,000. This ordinance to be in full force and effect after Jan. 1, 1911, ord. app'd Feb. 24, 1911-----	5,000 00				
	\$6,000 00				
Transferred to, ord. app'd Dec. 1, 1911, to pay bills already incurred-----	948 84				
	6,948 84	4,488 97	2,459 87		
1b. For same purpose as Item 21, non-merger, brought from books of 1910, out of \$5,000,000 loan of July 14, 1910, ord. app'd July 29, 1910-----	443 84	94 60	-----	-----	349 24
2. For expenses incurred in providing medicines and general provisions for houses quarantined-----	\$200 00				
Transferred to, ord. app'd Dec. 1, 1911, to pay bills already incurred-----	3 03				
	203 03	3 03	200 00		

Table H—Continued.

Department of Public Safety (Bureau of Police).

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter- signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loan not mergi
Items.					
22b. For same purpose as Item 22, non-merger. Brought from books of 1910, out of \$5,000,000 loan of July 14, 1910, ord. app'd July 29, 1910----- \$100 00 Transferred from, April 6, 1911----- 100 00					
23. For annual dues of Superinten- dent of Police, National Bu- reau of Indentification-----	\$100 00	\$100 00			
24. For purchase of motor cycle and supplies, repairing and maintenance of same ----- \$500 00 Transferred to, ord. app'd Dec. 1, 1911, to pay bills already incurred ----- 129 37					
	629 37	506 71	\$122 66		
25. Maintenance of auto- mobile for police surgeon ----- \$1,000 00 Transferred to, ord. app'd Dec. 1, 1911, to pay bills already incurred ----- 825 85					
	1,825 85	1,304 05	521 80		
26. For uniforms and equipment of private patrolmen or watchmen authorized to be appointed un- der Acts of April 26, 1870, and June 1, 1885-----	4,000 00	3,401 70	598 30		
26b. For same purpose as Item 26, non-merger. Brought from books of 1910, out of \$5,000,000 loan of July 14, 1910, ord. app'd July 29, 1910----- \$13 95 Transferred from, ord. April 6, 1911--- 13 95					
27. For maintenance of automobile police patrol wag- ons ----- \$3,000 00 Transferred to, ord. app'd Dec. 1, 1911, to pay bills already incurred ----- 1,296 02					
	4,296 02	4,071 48	224 54		
27b. For same purpose as Item 27, non-merger, brought from books of 1910, out of \$5,000,000 loan of July 14, 1910, ord. app'd July 29, 1910-----	1,099 79	940 56			\$15 3

Table H—Continued.

Department of Public Safety (Bureau of Police).

General Appropriation.	Amount appro- priated.	Amount counter- signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
Maintenance of automobile for Superintendent of Police ----- \$1,000 00 Transferred to, ord. app'd Dec. 1, 1911, to pay bills already incurred ----- 191 90 ----- \$1,191 90					
(w). For maintenance of auto- mobile for Assistant Superin- tendent of Police, ord. app'd June 24, 1911 ----- \$500 00 Transferred to, ord. app'd Nov. 22, 1911, out of temporary loan of \$1,200,000, to pay bills already incurred ----- 659 02 ----- \$1,159 02 Transferred to, ord. app'd Dec. 1, 1911, to pay bills already incurred ----- 116 85 ----- 1,275 87					
(w). For the purchase and maintenance of an automobile for the use of the fire marshal. Additional appropria- tion, ord. app'd July 19, 1911 ----- \$3,000 00 Transferred to, ord. app'd Dec. 1, 1911, to pay bills already incurred ----- 157 40 ----- 3,157 40					
(New). Deficiency ord., app'd March 30, 1911, to pay for work previously done ----- ----- 11,598 35					
Totals-----	\$4,178,215 35	4,137,295 42	\$38,669 70	-----	\$2,250 23

Subject to transfer.

1,000,000 loan, July 14, 1910, ord. app'd July 29, 1910 -----	\$36 80
1,000,000 loan, July 14, 1910, ord. app'd July 29, 1910 -----	91
1,000,000 loan, July 14, 1910, ord. app'd July 29, 1910 -----	74
1,000,000 loan, July 14, 1910, ord. app'd July 29, 1910 -----	100 00

Table H—Continued.

Department of Public Works (Director's Office).

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter- signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loan not merging.
An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Director's Office (Department of Public Works), ord. app'd Dec. 31, 1910 -----	\$34,860 00				
Non-merger, brought from books of 1910, out of \$5,000,000 loan of July 14, 1910, ord. app'd July 29, 1910 -----	204 87				
	\$35,064 87				
Additional appropriation, ord. app'd March 10, 1911-----	100 00				
	\$35,164 87				
Deficiency, ord. app'd March 30, 1911-----	1,421 00				
	\$36,585 87				
Additional appropriation, ord. app'd June 21, 1911-----	641 66				
	\$37,227 53				
Transferred to, ord. app'd July 6, 1911---	1,840 00				
	\$39,067 53				
Transferred from, ord. app'd Oct. 7, 1911 -----	277 00				
	\$38,790 53				
Transferred to, ord. app'd Oct. 7, 1911--	682 00				
	\$39,472 53				
Transferred to, ord. app'd Nov. 22, 1911--	930 00				
	\$40,402 53				
Transferred to, ord. app'd Dec. 1, 1911--	1,500 00				
	\$41,902 53				
Items.					
1. For salaries.					
Director of the Department of Public Works -----	\$10,000 00				
Provided, That the Director shall give his entire time and undivided attention to the duties of his office.					
Assistant director-----	4,000 00				
Chief clerk -----	2,500 00				
Clerk -----	1,500 00				
Assistant clerk -----	1,200 00				

Table H—Continued.

Department of Public Works (Director's Office).

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
enl—Continued.					
Special inspector --- -- \$2,500 00					
General inspector ----- 1,400 00					
Enographer and ----- 1,100 00					
Clerk ----- 900 00					
Enographer and ----- 900 00					
Typewriter ----- 900 00					
Messenger ----- 1,800 00					
Special photographer ----- 1,300 00					
Asst't photographer ----- 360 00					
Office boy ----- 2,000 00					
Two chauffeurs, \$1,000 each ----- 2,000 00					
	\$31,460 00				
Additional appropriation, ord. app'd June 21, 1911, so that the salary of the general inspector shall be at the rate of \$2,500 per annum in lieu of \$1,400 per annum, from June 1, 1911----- 641 66					
	\$32,101 66				
Transferred from, ord. app'd Oct. 7, 1911 ----- 277 00					
	\$31,824 66	\$31,533 53	\$291 13		
2. For maintenance and keep of horse and carriage and hire of vehicles for general inspector-- 400 00		400 00			
2 1/2 New). Deficiency ord., app'd March 30, 1911, to pay for work previously done----- 1,421 00		1,421 00			
3. For advertising, carriage hire, transportation, office fixtures, postage, cleaning office and incidental expenses ----- \$1,000 00					
Transferred to, ord. app'd Oct. 7, 1911-- 682 00					
	\$1,682 00				
Transferred to, ord. app'd Dec. 1, 1911-- 300 00					
	1,982 00	1,967 38	14 62		
3 1/2 For advertising, carriage hire, purchasing adding machine, etc., non-merger, brought from books of 1910, out of \$5,000,000 loan of July 14, 1910, ord. app'd July 29, 1910----- 204 87		204 87			

Table H—Continued.

Department of Public Works (Director's Office).

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter- signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Lo- ne merg
Items.					
3½ (New). To pay Edward B. Paul, owner of record of property, No 1:00 South Twenty-second street, for damages caused by a sewer and manhole in the pavement of said property, ord. app'd Dec. 1, 1911-----	\$1,200 00	\$1,200 00			
4. For maintenance and equipment of two automobiles and uni- forms for chauff- eurs ----- \$2,000 00 Transferred to, ord. app'd July 6, 1911-- 1,840 00 ----- \$3,840 00 Transferred to, ord. app'd Nov. 22, 1911-- 930 00 -----	4,770 00	3,889 04	\$880 96		
5. For annual membership fee to organization of City officials for standardizing paving speci- fications, ord. app'd March 10, 1911 ----- Provided, That the Director shall be allowed, when it is in his judgment to the best interests of the City, to purchase or contract, without advertising, bills not exceeding the sum of \$100.	100 00	100 00			
Totals-----	\$41,902 53	\$40,715 82	\$1,186 71		

Table H—Continued.

Department of Public Works (Bureau of Highways).

General Appropriation.	Amount appro- priated.	Amount counter- signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
The amount appropriated to this Department the sum of \$2,741,696 for the expenses of the Bureau of Highways, as follows:					
Ordered, That the Director of the Department of Public Works may cause any special work chargeable to Item 12, repairs to meadow dikes, and Item 18, emergencies, to be done by day's labor.					
\$2,741,696 00					
Brought from books of 18, account regular appropriation -----	592,869 46				
Out of the \$5,000,000 loan of June 11, 1902 -----	17,101 60				
Out of the \$16,000,000 loan of May 18, 1904 -----	412,878 63				
Out of the \$13,500,000 loan of Feb. 9, 1907 -----	144,910 06				
Out of the \$10,000,000 loan of April 15, 1908 -----	547,627 40				
Out of the \$3,500,000 loan of Oct. 17, 1908 -----	13,593 13				
Out of the \$5,739,700 loan of July 1, 1909 -----	77,822 88				
Out of the \$5,000,000 loan of July 14, 1910 -----	245,402 98				
\$4,793,902 14					
Additional appropriation, ord. app'd March 30, 11 -----	10,888 20				
\$4,804,790 34					
Transferred from, ord. app'd April 1, 1911 -----	125,000 00				
\$4,679,790 34					
Transferred to, ord. app'd March 30, 1911 -----	32,000 00				
\$4,711,790 34					
Transferred to, ord. app'd April 8, 1911 -----	1,500 00				
\$4,713,290 34					
Transferred from, ord. app'd April 6, 1911 -----	180 61				
\$4,713,109 73					
Transferred to, ord. app'd April 15, 1911 -----	103,328 60				
\$4,816,438 33					
Additional appropriation, ord. app'd April 21, 1911 -----	245,000 00				
\$5,061,438 33					
Additional appropriation, ord. app'd May 16, 1911 -----	5,256 78				
\$5,066,695 11					

Table H—Continued.

Department of Public Works (Bureau of Highways).

General Appropriation.	Amount appro- priated.	Amount counter- signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Lo- an merg
Additional appropriation, out of the \$2,800,000 loan of April 21, 1911, ord. app'd May 25, 1911 \$1,200,000 00					
	\$6,266,695 11				
Additional appropriation, ord. app'd June 14, 1911 34,708 30					
	\$6,301,403 41				
Transferred from, ord. app'd June 20, 1911----- 50,000 00					
	\$6,251,403 41				
Additional appropriation, ord. app'd June 24, 1911 1,600 00					
Additional appropriation, ord. app'd July 5, 1911 6,551 08					
	\$6,259,554 49				
Transferred from, ord. app'd July 6, 1911----- 151,840 00					
	\$6,107,714 49				
Transferred from, ord. app'd July 19, 1911----- \$1,468 32					
Transferred to, ord. app'd July 19, 1911----- 1,468 32					
Additional appropriation, out of the \$9,750,000 loan of June 19, 1911, ord. app'd July 21, 1911 ----- 1,550,000 00					
	\$7,657,714 49				
Transferred from, ord. app'd Oct. 7, 1911----- 405 00					
	\$7,657,309 49				
Transferred to, ord. app'd Nov. 6, 1911----- 25,000 00					
	\$7,682,309 49				
Additional appropriation, temporary loan. ord. app'd Nov. 9, 1911----- 85,000 00					
	\$7,767,309 49				
Transferred from, ord. app'd Nov. 10, 1911----- 56,077 96					
	\$7,711,231 53				
Additional appropriation, ord. app'd Nov. 22, 1911 1,571 00					
	\$7,712,802 53				
Transferred from, ord. app'd Nov. 22, 1911----- 9,502 10					
	\$7,703,300 43				

Table H—Continued.

Department of Public Works (Bureau of Highways).

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter- signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
referred to, ord. app'd No 22, 1911-----	\$6,401 76				
	\$7,709,702 19				
referred from, ord. ap 1 Dec. 1, 1911-----	300 00				
	\$7,709,402 19				
referred to, ord. app'd Dec 1, 1911-----	1,175 38				
	\$7,710,577 57				
for salaries.					
Chief of Bureau-----	\$6,000 00				
Assistant Chief of Bu- reau-----	3,000 00				
Eight assistant com- missioners, \$2,500 ea- Assistant commissioner, in charge of rail- way streets-----	20,000 00				
Assistant commissioner, in charge of re- pairs to bridges and sewers-----	2,500 00				
General inspector-----	2,500 00				
Special inspector of railway streets-----	1,800 00				
Twenty-six highways inspectors, \$1,300 ea- Twenty-three inspec- tors of street clean- ing and removal of ashes and garbage, \$1,300 each-----	98,800 00				
Two inspectors of sewer repairs, \$1,300 each-----	29,900 00				
Assistant superinten- dent of bridges-----	2,600 00				
draughtsman-----	1,500 00				
Two inspectors of re- pairs to bridges, \$1,300 each-----	1,000 00				
Chief clerk-----	2,600 00				
First assistant chief clerk-----	2,800 00				
Second assistant chief clerk-----	2,000 00				
Clerk of street clean- ing and collector of ashes and garbage-----	1,100 00				
Contract clerk-----	1,800 00				
Assistant contract clerk-----	1,400 00				
Bill and warrant clerk-----	1,200 00				
Assistant bill and war- rant clerk-----	1,400 00				
License clerk-----	1,400 00				
Assistant license clerk-----	1,200 00				
Custodian of records-----	900 00				
	1,200 00				

Table H—Continued.

Department of Public Works (Bureau of Highways).

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter- signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loss and merg.
Item 1—Continued.					
Reference and complaint clerk -----	\$1,000 00				
Six miscellaneous clerks, four at \$900 each, two at \$1,100 each -----	5,800 00				
One chauffeur -----	1,000 00				
Stenographer and clerk -----	900 00				
Two stenographers and typewriters, \$720 each -----	1,440 00				
Ten typewriters and clerks, \$720 each -----	7,200 00				
Messenger -----	800 00				
Three yard watchmen, \$720 each -----	2,160 00				
	<u>\$210,400 00</u>				
Transferred from, ord. app'd July 19, 1911 -----	133 32				
		\$210,266 68	\$205,286 20	\$4,980 48	
1½. To pay certain bills. Brought from books of 1910 -----		790 05			\$790 05
2. For cleaning streets, inlets, private alleys, undedicated streets, public market-houses and for the removal of ashes and household waste -----	\$1,372,000 00				
Brought from books of 1910 -----	108,250 00				
	<u>\$1,480,250 00</u>				
Transferred from, ord. app'd July 6, 1911 -----	1,760 00				
	<u>\$1,478,490 00</u>				
Transferred from, ord. app'd July 19, 1911 -----	1,225 00				
	<u>\$1,477,265 00</u>				
Transferred from, ord. app'd Oct. 7, 1911 -----	405 00				
	<u>\$1,476,860 00</u>				
Transferred from, ord. app'd Nov. 22, 1911 -----	900 00				
	<u>\$1,475,960 00</u>				
Transferred from, ord. app'd Dec. 1, 1911 -----	300 00				
	<u>1,475,660 00</u>	1,474,704 00	956 00		

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Department of Public Works (Bureau of Highways).

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter- signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
for paving intersections of streets in front of unassessable property, including contingent work.					
Bought from books of 1910-----	\$25,222 56	\$1,303 39	\$46 61	\$23,872 56	
(new). To pay deficiency bills, ord. app'd March 30, 1911-----	10,888 20	10,887 60	60		
for paving intersections of streets in front of unassessable property.					
Bought from books of 1910, out of the loan of June 11, 1902----	12,822 38	275 05	-----	-----	\$12,547 33
for the removal and disposal of garbage and dead animals -----	\$510,000 00				
transferred from, ord. app'd July 6, 1911 -----	80 00				
	\$509,920 00				
transferred from, ord. app'd July 19, 1911 -----	110 00				
	\$509,810 00				
transferred from, ord. app'd Nov. 22, 1911 -----	330 00				
	509,480 00	509,390 00	90 00		
for expenses of the Board of Highways Supervisors:					
chief draughtsman-----	\$1,350 00				
seven draughtsmen, \$950 each-----	6,650 00				
three draughtsmen, \$800 each-----	2,400 00				
clerk-----	900 00				
miscellaneous -----	200 00				
	11,500 00	11,206 27	293 73		
For sprinkling streets.					
Bought from books of 1910, out of the loan of July 14, 1910----	1,769 60	-----	-----	-----	1,769 60
For the removal of snow and sprinkling streets -----	17,996 00	15,830 50	2,165 50		
for advertising-----	\$500 00				
transferred to, ord. app'd July 19, 1911-----	463 32				
transferred to, ord. app'd Nov. 22, 1911-----	1,000 00				
	1,963 32	1,963 55	4 77		
For repairs to paved streets.					
Bought from books of 1910, out of the loan of July 1, 1909-----	220 45	-----	-----	-----	220 45

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General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loan not merged.
Items.					
5b. Repairing streets, etc. Brought from books of 1910, out of the loan of July 14, 1910----	\$53,546 23	\$50,575 46	-----	-----	\$2,970
6. For rent of district offices-----	2,676 00	2,676 00			
6a. For repairing and maintaining unpaved and gravel streets, etc. (sprinkling streets). Brought from books of 1910, out of the loan of July 1, 1909----	1,122 02	-----	-----	-----	1,122
6b. For sprinkling macadamized roads. Brought from books of 1910, out of the loan of July 14, 1910----	3,750 75	-----	-----	-----	3,750
6½b. For resurfacing, etc. Brought from books of 1910, out of the loan of July 14, 1910----	17,183 45	6,948 88	-----	-----	10,234
6¾. For repairing and maintaining unpaved and gravel streets, etc. Brought from books of 1910----	11,000 00	10,000 00	\$1,000 00		
6½. For grading streets, roads, etc. Brought from books of 1910----	4,260 00	4,086 94	173 06		
6¾. For grading, etc., Hortter and Upsal streets, between Park Line drive and Wissahickon avenue. Brought from books of 1910, out of the loan of July 1, 1909----	497 20	-----	-----	-----	497
6¾. For grading streets, roads and sidewalks, etc. Brought from books of 1910, out of the loan of May 18, 1904----	538 96	487 65	-----	-----	*51
7. For incidentals, postage and office expenses ----- \$1,000 00 Transferred to, ord. app'd July 19, 1911 -- 1,000 00 Transferred to, ord. app'd Nov. 22, 1911 1,000 00	3,000 00	3,000 00			
7b. Same purpose as Item 7. Brought from books of 1910, out of the loan of July 14, 1910 ----- \$26 41 Transferred from, ord. app'd April 6, 1911 ----- 26 41					
8. For hauling and yard expenses--	1,000 00	702 00	298 00		
9. For repairs to meadow banks, to include repairs to sluiceways---	1,000 00	1,000 00			

Table H—Continued.

Department of Public Works (Bureau of Highways).

General Appropriation.	Amount appro- priated.	Amount counter- signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
For same purpose as Item 9.					
Bought from books of 1910, out of the loan of July					
1910 ----- \$96 00					
Transferred from,					
April 6, 1911 ----- 96 00					
For salaries.					
To watchmen, Market street bridge; four watchmen, Alleghenille street bridge; four watchmen, Girard avenue bridge; four watchmen, Penn-rose ferry bridge; six watchmen, South street bridge; four watchmen, Walnut street bridge; two watchmen, Chestnut street bridge; two watchmen, Bridesburg bridge; four watchmen, Grays Ferry bridge; two watchmen, City avenue bridge; two watchmen, Falls bridge; one watchman, Greene bridge, \$720 each, and uniforms, \$40 each -----	\$36,920 00	\$35,942 92	\$977 08		
Provided, That the money appropriated in this item for uniforms shall be paid to each man.					
For grading, curbing, paving and repaving footways and resetting curbs in front of City and unassessable property -----	2,000 00	1,674 36	325 64		
For grading, curbing, etc.					
Bought from books of 1910, out of the loan of July					
1910 ----- \$16 99					
Transferred from,					
Ord. app'd April 6,					
1911 ----- 16 99					
For Grade and repave footways and reset curb: Sixtieth street, Catharine to Baltimore avenue.					
Bought from books of 1910, out of the loan of July 14, 1910 -----	599 82				\$599 82
For repairing and repaving tramway streets ----- \$1,000 00					
Bought from books					
of 1910 ----- 745 12	1,745 12	1,700 00	45 12		
For carriage hire and keep of horses for commissioners, assistant superintendent of bridges and inspectors in such districts where deemed necessary, in the discretion of the					

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Department of Public Works (Bureau of Highways).

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter- signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
Item 13—Continued.					
Director; \$400 each for inspectors of repairs to bridges, \$500 each for general inspectors and inspectors of repairs to sewers, two horses, \$600 each-----	\$29,000 00	\$28,308 50	\$691 50		
13b. For carriage hire, etc. Brought from books of 1910, out of the loan of July 14, 1910----	200 00				\$200
13½. For carriage hire, etc. Brought from books of 1910, out of the loan of July 14, 1910----	313 63				313
14. For car fare for inspectors ----- \$7,200 00 Provided, That each inspector not supplied with horse and carriage be paid at the rate of \$150 per annum. Additional appropriation, ord. app'd April 8, 1911----- 500 00 Additional appropriation, ord. app'd Dec. 1, 1911----- 350 00	8,050 00	7,569 58	480 42		
14b. For car fare, etc. Brought from books of 1910, out of the loan of July 14, 1910 ----- \$16 18 Transferred from, ord. app'd April 6, 1911 ----- 16 18					
14½. An Ordinance to pay claim of John and Edward Blood, ord. app'd Dec. 1, 1911-----	825 38	825 38			
15. For curved curbing and setting same -----	1,000 00	969 82	30 18		
15b. Same purposes as Item 15. Brought from books of 1910, out of the loan of July 14, 1910----	1,733 65	1,690 82			*42
16. For improving the water courses in the Twenty-sixth, Thirty-sixth, Thirty-ninth and Fortieth Wards -----	1,500 00	404 00	1,096 00		
17. For repaving around fire-plugs and breaks in footways, for other municipal purposes, to include patent pavements--- \$2,000 00 Brought from books of 1910 ----- 1,000 00					

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Department of Public Works (Bureau of Highways).

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
n—Continued.					
Additional appropriation, temporary plan, ord. app'd Nov. 9, 1911-----	\$5,000 00				
	\$8,000 00	\$2,630 97	\$5,369 03		
For same purposes as Item 17.					
Bought from books of 1910, out of the loan of July 14, 1910----	1,957 57				\$1,957 57
b Repairs to asphalt paved streets.					
Bought from books of 1910, out of the loan of July 14, 1910----	1,431 01	1,023 14			407 87
For paving, repaving and repairing streets occupied by Philadelphia Rapid Transit Co., in accordance with contract of July 1, 1907 \$500,000 00					
Bought from books of 1910 -----	344,671 96				
	\$844,671 96				
Transferred from, Department of Supplies, as per ordinance app'd April 1911 -----	50,000 00				
	\$794,671 96				
Transferred from, ord. app'd July 6, 1911 -----	150,000 00				
	644,671 96	389,527 41		\$255,144 55	
For emergencies.					
Bought from books of 1910, out of the loan of Oct. 17, 1908----	675 32				675 32
For the maintenance of automobile -----	\$1,000 00				
Transferred to, ord. app'd Nov. 22, 1911-----	500 00				
	1,500 00	1,000 00	500 00		
For surfacing and resurfacing unpaved streets, roads, etc.					
Bought from the books of 1910-----	11,062 60	659 92		10,402 68	
For macadamizing unpaved streets.					
Bought from books of 1910, out of the loan of June 11, 1902-----	4,279 22	703 34			3,485 88
For (Sew). For purchase and maintenance of automobile and salary of chauffeur, ord. app'd June 14, 1911-----	4,000 00	3,954 75	45 25		
For surfacing and resurfacing streets -----	500 00			500 00	

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Department of Public Works (Bureau of Highways).

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loan not merged.
Items.					
20. For repairing, altering and extending sewers and inlets, trapping and re-trapping inlets and cleaning sewers -----	\$25,000 00				
Additional appropriation, ord. app'd June 14, 1911-----	10,000 00				
Additional appropriation, temporary loan, ord. app'd Nov. 9, 1911-----	30,000 00				
	<u>\$65,000 00</u>	\$54,513 06	\$10,486 94		
20a. For repairs to asphalt streets and repaving around fire-plugs, etc. Brought from books of 1910, out of the loan of July 1, 1909-----		4,449 83			\$4,449
20b. Repairs to sewers, etc. Brought from books of 1910, out of the loan of July 14, 1910-----		16,895 74	16,508 23		387
20½. For same purposes as Item 20a. Brought from books of 1910, out of the loan of Oct. 17, 1908 -----	\$12,429 80				
Transferred from, ord. app'd Nov. 22, 1911 -----	8,272 10				
		4,157 70			4,157
21. For general repairs to bridges -----	\$25,000 00				
Additional appropriation, ord. app'd June 14, 1911-----	20,000 00				
Additional appropriation, temporary loan, ord. app'd Nov. 9, 1911-----	25,000 00				
	<u>70,000 00</u>	54,590 48	15,409 52		
21b. For repairs to bridges. From books of 1910, out of the loan of July 14, 1910-----		36,796 63	29,712 79		7,083
21½. For repairs to bridges. From books of 1910, out of the loan of Oct. 17, 1908-----		174 38			174
22. For grading streets, roads and sidewalks, including any necessary drains or trunks in connection therewith. Brought from books of 1910-----		900 00	586 52	113 48	\$200 00
23. For improvement of Parkway between West Logan Square and Twenty-fifth street. Brought from books of 1910, out of the loan of May 18, 1904-----		189,318 91			189,313

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Department of Public Works (Bureau of Highways).

General Appropriation.	Amount appro- priated.	Amount counter- signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
For work in the Aramingo sys- tem, said amount having been transferred by ord. app'd July 1908, ord. app'd March 30, 1909.					
From books of 1910— \$57,176 38					
Transferred from, by ord. app'd Nov. 10, 1911, to the Bu- reau of Water— 56,077 96					
	\$1,098 42	-----	\$1,098 42		
For repairing with improved pavement streets not occupied by passenger railway com- panies.					
Bought from books of 1910—	1,140 50	\$196 58	-----	\$943 92	
For same purposes as Item 25.					
From books of 1910, out of the loan of May 18, 1904—	4,749 62	-----	-----	-----	\$4,749 62
For repairing, with an improved pavement, small streets 40 feet or less in width.					
From books of 1910—	131 72	131 72			
For continuing the improvement of the Boulevard from Broad Street northeastward.					
Bought from books of 1910, out of the loan of May 18, 1904—	218,271 14	218,271 14			
For paving intersections of streets.					
Bought from books of 1910, out of the loan of Feb. 9, 1907—	25,145 38	12,349 69	-----	-----	12,795 69
For grading streets.					
Bought from books of 1910, out of the loan of Feb. 9, 1907—	8,926 28	3,844 62	-----	-----	5,081 66
For grading streets.					
Bought from books of 1910, out of the loan of July 1, 1909—	71,508 25	59,666 54	-----	-----	11,841 71
For the repairing of streets, with improved pavement, not occu- pied by passenger railway com- panies.					
From books of 1910, out of the loan of Feb. 9, 1907—	110,838 40	68,496 90	-----	-----	42,341 50
For South Broad Street Boule- vard.					
From books of 1910, out of the loan of April 15, 1908— \$382,231 12					
Transferred from, ord. app'd April 1, 1911— 75,000 00					
	307,231 12	74,441 78	-----	-----	232,789 34

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Department of Public Works (Bureau of Highways).

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loan merging.
Items.					
34. For paving intersections of streets. From books of 1910, out of loan of April 15, 1908-----	\$129,174 50	\$71,429 30	-----	-----	\$57,711
35. For surfacing unpaved streets. Brought from books of 1910, out of the loan of April 15, 1908----	25,828 60	11,962 37	-----	-----	13,866
36. For grading. Brought from books of 1910, out of the loan of April 15, 1908----	10,393 18	7,421 87	-----	-----	2,971
37. For emergencies. Brought from books of 1910, out of the loan of July 1, 1909 ----- \$25 03 Transferred from, ord. app'd April 8, 1911 ----- 25 03					
38. For refunding to owners of property in the territory bounded by Allegheny avenue, Trenton avenue, Somerset street and Thompson streets certain amounts, in accordance with ord. app'd March 30, 1907-----	7,897 27	260 15	-----	\$7,637 12	
39. For furnishing horses and carts during the year 1909 to John R. Leewright. Brought from books of 1910-----	125 30		-----	125 30	
40b. Repave Market street with wood blocks. Brought from books of 1910, out of the loan of July 14, 1910----	9,382 95		-----		9,382 95
41b. For continuation of Northeast Boulevard. From books of 1910, out of the loan of July 14, 1910-----	100,000 00	29,999 42	-----		70,000 00
42. For transportation of foreman, mechanics and laborers employed in repairs to bridges, sewers and streets, ord. app'd March 30, 1911-----	1,000 00	1,000 00			
42 (New). For same purposes as Item 42, ord. app'd April 8, 1911----	1,000 00	997 08	\$2 92		
43. For grading Weeceacoe ave., from Snyder ave. to Shunk st., ord. app'd March 30, 1911----	19,000 00		-----	19,000 00	
44. For paving York road, from Germantown ave. to Butler st., ord. app'd March 30, 1911----	12,000 00	10,196 44	1,803 56		

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Department of Public Works (Bureau of Highways).

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
For repairing streets not occupied by passenger railway tracks, except those paved with asphalt, ord. app'd April 21, 1911.....	\$200,000 00				
Transferred from, ord. app'd June 20, 1911	50,000 00				
	\$150,000 00				
Transferred to, ord. app'd Nov. 6, 1911..	25,000 00				
	\$175,000 00				
Additional appropriation, account temporary loan, ord. app'd Nov. 9, 1911..	25,000 00				
	\$200,000 00	\$186,545 31	\$13,454 69		
For sprinkling macadam roads, ord. app'd April 21, 1911.....	45,000 00	44,846 50	153 50		
To pay bill of Filbert Paving and Construction Co. for repairs made during the year 1910 in excess of the limit of their contract, ord. app'd April 15, 1911	103,328 60	103,272 84	55 76		
To pay William S. P. Shields for emergency repair work done in 1910, ord. app'd May 16, 1911	5,256 78	5,256 78			
2. (new). To pay wages of workmen and teams employed in repairing streets paved with asphalt not occupied by passenger railway tracks, during April, 1911, as per certified payroll on file in Bureau of Highways, ord. app'd June 14, 1911	708 30	708 30			
3. For continuing the work of improving the Boulevard from Second to Rhawn sts., out of the \$2,300,000 loan of April 21, 1911, ord. app'd May 25, 1911..	500,000 00				\$500,000 00
4. For grading streets, including streets leading to Passyunk avenue bridge, out of the \$2,300,000 loan of April 21, 1911, ord. app'd May 25, 1911..	300,000 00	24,057 67			275,942 33
5. For paving intersections of streets and in front of unassessable property, out of the \$2,300,000 loan of April 21, 1911, ord. app'd May 25, 1911..	100,000 00	11,583 86			88,416 14

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Department of Public Works (Bureau of Highways).

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter- signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loan not merged.
Items.					
52c. For resurfacing asphalt paved streets not occupied by railway tracks, out of the \$2,300,000 loan of April 21, 1911, ord. app'd May 25, 1911-----	\$200,000 00	\$169,225 98	-----	-----	\$30,77
53c. For resurfacing macadam roads, out of \$2,300,000 loan, ord. app'd May 25, 1911-----	100,000 00	14,684 71	-----	-----	85,31
54. For grading Vandyke st., between Princeton and Friendish sts., ord. app'd June 24, 1911-----	1,600 00	-----	-----	\$1,600 00	-----
55. To pay Edwin H. Vare for the removal of snow during the months of January and February, 1911, ord. app'd July 5, 1911 -----	6,551 08	6,551 08	-----	-----	-----
55d. For repaving streets not occupied with railway tracks not now paved with improved pavement, ord. app'd July 21, 1911, out of the \$9,750,000 loan of June 19, 1911-----	500,000 00	6,377 34	-----	-----	493,62
56d. For repaving with wood blocks, out of the \$9,750,000 loan of June 19, 1911, ord. app'd July 21, 1911 -----	300,000 00	-----	-----	-----	300,00
57d. For continuing the work of improving the Boulevard from Second to Rhawn st., in accordance with ordinance approved March 15, 1910, out of the \$9,750,000 loan of June 19, 1911, ord. app'd July 21, 1911--	500,000 00	-----	-----	-----	500,00
58d. For grading streets, out of the \$9,750,000 loan of June 19, 1911, ord. app'd July 21, 1911-----	150,000 00	53,910 34	-----	-----	96,08
59d. For surfacing and resurfacing country roads, out of the \$9,750,000 loan of June 19, 1911, ord. app'd July 21, 1911-----	100,000 00	21,358 41	-----	-----	78,64
60. To pay certain bills, ord. app'd Nov. 22, 1911-----	1,972 76	1,492 46	-----	480 30	-----
61. An Ordinance for the removal of snow, ord. app'd Nov. 22, 1911-----	\$1,571 00	-----	-----	-----	-----
Transferred to, ord. app'd Nov. 22, 1911 -----	1,929 00	-----	-----	-----	-----
	3,500 00	-----	\$3,500 00	-----	-----
Totals-----	\$7,710,577 57	4,165,446 66	\$65,647 76	\$320,696 48	3,158,78

Subject to transfer by Councils:

*Item 6%----- \$51 31
 *Item 15b----- 42 83

Department of Public Works (Bureau of Lighting).

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Lighting), for the year 1911, ord. app'd Dec. 31, 1910-----	\$502,972 00				
Transfer, brought forward in books of 1910, out of \$5,000,000 loan of July 14, 1910, ord. app'd July 29, 1910-----	11 46				
	<u>\$502,983 46</u>				
Transferred from, ord. app'd April 6, 1911-----	11 46				
	<u>\$502,972 00</u>				
Additional appropriation, for app'd July 19, 1911	1,000 00				
	<u>\$503,972 00</u>				
Transferred from, ord. app'd Oct. 7, 1911-----	165 00				
	<u>\$503,807 00</u>				
Transferred to, ord. app'd Oct. 7, 1911-----	165 00				
	<u>\$503,972 00</u>				
For salaries.					
Chief of Bureau-----	\$2,000 00				
Provided, That the Chief shall give his entire time and undivided attention to the duties of his office.					
Chief clerk -----	1,200 00				
Clerk -----	900 00				
Four night inspectors, \$1,000 each -----	4,000 00				
	<u>\$8,100 00</u>	\$8,100 00			
For keep of horses and wagons for Chief of Bureau and inspectors -----	\$1,000 00				
Additional appropriation, ord. app'd July 19, 1911-----	1,000 00				
	<u>2,000 00</u>	2,000 00			
For postage, cleaning and office expenses-----	\$100 00				
Transferred to, ord. app'd Oct. 7, 1911-----	165 00				
	<u>265 00</u>	225 20	\$39 80		
For same purpose as Item 3. Out of \$5,000,000 loan of July 14, 1910, ord. app'd July 29, 1910-----	\$11 46				
Transferred from, ord. app'd April 6, 1911-----	11 46				

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Department of Public Works (Bureau of Lighting).

General Appropriation.	Amount appro- priated.	Amount counter- signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loan not merg
Items.					
4. For furnishing naptha to and lighting all and every night, extinguishing, cleaning and repairing incandescent naptha lamps of sixty-candle power, at the rate or not less than \$28 per lamp per annum-----	\$465,472 00	\$465,339 92	\$132 08		
Provided, That no naptha lamps shall be located on any street where gas mains are laid.					
Provided, also, That no new lamps shall be located without a resolution of Councils.					
5. For furnishing naptha to and lighting all and every night, extinguishing, cleaning and repairing of incandescent naptha lamps of not less than sixty-candle power in the outlying sections of the City where gas mains are now or may hereafter be laid, at the rate of \$28 per lamp per annum-----	16,800 00	16,800 00			
6. For furnishing naptha to and lighting all and every night, extinguishing, cleaning and repairing new incandescent naptha lamps, and for furnishing all new posts, at the rate of \$7.50 each -----	10,000 00	9,396 57	603 43		
7. For lighting Northern Liberties District --- \$1,500 00					
Transferred from, ord. app'd Oct. 7, 1911 ----- 165 00	1,335 00	1,333 20	1 80		
Totals-----	\$503,972 00	\$503,194 89	\$777 11		

Table H—Continued.

Department of Public Works (Bureau of Surveys).

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
Amount appropriated to this department the sum of \$321,380 is for the expenses of the Bureau of Surveys, ord. app'd Feb. 31, 1910.-----	\$321,380 00				
Amount forward from books of 1910 (general appropriation) -----	4,344 06				
Amount forward from books of 1910 (loan appropriations), as follows:—					
Jan. 13, 1896 \$13,067 25					
Jan. 17, 1898 688,907 84					
Jan. 18, 1904 3,941 04					
Dec. 1, 1906 1,517,615 90					
Dec. 9, 1907 593,092 22					
Jan. 15, 1908 214,366 42					
Jan. 1, 1909 23,517 85					
Jan. 14, 1910 111,842 22					
-----	3,166,350 74				
Amount brought forward from books of 1910 of contributions by the Philadelphia Rapid Transit Co. toward the station of grade crossing, in accordance with Section 2, ord. app'd March 28, 1906 (Items 15a and 27a) -----	3,957 61				
	\$3,496,032 41				
General appropriation, ord. app'd Feb. 8, 1911 -----	15,000 00				
General appropriation, ord. app'd March 16, 1911 -----	46,083 30				
	\$3,557,115 71				
Amount added to Item 24, out of loan of June 17, 1911 under authority of ord. app'd Dec. 29, 1911 (see letter of City Controller to Director of Public Works, dated Jan. 15, 1911) -----	200,000 00				
	\$3,757,115 71				
General appropriation, of loan of April 21, 1911 ord. app'd May 1, 1911 -----	325,000 00				
	\$4,082,115 71				
General appropriation, ord. app'd June 21, 1911 -----	1,633 32				
	\$4,083,749 03				

Table H—Continued.

Department of Public Works (Bureau of Surveys).

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter- signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loa: no: mergi
Transferred from, ord. app'd July 19, 1911-----	\$1,800 00				
	\$4,081,949 03				
Additional appropriation, out of loan of June 19, 1911, ord. app'd July 21, 1911 -----	1,010,000 00				
	\$5,091,949 03				
Additional appropriation, ord. app'd July 19, 1911	800 00				
Additional appropriation, ord. app'd July 31, 1911	40,000 00				
Additional appropriation, ord. app'd Nov. 22, 1911 -----	200 00				
	\$5,132,949 03				
Contributed during the year 1911 by the Phila- delphia Rapid Transit Co. under the terms of Section 2 of the ord. of Councils approved Mar. 28, 1906, on account of the abolition of grade crossings along the Richmond Branch of the Philadelphia and Reading Railway Co., Item 15a -----	5,018 50				
Also from Spring Garden street to Wayne Junc- tion, Item 27a-----	51,762 51				
Add recredits made by the Philadelphia and Reading Railway Co. during 1911:					
Item 15-----	15,785 56				
Item 27-----	2,537 72				
	\$5,208,053 32				
Items.					
1. For salaries.					
Chief engineer and surveyor -----	\$8,000 00				
Provided, That this salary applies to the present incumbent only.					
Provided, also, That the chief shall give his entire time and undivided attention to the duties of his office.					
Principal assistant en- gineer -----	4,500 00				
Assistant engineer ---	4,000 00				

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Department of Public Works (Bureau of Surveys).

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
Continued.					
To assistant engineers, \$2,000 each----	\$4,000 00				
Chief assistant engineer	2,200 00				
Assistant engineer of testing laboratory--	2,000 00				
Chief and recording clerk -----	1,800 00				
Assistant recording clerk--	1,400 00				
Draughtsman -----	2,000 00				
Senior registrar -----	1,500 00				
Draughtsman -----	1,400 00				
To draughtsmen, \$1,000 each -----	2,000 00				
Senior clerk -----	1,200 00				
Chief clerk -----	1,000 00				
Stenographer and typewriter -----	900 00				
Mailman and messenger -----	1,000 00				
Director -----	720 00				
Registrar -----	2,000 00				
Assistant registrar and research clerk -----	1,700 00				
Registry clerk -----	1,400 00				
To assistant registry clerk -----	1,200 00				
Three draughtsmen, \$1,200 each -----	3,600 00				
Five draughtsmen, \$1,000 each -----	5,000 00				
Three inspectors of train connections, \$1,200 each -----	3,600 00				
Permit clerk -----	1,200 00				
To supervisors of intercepting sewers, \$1,000 each -----	2,000 00				
Stodian of records--	900 00				
Typewriter -----	900 00				
And for engineer corps, as follows:					
Assistant engineer----	1,800 00				
Draughtsman -----	1,200 00				
Assistantman -----	840 00				
Mailman -----	720 00				
Mailman -----	500 00				
Five draughtsmen, \$900 each -----	5,400 00				
Two draughtsmen, \$1,000 each -----	2,000 00				
Two draughtsmen, \$1,200 each -----	2,400 00				
Draughtsman -----	1,500 00				
Expenses of said corps -----	800 00				
	\$80,280 00				
Additional appropriation, ord. app'd June 21, 1911, "For salaries, so that the salary of the assist-					

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Department of Public Works (Bureau of Surveys).

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loan not merged.
Item 1—Continued.					
ant engineer in charge of testing laboratory shall be at the rate of \$3,000 per annum from June 1, 1911; assistant engineer in charge of City plans, \$3,000 per annum; assistant engineer in charge of sewer construction, \$3,000 per annum, from June 1, 1911"—	\$1,633 32				
	\$81,913 32				
Transferred from, ord. app'd Nov. 22, 1911 -----	1,500 00				
	\$80,413 32	\$79,563 36	\$849 96		
1b. To create position of assistant permit clerk, at rate of \$1,200 per annum, from July 1, 1910, out of loan of July 14, 1910, ord. app'd July 29, 1910. Brought forward from books of 1910 -----		112 90			\$11
2. For renewing plans and descriptions in the Registry Bureau -----	\$4,500 00				
Provided, That a charge of 25 cents shall be made for each search to pay for wear and tear on books.					
Transferred from, ord. app'd Nov. 22, 1911 -----	150 00				
	4,350 00	4,350 06			
3. For cleaning offices, advertising, postage and miscellaneous expenses, for recording dedication of streets -----	\$1,200 00				
Transferred to, ord. app'd Nov. 22, 1911 -----	1,400 00				
	2,600 00	1,601 47	256 53	\$742 00	
4. For salaries of fourteen district surveyors and regulators, at \$4,000 each per annum -----	\$56,000 00				
For wages of employees -----	150,000 00				
For rent, postage and horse keep in survey districts -----	12,000 00				
	218,000 00	211,719 02	6,280 98		

Table H—Continued.

Department of Public Works (Bureau of Surveys).

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
For rent, postage and miscellaneous expenses in the survey districts, out of loan of July 1, 1910, ord. app'd July 29, 1910.					
Bought forward from books of 1910-----	\$9,706 12	\$9,706 12			
For examination of bridges and sewers-----	500 00	498 62	\$1 38		
For keep of horses for principal and assistant engineers----- \$800 00					
For keep of automobile for chief engineer----- 1,200 00					
	2,000 00	2,000 00			
For reconstruction of inlets-----	1,000 00	994 29	5 71		
For maintenance of pumping station, Mingo creek-----	3,300 00	2,770 55	529 45		
For corner stones and replacing landmarks-----	500 00	372 25	127 75		
For atlases and maps-----	350 00	333 75	16 25		
For completion of investigation of sewage disposal. \$10,000 00					
Bought forward from books of 1910----- 700 00					
	10,700 00	9,705 83	94 17	\$900 00	
For branch sewers, out of loan of July 1, 1909, ord. app'd July 19, 1909.					
Bought forward from books of 1910-----	23,517 85	22,057 44			\$1,460 41
For Cohocksink relief sewer.					
Bought forward from books of 1910-----	1,500 00			1,500 00	
For the construction of a sewage disposal system for the House of Correction and other municipal institutions near Torresdale, out of loan of Feb. 9, 1907, ord. app'd May 10, 1907.					
Bought forward from books of 1910-----	128,810 45	54,513 86			74,296 59
For the removal of grade crossings on the Richmond Branch of the Philadelphia and Reading Railway from Front street to Richmond street, out of loan of Oct. 1, 1906, ord. app'd Oct. 13, 1906.					
Bought forward from books of 1910----- \$701,011 79					
Credits by Philadelphia and Reading Railway Co. during 1911----- 15,785 56					
	716,797 35	179,576 88			537,220 47

Table H—Continued.

Department of Public Works (Bureau of Surveys).

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter- signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loa nc merg
Items.					
15a. Contributed by the Philadelphia Rapid Transit Co., under the terms of Section 2, ord. app'd March 28, 1906, on account of the abolition of grade crossings on line of Richmond Branch of the Philadelphia and Reading Railway from Front to Richmond streets. Brought forward from books of 1910. \$3,337 93 Contributions during 1911 ----- 5,018 50					
	\$8,356 43	\$5,691 85	-----	\$2,664 58	
16. For new bridges (subject to future legislation by Councils), out of loan of April 15, 1908, ord. app'd June 20, 1908. Brought forward from books of 1910 -----	92,331 92	36,384 30	-----		\$55,9
17. For Passyunk avenue bridge, out of loan of April 15, 1908, ord. app'd June 20, 1908. Brought forward from books of 1910 -----	48,915 43	48,915 43	-----		
18. For new bridges, out of loan of May 18, 1904, ord. app'd June 27, 1904. Brought forward from books of 1910 -----	3,941 04	1,668 33	-----		2,2
19. For widening Delaware avenue, extending wharves, altering sewers and for costs and damages, out of loan of Jan. 13, 1896, ord. app'd Jan. 13, 1896. Brought from books of 1911-----	13,067 25	-----	-----		13,06
19a. For acquiring property and improving Delaware avenue to its full width (subject to future legislation by Councils), out of loan of Feb. 9, 1907, ord. app'd Dec. 3, 1908. Brought forward from books of 1910 -----	335,892 38	40,726 81	-----		295,16
20b. For survey and development of City plan, in the Northeastern section of the City, and for payment of salaries and miscellaneous expenses in connection therewith, out of loan of July 14, 1910, ord. app'd July 29, 1910. Provided, That said work must be completed within the limit of this appropriation. Brought forward from books of 1910 -----	12,023 20	7,141 01	-----		4,88

Table H—Continued

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General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
<p>To pay bill of P. Durkin for sewer constructed in Birch street, northwest of Edgemont street, in front of property of Richmond Soup Society, ord. app'd April 3, 1909.</p> <p>Brought forward from books of 1910 -----</p>	\$30 01			\$30 01	
<p>For main sewers, ord. app'd March 29, 1909, authorizing the construction of main sewers, as set forth therein, out of loan of April 15, 1908, ord. app'd June 20, 1908.</p> <p>Brought forward from books of 1910 -----</p>	73,119 07	\$49,859 75			\$23,259 32
<p>For the widening and improvement of Chestnut street bridge, out of loan of July 14, 1910, ord. app'd July 29, 1910.</p> <p>Brought forward from books of 1910 -----</p>	90,000 00	37,900 09			52,099 91
<p>For abolishing grade crossings on line of Philadelphia and Trenton Railroad, out of loan of June 17, 1898, ord. app'd April 1, 1899.</p> <p>Brought forward from books of 1910. \$688,907 84</p> <p>Credited to item, under authority of ord. app'd Dec. 29, 1910 (see letter of City Controller to Director of Public Works, dated April 1, 1911) -----</p>	200,000 00				
	888,907 84	789,008 84			99,899 00
<p>For bridge and appurtenants hereto on the line of Wissamickon avenue over the Richmond Branch of the Philadelphia and Reading Railway, ord. app'd Dec. 13, 1910.</p> <p>Brought forward from books of 1910 -----</p>	2,114 05	16 67	\$2,097 38		
<p>For new bridges, out of loan of Feb. 9, 1907, ord. app'd May 10, 1907.</p> <p>Brought forward from books of 1910 -----</p>	128,389 39	82,486 34			45,903 05
<p>For the removal of grade crossings along line of the Philadelphia and Reading Railway,</p>					

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Department of Public Works (Bureau of Surveys).

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loan not merged.
Item 27—Continued.					
from Spring Garden street to Wayne, out of loan of Oct. 1, 1906, ord. app'd Oct. 13, 1906.					
Brought forward from books of 1910. \$816,604 11					
Recredits by Philadelphia and Reading Railway Co. during 1911 ----- 2,537 72					
	\$819,141 83	\$466,198 98	-----		\$352,94
27a. Contributed by the Philadelphia Rapid Transit Co. under terms of Section 2, ord. app'd March 28, 1906, on account of the abolition of grade crossings along line of the Philadelphia and Reading Railway from Spring Garden street to Wayne Junction.					
Brought forward from books of 1910. \$619 68					
Contributed during 1911 ----- 51,762 51					
	52,382 19	48,105 19	-----	\$4,277 00	
28. For salaries of experts and employees, transportation, investigation, reports, plans, models, illustrations and expenses incidental to the preparation of plans, etc., for the development and improvement of the City and for the exhibition of such plans of this and other cities, ord. app'd Feb. 8, 1911.----- \$15,000 00					
Transferred from, ord. app'd July 19, 1911 ----- 1,800 00					
	13,200 00	13,118 88	\$81 12		
29. To authorize the payment of claim of the Estate of Michael O'Rourke for work done on the Aramingo main sewer between Richmond street and the bulkhead, under revised plan of the Department of Public Works, as awarded by Joseph J. de Kinder, referee appointed by the Mayor, under instructions from Select and Common Councils, with interest from Nov. 10, 1902, and to make an appropriation therefor, ord. app'd March 16, 1911.-----					
	46,083 30	-----		46,083 30	
30c. For the construction of main sewers, out of loan of April 21, 1911, ord. app'd May 25, 1911.-----					
	125,000 00	16,968 80	-----		108,03

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Department of Public Works (Bureau of Surveys).

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
For the construction of branch sewers, out of loan of April 21, 1911, ord. app'd May 25, 1911.....	\$200,000 00	\$104,088 68	-----	-----	\$95,911 32
For the construction of main sewers, out of loan of June 19, 1911, ord. app'd July 21, 1911.....	160,000 00	-----	-----	-----	160,000 00
For the construction of branch sewers, out of loan of June 19, 1911, ord. app'd July 21, 1911.....	100,000 00	35,680 58	-----	-----	64,319 42
For the reconstruction of Co-locksink sewer, out of loan of June 19, 1911, ord. app'd July 1, 1911.....	50,000 00	-----	-----	-----	50,000 00
For the erection of new bridges, out of loan of June 19, 1911, ord. app'd July 21, 1911.....	200,000 00	-----	-----	-----	200,000 00
For opening streets under the Richmond Branch of the Philadelphia and Reading Railway, between Richmond street and Kensington avenue, out of loan of June 19, 1911, ord. app'd July 21, 1911 (subject to future legislation by Councils).....	500,000 00	-----	-----	-----	500,000 00
For improving the intersection of Cedar and Baltimore avenues with fountain, grass plot and electric light, ord. app'd July 19, 1911. \$800 00					
Additional appropriation, ord. app'd Nov. 22, 1911..... 260 00					
	1,000 00	528 76	-----	\$471 24	
For the physical widening and raising of the grade of Chestnut street at the east approach to the bridge over the Schuylkill river, ord. app'd July 31, 1911.....	40,000 00	4,834 33	\$315 75	34,849 92	
Totals.....	\$5,208,053 32	2,369,087 06	\$10,656 43	\$91,518 05	2,736,791 78

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Department of Public Works (Bureau of Water).

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loan not merged.
Of the amount appropriated to this Department the sum of \$1,024,151 is for the expenses of the Bureau of Water, ord. app'd Dec. 31, 1910.....	\$1,024,151 00				
Brought forward from books of 1910 (loan appropriations):					
Loan of—					
June 11, 1902	\$18 75				
May 18, 1904	93,513 72				
Feb. 9, 1907	71,740 22				
Oct. 17, 1908	75 00				
July 1, 1909	199,203 35				
July 14, 1910	4,504 78				
	<u>369,055 82</u>				
	\$1,393,206 82				
Additional appropriation, ord. app'd Feb. 9, 1911	1,500 00				
Additional appropriation, ord. app'd March 30, 1911	8,192 77				
	<u>\$1,402,899 59</u>				
Transferred from, ord. app'd April 6, 1911:					
From loan of—					
June 11, 1902....	\$18 75				
Oct. 17, 1908....	75 00				
July 14, 1910....	204 89				
	<u>298 64</u>				
	\$1,402,600 95				
Additional appropriation, ord. app'd April 21, 1911	600 00				
	<u>\$1,403,200 95</u>				
Additional appropriation, out of loan of April 21, 1911, ord. app'd May 25, 1911	525,000 00				
	<u>\$1,928,200 95</u>				
Additional appropriation, ord. app'd June 14, 1911	280,593 82				
Additional appropriation, ord. app'd July 19, 1911	750 00				
Additional appropriation, ord. app'd Oct. 3, 1911	30,000 00				
Additional appropriation, ord. app'd Nov. 9, 1911	155,205 00				
Transferred to, ord. app'd Nov. 10, 1911.....	56,077 96				
	<u>\$2,450,827 73</u>				
Transferred from, ord. app'd Nov. 22, 1911.....	58,255 75				
	<u>\$2,392,571 98</u>				

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Department of Public Works (Bureau of Water).

General Appropriation.	Amount appro- priated.	Amount counter- signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
ferred to, ord.					
pp Dec. 1, 1911----- \$1,200 00					
ferred to, ord.					
pp Dec. 29, 1911----- 6,209 40					
<u>\$2,399,981 38</u>					
as					
For salaries.					
Chief of Bureau----- \$10,000 00					
Chief clerk ----- 2,000 00					
Twenty assistant clerks,					
500 each ----- 3,000 00					
Correspondence clerk----- 1,000 00					
For stenographers,					
30 each ----- 3,600 00					
Typewriter clerk ----- 1,000 00					
Messenger ----- 720 00					
Chief draughtsman----- 1,800 00					
Two draughtsmen,					
1,000 each ----- 2,000 00					
Two draughtsmen,					
1,000 each ----- 1,800 00					
Two draughtsmen,					
1,000 each ----- 1,600 00					
General superintendent----- 3,500 00					
Assistant to superin-					
endent ----- 1,500 00					
Chief and paymaster----- 1,200 00					
Assistant to clerk and					
paymaster ----- 1,000 00					
Typewriter clerks, \$900 each----- 1,800 00					
Field ass't to chief----- 2,700 00					
Send ass't to chief----- 2,000 00					
Field ass't to chief----- 1,600 00					
Superintendent of fil-					
ters at Torresdale----- 1,800 00					
Two superintendents					
in charge of filters					
at Belmont and					
Exeterborough, \$1,500					
each ----- 3,000 00					
One foreman filter at-					
tendant ----- 1,000 00					
Six foremen of filter					
attendants, \$900 ea----- 5,400 00					
Fifty-five filter at-					
tendants, \$800 each----- 26,400 00					
Twenty chemists, \$2,000					
each ----- 4,000 00					
Twenty assistant chem-					
ists, \$900 each----- 1,920 00					
Twenty bacteriologists,					
\$500 each ----- 3,000 00					
Twenty assistant bacter-					
iologists, \$1,200 each----- 2,400 00					
Laboratory assistant----- 720 00					
Chief ----- 1,000 00					
Assistant clerk ----- 900 00					
Inspector ----- 1,500 00					
Chief clerk ----- 1,000 00					

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Department of Public Works (Bureau of Water).

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans merging.
Item 1—Continued.					
Search clerk -----	\$1,300 00				
Assistant clerk -----	900 00				
Registrar -----	2,400 00				
Chief inspector -----	1,200 00				
Three clerks, \$1,000 ea	3,000 00				
Twenty-two inspec-					
tors, \$1,000 each----	22,000 00				
Permit clerk -----	1,300 00				
Assistant permit clerk	1,200 00				
Seven purveyors,					
\$1,480 each -----	10,360 00				
Seven purveyors'					
clerks, \$900 each----	6,300 00				
Seven assistant pur-					
veyors' clerks, \$800					
each -----	5,600 00				
Yardkeeper, Fourth					
District -----	915 00				
Ten hydrant inspec-					
tors, \$800 each -----	8,000 00				
Seven general fore-					
men, \$1,200 each----	8,400 00				
Nine foremen of re-					
pairs, \$850 each----	7,650 00				
Superintendent of					
shop -----	1,500 00				
Clerk to superinten-					
dent of shop -----	900 00				
Chief engineer at					
Frankford -----	2,400 00				
Chief engineer at Tor-					
resdale -----	2,000 00				
Three chief engineers,					
at Queen Lane, Bel-					
mont and Shaw-					
mont, \$1,500 each----	4,500 00				
Seven engineers, \$1,080					
each -----	7,560 00				
Forty-four engineers,					
\$1,000 each -----	44,000 00				
Two engineers, with					
houses, \$810 each----	1,620 00				
One hundred and thir-					
ty-five oilers, \$800					
each -----	108,000 00				
One hundred and fifty-					
three foremen, \$800					
each -----	122,400 00				
Twelve firemen, \$840					
each -----	10,800 00				
Sixty-nine coal pass-					
ers, \$720 each -----	49,680 00				
Three stop attend-					
ants, \$1,000 each----	3,000 00				
Storekeeper at Torres-					
dale -----	950 00				
Three storekeepers,					
\$800 each -----	2,400 00				
Foreman of machin-					
ists -----	2,000 00				
Foreman of bricklay-					
ers -----	1,600 00				
Foreman of City shop	1,400 00				

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Department of Public Works (Bureau of Water).

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter- signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
Continued.					
Foreman of carpenters -----	\$1,200 00				
Foreman of plumbers, painters and riggers, \$1,000 each -----	3,000 00				
Per foremen of laborers, \$900 each -----	3,840 00				
Assistant foreman of riggers -----	900 00				
Port watchmen, \$720 each -----	28,800 00				
Per special officers, \$400 each -----	4,500 00				
Uniforms for watchmen and special officers, \$40 each -----	1,800 00				
Director, main office -----	720 00				
Per janitors, \$600 each -----	5,400 00				
Per watchman -----	720 00				
Foreman -----	1,200 00				
Telephone operator (night) -----	800 00				
Telephone operator and clerk -----	800 00				
General storekeeper -----	1,000 00				
	\$599,055 00				
Provided, That the money appropriated to this item for uniforms be paid to each man.					
Provided, also, That eight hours constitute a day's labor, even days a week.					
Provided further, That no employee be carried on the pay roll longer than one week in case of sickness, unless physically injured in their line of duty.					
Additional appropriation, ord. app'd April 21, 1911, for yardman in first surveyor's district, from May 1, 1911, at \$900 per annum, on lien of yardman now carried on per diem roll -----	600 00				
	\$599,655 00				
Additional appropriation, ord. app'd July 19, 1911, for engineer in charge of boilers, at \$1,500 per annum, from July 1, 1911 -----	750 00				
	\$600,405 00				

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Department of Public Works (Bureau of Water).

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter- signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loa no merg.
Item 1—Continued.					
Transferred from, ord. app'd Nov. 22, 1911 -----	\$64,384 28				
	\$536,020 72				
Transferred to, ord. app'd Nov. 22, 1911 -----	128 53				
	\$536,149 25				
Transferred from, ord. app'd Dec. 29, 1911 -----	2,000 00				
	\$534,149 25	\$530,398 76	\$3,750 49		
1½. To pay certain claims, as stipulated in ord. app'd March 30, 1911 -----		\$,192 77	\$,099 78	92 99	
2. For the wages of mechanics, laborers and other workmen employed upon repairs to ma- chinery, and the maintenance and repairs to buildings, grounds and reservoir, and the transportation of workmen in- cident thereto -----	\$150,000 00				
Provided, That the union rate of wages be paid.					
Additional appropria- tion, ord. app'd June 14, 1911-----	90,000 00				
	\$240,000 00				
Additional appropria- tion, ord. app'd Oct. 3, 1911-----	20,000 00				
	\$260,000 00				
Additional appropria- tion, ord. app'd Nov. 9, 1911-----	75,000 00				
	335,000 00	327,945 46	7,054 54		
3. For the wages of mechanics, drillers, laborers and other workmen connected with re- pairs to and improvement to the distribution and the laying of service mains, the transpor- tation of workmen engaged in repairs and the traveling expenses of pipe inspectors --	\$150,000 00				
Additional appropria- tions, ord. app'd June 14, 1911-----	90,000 00				
	\$240,000 00				
Additional appropria- tion, ord. app'd Oct. 3, 1911-----	5,000 00				
	\$245,000 00				

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Department of Public Works (Bureau of Water).

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
Continued.					
Additional appropriation, ord. app'd Nov. 9, 1911-----	\$70,000 00				
		\$315,000 00	\$307,645 08	\$7,354 92	
For the wages of mechanics, etc., out of loan of July 14, 1910, ord. app'd July 29, 1910.					
Brought forward from books of 1910-----	\$92 62				
Transferred from, ord. app'd April 6, 1911-----	92 62				
For the wages of mechanics, helpers and other workmen at the City Construction and repair shop-----	\$20,000 00				
Additional appropriation, ord. app'd June 14, 1911-----	10,000 00				
Additional appropriation, ord. app'd Oct. 3, 1911-----	5,000 00				
Additional appropriation, ord. app'd Nov. 9, 1911-----	5,000 00				
		40,000 00	38,715 08	1,284 92	
For the wages of mechanics, etc., out of loan of July 14, 1910, ord. app'd July 29, 1910.					
Brought forward from books of 1910-----		299 89	299 89		
For wages of hydrographic corps and expenses incident thereto--		1,596 60	1,596 00		
For repairs to boilers and machinery-----	\$5,000 00				
Transferred to, ord. app'd Nov. 22, 1911	2,500 00				
Transferred to, ord. app'd Dec. 29, 1911	1,000 00				
		8,500 00	4,559 66	3,940 34	
For hauling water pipe and machinery-----		2,500 00	1,965 67	534 33	
For hauling, etc., out of loan of July 14, 1910, ord. app'd July 29, 1910.					
Brought forward from books of 1910-----	\$75 00				
		4,000 00	1,088 50		\$2,961 50
For repairs to roofs-----		500 00	499 91	09	

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Department of Public Works (Bureau of Water).

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter- signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merged.
Items.					
8½. For repairs to roofs, out of loan of Oct. 17, 1908, ord. app'd Nov. 21, 1908. Brought forward from books of 1910. \$75 00 Transferred from, ord. app'd April 6, 1911 ----- 75 00					
9. For clerk hire in writ- ing duplicates ----- \$3,000 00 Additional appropria- tion, ord. app'd June 14, 1911----- 593 82 Additional appropria- tion, ord. app'd Dec. 1, 1911----- 1,200 00					
	\$4,793 82	\$3,593 82	\$1,200 00		
10. For keep of horses for general superintendent and assistant, and for keep of automobile for chief -----	2,000 00	2,000 00			
11. For advertising, postage, horse- shoeing, miscellaneous ex- penses, repairs to wagons, carts, harness, tools, pipe, pavements and incidentals, ground rent (918 Cherry street) and electric current ----- \$2,000 00 Transferred to, ord. app'd Nov. 22, 1911 2,500 00 Transferred to, ord. app'd Dec. 29, 1911- 2,000 00					
	6,500 00	6,437 59	62 41		
12. For hauling ashes from pumping sta- tions ----- \$3,000 00 Additional appropria- tion, ord. app'd Nov. 9, 1911----- 3,205 00					
	6,205 00	6,204 90	10		
12b. For hauling ashes from pump- ing stations, out of loan of July 14, 1910, ord. app'd July 29, 1910. Brought forward from books of 1910. \$62 50 Transferred from, ord. app'd April 6, 1911 ----- 62 50					
13. For the purchase of materials connected with repairs to ma- chinery, mains, buildings, sid- ings and reservoirs. \$2,500 00 Transferred to, ord. app'd Nov. 22, 1911- 1,000 00					
	3,500 00	2,872 57	627 43		

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Department of Public Works (Bureau of Water).

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
For the wages of mechanics, laborers and other workmen employed in the maintenance and operation of the Upper Roxborough, Lower Roxborough, Belmont and Torresdale Filter Stations, the Belmont and Torresdale Laboratories and the Torresdale Pumping Stations-- \$80,000 00					
Additional appropriation, ord. app'd June 14, 1911-----	90,000 00				
	\$170,000 00				
Transferred from, ord. app'd Dec. 29, 1911 -----	1,000 00				
	\$169,000 00	\$162,441 91	\$6,558 09		
For wages of employees on filter plants, out of loan of July 4, 1910, ord. app'd July 29, 1910.					
Brought forward from books of 1910--	\$14 70				
Transferred from, ord. app'd April 6, 1911 -----	14 70				
For resanding the filters, painting and incidental expenses for operating filter plants -----	\$3,000 00				
Additional appropriation, ord. app'd Nov. 9, 1911-----	2,000 00				
	5,000 00	2,620 31	379 69	\$2,000 00	
For the completion of the fire pipe line service, out of loan of June 11, 1902, ord. app'd June 30, 1902.					
Brought forward from books of 1910--	\$18 75				
Transferred from, ord. app'd April 6, 1911 -----	18 75				
For sand for filtration purposes, Torresdale, out of loan of May 18, 1904, ord. app'd Dec. 22, 1904.					
Brought forward from books of 1910 -----	2,603 62				\$2,603 62
For the purchase of and repairs to pumps and machinery, out of loan of Feb. 9, 1907, ord. app'd May 10, 1907.					
Brought forward from books of 1910 -----	64,720 04	54,720 04			10,000 00

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Department of Public Works (Bureau of Water).

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loan not merging.
Item.					
19. For high pressure fire system, out of loan of Feb. 9, 1907, ord. app'd May 10, 1907. Brought forward from books of 1910 -----	\$370 81				\$370
20. For the improvement, extension and filtration of the water supply, out of loan of May 18, 1904, ord. app'd June 27, 1904. Brought forward from books of 1910 -----	84,765 46	\$77,712 00			7,053
21. For the improvement, extension and filtration of the water supply, out of loan of Feb. 9, 1907, ord. app'd May 10, 1907. Brought forward from books of 1910 -----	6,649 37	3,677 82			2,975
22. For pipe or any other work in connection with the improvement, extension and filtration of the water supply, out of loan of May 18, 1904, ord. app'd June 27, 1904. Brought forward from books of 1910 -----	6,144 64	6,144 64			
23. For the extension, improvement and filtration of the water supply at Queen Lane, to be expended for the construction of a filtering plant, with the necessary contingent work, in the north section of Queen Lane Reservoir, in accordance with ord. app'd April 16, 1909, out of loan of July 1, 1909, ord. app'd July 19, 1909. Brought forward from books of 1910 -----	199,203 35	57,164 50			142,035
24. To pay bills of Costello & Co. for removing ashes from pumping stations at the rate of \$375 per month, for the months of September, October, November and December, 1910, ord. app'd Feb. 9, 1911-----	1,500 00	1,500 00			
25c. For the completion of the Queen Lane filtration plant, in accordance with ord. app'd April 16, 1909, out of loan of April 21, 1911, ord. app'd May 25, 1911 -----	525,000 00	181,822 68			343,172
26. To authorize the Department of Public Works to draw, and the City Controller to sign, a warrant in favor of Cunningham & Murray for additional work					

Table H—Continued.

Department of Public Works (Bureau of Water).

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
Item 26—Continued. on filtration pipe distribution system contract, and authorizing a transfer from the annual appropriation to the Bureau of Highways. transferred from Item 24a (Highways), ord. app'd Nov. 10, 1911. \$56,077 96 transferred to, ord. app'd Dec. 29, 1911, to pay claims of East Jersey Pipe Co., James McNeal Bro. Co. and Carroll Porter Boiler Co. ----- 6,209 40	\$62,287 36	\$6,209 40	-----	\$56,077 96	
Totals-----	\$2,399,981 38	1,797,885 97	\$32,840 24	\$58,077 96	\$511,177 11

Table H—Continued.

Department of Public Works (Bureau of Gas).

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loan merging.
Of the amount appropriated to this Department the sum of \$10,000 is for the expenses of the Bureau of Gas, as follows:					
Ord. app'd Dec. 31, 1910.					
Provided, That the City Controller shall not countersign any warrants against this appropriation until the United Gas Improvement Company, its successors and assigns first pay the sum into the City Treasury, in accordance with Clause 1 of the ordinance approved Nov. 12, 1897, authorizing the lease of the Philadelphia Gas Works to the United Gas Improvement Company, its successors and assigns.					
Provided further, That Section 5 of the ordinance approved April 4, A. D. 1887, entitled "An Ordinance supplementary to an ordinance entitled 'An Ordinance to carry into effect the Act of Assembly of June 1, 1885, entitled "An Act for the better government of cities of the first class in this Commonwealth," approved Dec. 3, 1886," so far as it applies to this ordinance.					
January 3, 1911. By cash paid into the City Treasury by the United Gas Improvement Company, due under Clauses Nos. 9 and 11 of the lease of the Philadelphia Gas Works by the City of Philadelphia, November 12, 1897 -----	\$10,000 00				
Items.					
1. For salaries.					
Chief inspector of meters -----	\$5,000 00				
First assistant meter inspector -----	1,200 00				
Second ass't meter inspector -----	900 00				
Clerk and assistant inspector -----	900 00				
Photometer inspector -----	750 00				
Messenger and assistant inspector -----	750 00				
For stationery, printing, supplies and incidentals -----	500 00				
	\$10,000 00	\$10,000 00			
Provided, That said officers shall give their undivided attention to said positions.					
Totals -----	\$10,000 00	\$10,000 00			

Table H—Continued.

Department of Board of Revision of Taxes.

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
An ordinance to make an appropriation to the Board of Revision of Taxes for the year 1911, c. app'd Dec. 28, 1910 \$277,890 00 Brought from the books c 910 ----- 4,181 30 <u>\$282,021 30</u>					
Ites. 1. For salaries of the members of the Board of Revision of Taxes, \$6,000 each-----	\$18,000 00	\$18,000 00			
2. For salaries of seventy assessors: Fifty-nine at \$3,000 ea \$177,000 00 Eleven at \$2,000 each 22,000 00	199,000 00	198,873 65	\$126 35		
3. For salaries. Chief clerk ----- \$2,500 00 Assistant chief clerk-- 2,000 00 Registration clerk----- 2,000 00 Allowance clerk----- 1,800 00 General clerk----- 1,500 00 Division and locality clerk ----- 1,700 00 Certificate clerk ----- 1,500 00 Special clerk ----- 1,400 00 Twenty-two miscellaneous clerks engaged in making up tax duplicates and tax triplicates, \$1,200 each ----- 26,400 00 Doorkeeper ----- 600 00 Stenographer and typewriter ----- 900 00 Two janitors, \$720 ea. 1,440 00 <u>\$43,740 00</u> Taken from ord. approved July 6, 1911. 750 00 <u>\$42,990 00</u> Taken from ord. approved Dec. 29, 1911 750 00 <u>42,240 00</u>	42,240 00	42,159 36	80 64		
4. For extra clerk hire-- \$7,000 00 Provided, That any balance Dec. 31, 1910, shall now merge. Brought from books of 1910, Item 3----- 3,162 55 <u>\$10,162 55</u> Transferred to, ord. app'd Dec. 29, 1911. 750 00	10,912 55	9,059 88		\$1,852 67	

Table H—Continued.

Board of Revision of Taxes.

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter- signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loa no mergi
Item.					
5. For stationery, printing, blanks, blank books, binding and rebinding--- \$5,000 00					
Transferred to, ord. app'd July 6, 1911, for new sets of as- sessor's' books and indexes ----- 1,100 00					
Transferred to, ord. app'd Dec. 29, 1911. \$6,100 00					
Of which sum \$150 is to pay for a new set of assessors' books, and the Board of Revision is author- ized and directed to draw, and the City Controller to coun- tersign, a warrant in favor of the Dun- lap Printing Com- pany for this amount ----- 400 00					
	\$6,500 00	\$6,296 80	\$203 20		
Provided, That when binding shall be required, payment for which is taken from Item 5, the said Board be authorized to invite proposals from not less than five responsible par- ties known to be engaged in the business, and to award the contract to the lowest bidder, with the approval of the Com- mittee on Finance; and that the schedule of the bids re- ceived, and the award of the contracts made, with a copy of the request for such bids certified by the Committee on Finance, shall be sent to the City Controller before he shall sign any warrants for binding.					
6. For additions to maps----- 450 00		391 00	59 06		
7. For incidentals, postage, house- cleaning and adver- tising appeals ----- \$2,000 00					
For furniture and fur- nishings.					
Transferred to, ord. app'd July 6, 1911--- 750 00					
\$2,750 00					
Transferred to, ord. app'd Dec. 29, 1911--- 200 00					
	2,950 00	2,945 18	4 82		

Table H—Continued.

Board of Revision of Taxes.

General Appropriation.	Amount appro- priated.	Amount counter- signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
8. or carriage hire for assessors in outside districts ----- \$500 00 transferred from, ord. app'd Dec. 29, 1911 ----- 200 00	\$300 00	\$297 50	\$2 50		
9. or hire of automobiles or car- riages for members of the Board of Re- vision ----- \$1,000 00 bought from books of 1910 ----- 968 75 ----- \$1,968 75 transferred from, ord. app'd July 6, 1911 ----- 1,100 00 ----- \$868 75 transferred from, ord. app'd Dec. 29, 1911 ----- 400 00					
provided, That any balance Dec. 31, 1910, shall not merge.	468 75	39 50	-----	\$429 25	
10. o pay for daily abstracts from deeds, etc., lodged for record in the office of the Recorder of Deeds giving all material in- formation in relation to sales of real estate in Philadelphia--	1,200 00	1,200 00			
Totals-----	\$282,021 30	\$279,262 87	\$476 51	\$2,281 92	

Table H—Continued.
Department of City Controller.

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans merging.
An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of City Controller for the year 1911, ord. app'd Dec. 28, 1910 -----	\$72,050 00				
\$5,000,000 loan, balance from books of 1910-----	03				
	\$72,050 03				
Ord. to pay claims, March 30, 1911-----	698 15				
	\$72,748 18				
Additional appropriation, ord. app'd March 29, 1911, to Item 1, for additional salaries -----	4,387 50				
	\$77,135 68				
Transferred from, to City Property, by ord. app'd April 6, 1911-----	03				
	\$77,135 65				
Received by transfer, ord. app'd Oct. 7, 1911, to Item 4, from various Departments, for incidentals, etc. -----	750 00				
	\$77,885 65				
Transferred to Item 6, by ord. app'd Dec. 29, 1911, and shall not merge Dec. 31, 1911-----	1,500 00				
	\$79,385 65				
Items.					
1. For salaries.					
City Controller (Act of Assembly) -----	\$8,000 00				
Deputy controller (Act of Assembly) -----	3,500 00				
Chief auditor -----	3,500 00				
Chief accountant ----	2,500 00				
Bookkeeper -----	2,000 00				
General auditor -----	1,700 00				
Chief department auditor -----	2,000 00				
Eight department auditors, \$1,500 each--	12,000 00				
Seven tax auditors, \$1,500 each -----	10,500 00				
Four water auditors, \$1,350 each -----	5,400 00				
One gas auditor-----	1,000 00				
Three registers of bills, \$1,350 each----	4,050 00				
Miscellaneous clerk----	1,350 00				
Return clerk -----	1,350 00				
Warrant delivery clerk	1,400 00				
Register of warrants--	1,200 00				

Table H—Continued.

Department of City Controller.

General Appropriation.	Amount appro- priated.	Amount counter- signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
1—Continued.					
Assistant warrant and delivery clerk and miscellaneous clerk-- \$1,200 00					
Typewriter ----- 1,000 00					
Messenger and clerk-- 1,350 00					
One janitor ----- 600 00					
Custodian of records-- 1,000 00					
\$66,600 00					
Additional appropria- tion, ord. app'd March 29, 1911, for salaries, one tax au- ditor from April 1, 1911 \$1,125 00					
One water auditor -- 1,012 50					
Two miscel- laneous and one filing clerk ----- 2,250 00					
4,387 50					
	\$70,987 50	\$70,699 52	\$296 96		
2 For printing the annual report of the City Controller and pre- paring the annual statement of the Finance Committee-----	1,000 00	900 00	100 00		
3 For printing City warrants for the several Departments-----	1,450 00	1,215 50	234 50		
Provided, That the City Con- troller shall not be required to advertise for the printing and binding of warrants.					
4 For incidentals, including the keep of horse, or automobile, not exceeding \$400-- \$2,200 00					
Transferred to, by ord. app'd Oct. 7, 1911 ----- 750 00					
	2,950 00	2,945 82	4 18		
5 For preparing registers of delin- quent taxes and binding records -----	800 00	708 50	91 50		
6 Transferred to, by ord. app'd Dec. 29, 1911, to provide for monthly statements of bal- ances in all items for the use of the Finance Committee----	1,500 00			\$1,500 00	
Ordinance shall not merge Dec. 31, 1911.					

Table H—Continued.

Department of City Controller.

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter- signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loss in merg.
Item.					
1b. From books of 1910, out of the \$5,000,000 loan, to pay salary of chief accountant, by ord. app'd Dec. 3, 1910 ----- \$0 03					
Transferred, by ord. app'd April 6, 1911-- 03					
1½ (new). Ord. to pay claims, ord. app'd March 30, 1911-----	\$698 15	\$698 15			
Totals-----	\$79,885 65	\$77,158 49	\$727 16	\$1,500 00	

Table H—Continued.

Department of City Treasurer.

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of City Treasurer, for the year 1911, ord. app'd Dec. 31, 1910-----	\$7,261,051 93				
for books of 1910, \$5,000,000 loan:					
11-----\$86 29					
21-----39					
31-----44					
for books of 1911 State	\$87 12				
for loans, Item 4-----	416 70				
for 20a, from books of 1910 \$739,700					
for, Park- w item-----	251,943 11				
	252,446 93				
	\$7,513,498 86				
transferred from, to Bureau of City Property, ord. app'd April 6, 1911	87 12				
	\$7,513,411 74				
to pay for Broad and A streets property, ord. app'd April 15, 1911-----	53,000 00				
	\$7,566,411 74				
donational appropriation, out of monies set aside for mandamus, received by ord. app'd April 21, 1911-----	9,782 00				
	\$7,576,193 74				
donational appropriation, Item 25-----	\$1,500 00				
ord. July 19, 1911, Item 26-----	1,000 00				
	2,500 00				
	\$7,578,693 74				
received from \$11,500,000 loan, in the portion of \$90,000, of June 19, 1911 ord. July 21, 1911: Item 22d \$1,000,000 00					
Item 23d 1,000,000 00					
Item 24d 300,000 00					
	2,300,000 00				
	\$9,878,693 74				
added Treasurer's letter, April 7, 1911, personal property tax -----	2,000,000 00				
	\$11,878,693 74				

Table H—Continued.

Department of City Treasurer.

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Lo n merging.
Additional appropriation, Oct. 3, 1911:					
Item 2----- \$1,000 00					
Item 3----- 600 00					
<u>\$1,600 00</u>					
\$11,880,293 74					
Transferred by ord. ap- proved Nov. 6, 1911:					
To Item 1.					
Salaries ----- \$150 00					
To Item 29.					
Personal					
property tax 75,300 17					
<u>75,450 17</u>					
\$11,955,743 91					
Transferred from, by ord. app'd Nov. 6, 1911,					
Item 25----- 150 00					
<u>\$11,955,593 91</u>					
Add by Treasurer's let- ter, to Item 27 for per- sonal property tax, dat- ed Nov. 9, 1911----- 137,198 39					
<u>\$12,092,792 30</u>					
Additional appropriation, temporary loan, ord. app'd Nov. 9, 1911,					
Item 15 ----- 144,750 00					
<u>\$12,237,542 30</u>					
Transferred, ord. app'd Dec. 1, 1911, from					
Item 29----- 8,779 62					
<u>\$12,228,762 68</u>					
Item 28, Aug. 10th, ord. of 1911, Tacony road damages ----- 13,010 25					
<u>\$12,241,772 93</u>					
To Firemen's Pension Fund, received by ord. app'd Dec. 29, 1911----- 1,761 06					
<u>\$12,243,533 99</u>					
Received to Item 17----- 2,599 77					
<u>\$12,246,133 76</u>					
Items.					
1. For salaries.					
City Treasurer (Act of Assembly) ----- \$10,000 00					
Assistant (Act of As- sembly) ----- 5,000 00					
Chief clerk ----- 2,750 00					
Receiving teller ----- 2,250 00					
First assistant ----- 2,000 00					

Table H—Continued.

Department of City Treasurer.

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter- signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
Item 1—Continued.					
Second assistant -----	\$1,400 00				
Paying teller -----	2,250 00				
First assistant paying teller -----	1,800 00				
Second assistant pay- ing teller -----	1,500 00				
Third assistant pay- ing teller -----	1,200 00				
Cookkeeper -----	2,250 00				
First assistant -----	1,400 00				
Second assistant -----	1,200 00				
Warrant clerk -----	1,700 00				
Two assistants, \$1,200 each -----	2,400 00				
State clerk -----	1,700 00				
First assistant State clerk -----	1,200 00				
Three assistants, \$1,200 each -----	3,600 00				
Clerk -----	1,200 00				
Two messengers, \$1,100 each -----	2,200 00				
Four watchmen, \$900 each -----	3,600 00				
Photographer and typewriter -----	900 00				
Office messenger -----	720 00				
Missess -----	300 00				
	\$54,520 00				
Transferred to, by ord. app'd Nov. 6, 1911 -----	150 00				
		\$54,670 00	\$54,620 00	\$50 00	
2. For postage, meals and incidental ex- penses -----	\$1,500 00				
Additional appropria- tion, Oct. 3, 1911---	1,000 00				
		2,500 00	2,499 63	37	
3. For printing, bind- ing, blank books and stationery -----	\$1,000 00				
Additional appropria- tion, Oct. 3, 1911---	600 00				
		1,600 00	1,599 96	04	
4. Interest on funded debt. For interest					
Due May 1, 1911----	\$31,050 00				
Due July 1, 1911----	159,144 38				
Due Nov. 1, 1911----	31,050 00				
Due Jan. 1, 1912----	159,144 37				
		380,388 75	380,388 75		
4. State tax on City loans -----	\$255,865 63				
Provided, That Item 4, of the appropria- tion of 1910, shall					

Table H—Continued.

Department of City Treasurer.

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter- signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans merg.
Item 4½—Continued.					
not merge Dec. 31, 1910, also, this item shall not merge Dec. 31, 1911.					
Books of 1910----- \$416 70	\$255,865 63	\$235,599 84	-----	\$20,265 79	
5. Redemption of twelfth series "L" of \$4,600,000 loan, author- ized April 1, 1890, due Nov. 1, 1911 -----	230,000 00	230,000 00			
6. Redemption of tenth series "J" of \$1,000,000 loan, Sept. 16, 1892, due Dec. 31, 1911-----	50,000 00	50,000 00			
7. Redemption of ninth series "T" of \$3,500,000 loan, authorized Feb. 6, 1893, due Dec. 31, 1911-	175,000 00	175,000 00			
8. Redemption of eighth series "H" of \$1,100,000 loan, authorized April 3, 1894, due Dec. 31, 1911-	55,000 00	55,000 00			
9. Redemption of eighth series "H" \$3,000,000 loan, authorized April 3, 1894, due Dec. 31, 1911	150,000 00	150,000 00			
10. Redemption of eighth series "H" \$2,720,000 refunding loan, au- thorized Nov. 8, 1894, due Dec. 31, 1911 -----	136,000 00	136,000 00			
11. Redemption of seventh series "G" of \$1,200,000 loan, authorized June 18, 1895, due Dec. 31, 1911	60,000 00	60,000 00			
12. Redemption of seventh series "G" of \$1,200,000 refunding loan, authorized Sept. 16, 1895, due Dec. 31, 1911-----	60,000 00	60,000 00			
13. Redemption of seventh series "F" of \$1,000,000 refunding loan of Dec. 10, 1895, due De- cember 31, 1911-----	50,000 00	50,000 00			
14. To pay the Teachers' Aid and Annuity Association of Philadelphia----- \$10,000 00 Teachers' Institute of Philadelphia ----- 3,000 00 School of Design for Women ----- 10,000 00	23,000 00	23,000 00			
15. For estimated interest and sink- ing funds on such new loans as may be issued during the year 1911 \$300,000 00 Additional appropria- tion, temporary loan, by ord. app'd Nov. 9, 1911----- 144,750 00	444,750 00	444,750 00			

Table H—Continued.

Department of City Treasurer.

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
16.inking Fund:					
6,000,000 loan -----	\$277,500 00				
4,000,000 loan -----	124,589 98				
350,000 loan -----	36,644 12				
1,306,000 loan -----	69,216 67				
11,200,000 loan -----	571,000 00				
12,000,000 loan -----	672,785 90				
7,000,000 loan -----	286,556 96				
16,000,000 loan -----	909,506 87				
13,500,000 loan -----	780,625 00				
4,000,000 loan -----	160,937 50				
10,000,000 loan, less amount to be paid by the Board of Education -----	468,750 00				
3,500,000 loan -----	218,750 00				
5,739,700 loan -----	358,731 25				
5,000,000 loan, less amount to be paid by the Board of Education -----	281,250 00				
	\$5,219,844 25	5,219,844 25			
17. For estimated amount due the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, being one-half the amount collected and paid into the City Treasury of Philadelphia by the Department of Public Health and Charities (Bureau of Charities), for the year ending May 31, 1911, for the maintenance of the indigent insane at Norris- town -----	\$16,000 00				
received by transfer, ord. app'd Dec. 29, 1911, to complete settlement with the State of Pennsylvania for the maintenance of the indigent insane in the several State hos- pitals -----	2,599 77	18,599 77		18,599 77	
18. Firemen's Pension Fund (see Act of Assembly, 1895, P. L., p. 410, of 1910 -----	\$40,000 00				
acc'd by ord., Nov. 23, 1911, out of the monies received from foreign insur- ance companies, be- ing the balance of one-half of the net amount received from 2 per cent. tax paid upon premiums for the year 1910 to					

Table H—Continued.

Department of City Treasurer.

General Appropriation.	Amount appro- priated.	Amount counter- signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Lo n merg.
Item 18—Continued. the Auditor General of the State of Pennsylvania and now in the posses- sion of the City Treasurer ----- \$1,761 06	\$41,761 06	\$41,761 06			
19. Report of vital statistics-----	3,350 00	1,806 40	\$1,543 60		
20 (New). To authorize the purchase of property on the southwest corner of Broad and Arch streets, in the Ninth Ward of the City of Philadelphia, for Parkway purposes and provide for the payment of the same, ord. app'd April 15, 1911 (this ord. also approves a payment from 20a loan of \$197,000 and this item for \$53,000)-----	53,000 00	53,000 00			
21. For mandamuses. To pay the heirs of Fannie Delaney Wiltbank, deceased, for land taken for the exten- sion of Fairmount Park; that the sum of \$9,782 is hereby ap- propriated, to be paid by the City Treasurer of the City of Philadelphia out of the monies set aside for the payment of mandamuses -----	9,782 00	9,782 00			
25 (New). For the installation of Bell and Keystone telephone ex- changes and services incident thereto, received by appropria- tion, ord. of Coun- cils, July 19, 1910... \$1,500 00 Transferred from, ord. Nov. 6, 1911... 150 00	1,350 00	270 88		\$1,079 12	
26. For stationery and expenses inci- dental to the sale of loans, re- ceived by ord., July 19, 1911---	1,000 00	964 50	35 50		
27. To remit to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania on account of this item \$2,000,000, as by let- ter of City Treasurer, Aug. 8, 1911. Personal prop- erty tax, 1911-----\$2,000,000 00 To complete the set- tlement of personal property tax for the current year, receiv- ed by letter on file in Controller's Of- fice, from the City Treasurer ----- \$137,198 39	2,137,198 39	2,137,198 39			

Table H—Continued.

Department of City Treasurer.

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter- signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
161.					
28 An Ordinance to pay damages for the vacation of old Tacony road, from Princeton street to Cottman street, and Vincent street, from old Tacony road to State road. Ord. app'd Aug. 10, 1911. To pay said award of damages of property owners thereto entitled are without remedy at law for the collection of the same; therefore, the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain, That the sum is apportioned as per ordinance. Said monies to be paid out of the monies in the said Treasury reserved for the payment of writs of mandamus issued by the courts against the City of Philadelphia, to the following claims, amounting in all to \$13,010.25—	\$13,010 25	\$12,530 25	-----	\$480 00	
29 To the Commonwealth of the State of Pennsylvania, personal property tax, received by ord. app'd Nov. 6, 1911 ----- \$75,300 17 Transferred from, by ord. app'd Dec. 1, 1911 ----- 8,779 62	66,520 55	66,520 55			
1 \$5,000,000 loan. Books of 1910. Salary item ----- \$86 29 Transferred from, by ord., April 6, 1911, to Bureau of City Property, ord. No. 141 ----- 86 29					
2 \$5,000,000 loan. Books of 1910. Postage, meals, etc.----- 39 Transferred from, by ord. April 6, 1911 ----- 39					
3 \$5,000,000 loan. Books of 1910. For printing, binding, etc.----- 44 Transferred from, by ord., April 6, 1911 ----- 44					
20 \$5,739,700 loan. Books of 1910. Parkway -----	251,943 11	251,943 11			
21 For the payment of mandamus. Received by ord., July 21, 1911, \$11,500,000 loan, \$9,750,000 portion, June 19, 1911-----	1,000,000 00		-----		1,000,000 00

Table H—Continued.

Department of City Treasurer.

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter- signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loa no merg.
Item.					
23d. For acquiring property along the Parkway and improving the same. Received by ord., July 21, 1911, \$11,500,000 loan, \$9,750,000 portion, June 19, 1911-----	\$1,000,000 00	\$216,977 89	-----	-----	\$783,011
24d. For the payment of damages for taking property for Cobbs Creek Park. Ord. of authority, July 18, 1911, for cost of said property, not to exceed \$150,000, on both sides of Cobbs creek, through Mount Moriah Cemetery, out of the portion, \$9,750,000, of the \$11,500,000 loan. Received by ord., July 21, 1911..	300,000 00	270,035 75	-----	-----	29,925
Totals-----	\$12,246,133 76	10,391,093 21	\$1,629 51	\$40,424 68	1,812,936

Table H—Continued.

Department of Receiver of Taxes.

General Appropriation.	Amount appro- priated.	Amount counter- signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
n. dinance to make an appropria- tic to the Department of Receiver of Taxes for the year 1910 ord. app'd Dec. 31 910----- \$266,090 00 ro. ht from the books of 910, out of \$5,000,- 00 loan of July 14, 1910 ord. app'd July 29 910----- 910 00 \$267,000 00 dd. onal appropriation, or app'd March 3, 1910 15,000 00 \$282,000 00 d. onal appropriation to item 1½ (new), ord. and March 30, 1911--- 27 40 \$282,027 40 ra. fferred from, ord. and April 6, 1911----- 1 80 \$282,025 60 d. onal appropriation, or app'd June 24, 1910 to item 13 (new)--- 1,000 00 \$283,025 60 ce.					
in Office. Salaries. ceiver of Taxes----- \$10,000 00 ief clerk ----- 3,000 00 sistant chief clerk-- 1,600 00 puty receiver ----- 2,000 00 ashier ----- 2,500 00 scount clerk ----- 1,700 00 dicial sales clerk--- 1,400 00 ditor and assistant ashier ----- 1,500 00 ceiving clerk ----- 1,800 00 ief bill clerk----- 1,200 00 elve bill clerks and eleven registering clerks, \$1,100 each-- 25,300 00 ceiving clerk and assistant auditor--- 1,200 00 ief search clerk--- 1,500 00 our assistant search clerks, \$1,200 each-- 4,800 00 ief registering clerk 1,200 00 vo State registering cler's, \$1,000 each-- 2,000 00 essenger ----- 1,200 00 atchman ----- 600 00 our janitors, \$720 each ----- 2,880 00 sistant messenger-- 750 00					

Table H—Continued.

Department of Receiver of Taxes.

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loss merging.
Item 1—Continued.					
Stenographer and confidential clerk -----	\$1,400 00				
Custodian of records and supplies -----	1,000 00				
	<u>\$70,530 00</u>				
Transferred from, ord. app'd Nov. 22, 1911 -----	266 00				
	\$70,264 00	\$70,263 24	\$0 66		
1½ (New). To pay for advertising, to the Press Publishing Co., ord. app'd March 30, 1911-----	27 40	27 40			
2. Delinquent Department. For salaries.					
Chief deputy -----	\$2,500 00				
Cashier -----	2,000 00				
Lien clerk -----	1,800 00				
Seven assistant lien clerks, \$1,100 each-----	7,700 00				
Four auditors, including car fare and other transportation, \$1,500 each-----	6,000 00				
Registering clerk -----	1,200 00				
Assistant registering clerk -----	1,100 00				
Miscellaneous clerk-----	1,100 00				
Bill clerk -----	1,200 00				
Locality clerk -----	1,320 00				
Thirty-seven deputy collectors, \$1,200 ea-----	44,400 00				
Toward defraying expenses of deputy collectors, \$200 each -----	7,400 00				
	77,720 00	77,720 00			
3. Bureau of Water. For salaries.					
Chief clerk -----	\$2,000 00				
Cashier -----	1,700 00				
Assistant cashier and lien clerk -----	1,300 00				
Chief bill clerk-----	1,500 00				
Permit receiving clerk -----	1,400 00				
Permit registering clerk -----	1,200 00				
Two entry clerks, \$1,200 each -----	2,400 00				
Chief registering clerk -----	1,200 00				
Five registering clerks, \$1,100 each-----	5,500 00				
Search clerk -----	1,300 00				
Seven general clerks, \$1,000 each -----	7,000 00				
Messenger -----	900 00				
	27,400 00	27,400 00			
4. For advertising delinquent taxpayers -----					
	2,000 00	1,997 50	2 50		

Table H—Continued.

Department of Receiver of Taxes.

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
For advertising, furnishing meals to regular employees on extra and night work, postage, printing of poll tax receipts, miscellaneous supplies and incidentals \$3,000 00 transferred to, ord. app'd Nov. 22, 1911. 2,866 00	\$5,866 00	\$5,437 47	\$428 53		
For advertising, furnishing meals, etc., out of \$5,000,000 loan of July 14, 1910, ord. app'd July 29, 1911. Bought from books of 1910 ----- \$1 80 transferred from, ord. app'd April 6, 1911 ----- 1 80					
For salaries, night district receivers, \$2,500 per annum each ----- \$20,000 00 night cashiers, \$1,800 per annum each ----- 14,400 00 twenty-four clerks, \$1,100 per annum each ----- 26,400 00 night janitors, \$720 per annum each ----- 5,760 00 \$66,560 00 transferred from, ord. app'd Nov. 22, 1911 ----- \$100 00	66,460 00	66,356 43	103 57		
For fuel and lighting, incidentals and miscellaneous supplies in the district offices -----	1,000 00	999 12	88		
For same purpose as Item 7, out of \$5,000,000 loan of July 14, 1910, ord. app'd July 29, 1910. Bought from books of 1910 -----	908 20	907 32			\$0 88
For rent of district offices -----	7,280 00	7,280 00			
For salaries of extra clerks for emergency work ----- \$5,000 00 additional appropriation, ord. app'd March 10, 1911 ----- 15,000 00 \$20,000 00 transferred from, ord. app'd Nov. 22, 1911 ----- 2,000 00	18,000 00	17,445 83	554 17		

Table H—Continued.

Department of Receiver of Taxes.

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter- signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Lo n merg.
Item.					
10. For preparing duplicate copies of registered taxes for City Controller -----	\$500 00	\$500 00			
11. For refunding to the Overseers of the Poor of Roxborough poor tax collected during the year 1910 -----	4,600 00	4,600 00			
12. For the refunding of twice paid, overpaid and paid in error water rents, water permits and pipe-laying bills ----- \$500 00					
Transferred from, ord. app'd Nov. 22, 1911 ----- 100 00	400 00	91 26	308 74		
13 (New). For transportation, ord. app'd June 24, 1911. \$1,000 00					
Transferred from, ord. app'd Nov. 22, 1911 ----- 400 00	600 00	410 15	189 85		
Totals -----	\$283,025 60	\$281,435 82	\$1,588 90		88
Subject to transfer by Councils:					
Out of the \$5,000,000 loan ---\$0 88					

Table H—Continued.

Department of City Solicitor.

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.
An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Law Department for the year 1911. ord app'd Dec. 31, 1910.	\$176,466 00			
From books 1910:				
Item 5b, \$5,000,000 loan.	15			
Item 5a, \$5,739,700 loan.	9 15			
	\$176,475 30			
Transferred from, to the Bureau of C. P., Item 13, by ord. April 6, 1910.	9 30			
	\$176,466 00			
Additional appropriation received by ord. June 24, 1911, to Item 8½	52 50			
	\$176,518 50			
Additional appropriation, by ord. July 19, 1911, to Item 3, \$150.00 ; Item 5, \$3,500,000.	5,000 00			
	\$181,518 50			
Items.				
1. For salaries	\$154,466 00	\$150,709 98	\$3,756 02	
2. For Prothonotary's costs, Magistrates' courts and expenses in City cases.	1,000 00	850 53	149 47	
3. For experts. \$7,000 00 Additional appropriation, ord. app'd July 19, 1911. 1,500 00	8,500 00	8,493 00	7 00	
4. For miscellaneous expenses..	2,000 00	936 23	1,063 77	
5. For advertising, affidavits, postage, serving notices and blue prints	\$5,000 00			
Additional appropriation, ord. app'd July 19, 1911. 3,500 00	8,500 00	8,500 00		
6. For conveyancing and expenses of conveyancing and road jurors	4,500 00	3,586 69	913 31	
7. Law books	500 00	334 20	165 80	

Table H—Continued.

Department of City Solicitor.

General Appropriation.	Amount appro- prated.	Amount counter- signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.
Items				
8. For witness fees.....	\$2,000 00	\$1,581 65	\$418 35	
8½. To pay witness fees.....	52 20	48 00	4 50	
5b. Books 1910, out of the \$5,000,- 000 loan, affidavits, etc..... \$0 15				
Transferred by ord. April 6, 1911, to C. Prop. 15				
5a. Books 1910, out of the \$5,000,- 000 loan, same pur- pose as Item 5, 1910 9 15				
Transferred by ord. April 6, 1911..... 9 15				
Totals.....	\$181,518 50	\$175,040 28	\$6,478 22	

Table H—Continued.

Department of Clerks of Councils.

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.
To make an appropriation to the clerks of Councils for the year 1911. Ordinance app'd December 2, 1911.....	\$101,530 00			
Books 1910. Loans:				
Item 2b, \$5,000,000				
Loan.....	\$0 10			
Item 3b, \$5,000,000				
Loan.....	125 13			
Item 7b, \$5,000,000				
Loan.....	1 13			
	126 36			
Books 1910. Regular appropriation:				
Item 2.....	\$2,505 71			
Item 6.....	134 00			
Item 7.....	5,977 02			
New 7½.....	85,000 00			
	93,616 73			
	\$195,273 09			
Additional appropriation to Item 5½, new, Feb. 9, 1911.....	2,000 00			
	\$197,273 09			
Ord. March 30, 1911. To pay claims.....	2,355 58			
	\$199,628 67			
Transfer from, to Item 13. Bureau of City property. Small, balances, from loan items of \$100 00 and less.....	1 23			
	\$199,627 44			
Additional app'n to Item 7½. Ord. app'd March 21, 1911. Advertising Loans.....	21,794 56			
	\$221,422 00			
Additional appropriation received by ord. app'd June 24, 1911, to items:				
2b.....	\$10,000 00			
3b.....	1,000 00			
7b.....	347 00			
7½.....	1,206 00			
1.....	1,000 00			
	13,553 00			
	\$234,975 00			
To Item 7¾. Received by ord. July 19, 1911....	5,000 00			
	\$239,975 00			
Additional appropriation received out of the Temporary Loan by ord. Nov. 9, 1911....	6,000 00			
	\$245,975 00			

Table H—Continued.

Department of Clerks of Councils.

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter- signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.
Items.				
1. For salaries:				
Chief clerk, Select Council.....	\$4,000 00			
Chief clerk Com- mon Council.....	4,000 00			
Assistant clerk of Select Council.....	2,750 00			
Assistant clerk of Common Council.	2,750 00			
Committee clerk...	3,000 00			
Assistant Journal clerk, Common Council.....	2,500 00			
Secretary of Finance Committee.....	2,750 00			
Sergeant at arms Select and Com- mon Councils, two at \$3,000.....	6,000 00			
	\$27,750 00	\$27,588 70	\$161 30	
2. For printing Journals and other documents..	\$6,000 00			
Books 1910.....	2,505 71			
	\$8,505 71			
Additional approp- riation, by ord. June 24, 1911.....	10,000 00			
	\$18,505 71			
Additional approp- riation, from temporary loan, ord. Nov. 9, 1911....	6,000 00			
	24,505 71	15,522 16		\$8,983 55
3. Binding Journals, ordinances and other documents..	\$1,000 00			
Additional approp- riation, ord. ap- proved June 24, 1911.....	1,000 00			
	2,000 00	1,999 60	40	
4. Advertising, printing notices and amendments.....	300 00	299 55	45	
5. For stationery and diaries...	6,000 00	5,985 88	14 17	
5½. Ordinance for the purchase of one thousand copies of the supplement of Brown's Digest of the Law and Ordinances of the City of Philadelphia.....	2,000 00	2,000 00		

Table H—Continued.

Department of Clerks of Councils.

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.
Items.				
6. For hire of vehicles. \$3,500 00 Books 1910..... 134 00	\$3,634 00	\$2,783 00	.....	\$851 00
7. For postage, ice, files, incidentals, meals, repairs, advertising loans and entertainment of visiting officials..... \$25 000 00 Books 1910..... 5,977 02 Additional appropriation, ord approved June 24, 1911..... 347 00	31,324 02	24,955 44	.....	6,368 58
7½. New 1910. Brought from books 1910. To pay Manufacturers' Appraisal Company and other experts and witness fees, stenographers, clerks and other employes and incidental expenses of the joint special committee of Select and Common Council appointed to investigate and report as to the valuation of taxable real estate in the City of Philadelphia. Appropriation received out of the \$850,000 set aside from the \$1,250,000 for Mandamus.....	85,000 00	.....	.....	85,000 00
7½ of 1911. Additional appropriation by ord. approved April 21, 1911, for the purpose of advertising loans in the newspapers as per names and amounts, etc..... \$21,794 56 Additional appropriation, June 24, 1911..... 1,206 00	23,000 56	22,961 81	\$3 75	
7½. New. Ordinance to pay claims as per ord. app'd March 30, 1911.....	2,355 58	2,355 58		
7¾. Additional appropriation received July 28, 1911, by an ordinance July 19, 1911, for the purpose of furnishing transportation of the State Fencibles and Old Guard to Atlanta Georgia, October 7, 1911.....	5,000 00	4,998 90	1 10	

Table H—Continued.

Department of Clerks of Councils.

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.
Items.				
8. For compensation of stenographer and typewriter:				
For Select Council and Common Council, \$1,500 each	\$3,000 00			
Stenographer and typewriter for Committee on Finance	1,200 00			
Assistant stenographer and typewriter for Select and Common Councils and typewriter and assistant to committee clerk of Council, three at \$900 each..	2,700 00			
Clerk to committees on Law, City Property and Steam Railroads.....	1,400 00			
Transcribing clerk, Common Council.	1,100 00			
Two doorkeepers for Chambers of Councils, \$300 each	600 00			
Two messengers, \$1,200 each.....	2,400 00			
Two janitors, \$900 ea.	1,800 00			
Assistant janitor to Common Council.	720 00			
Four cleaners, \$540 each	2,160 00			
Three pages, one Select and two for Common Council, \$100 each.....	300 00			
	\$17,380 00	\$16,665 95	\$714 05	
9. For printing and binding a Manual of Councils, for the use of members....	\$1,800 00			
For compiling the Manual of and Diary for the members of Councils	400 00			
For preparing schedules of appropriations and other matters for the use of the Committee on Finance....	400 00			
Clerical assistance to the Committee on Finance and preparing list of bills introduced in Councils.....	400 00			
	3,000 00	2,784 75	215 25	

Table H—Continued.

Department of Clerks of Councils.

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
Item 9—Continued.					
(For the proper celebration of the Fourth of July in Independence Square (to be expended under the supervision of the Committee on Fourth of July, and to pay for music, sports, etc. \$5,000 00 Additional appropriation, by ordinance June 24, 1911. 1,000 00	\$6,000 00	\$5,898 11	\$101 89		
For the proper observance of Memorial Day, to be expended under the supervision of the Soldiers' Monument Committee)... \$5,000,000 Loan. Books 1910, printing Journal, etc..... 10 Transfer from, ord. app'd April 6, 1911. 10	6,600 00	6,600 00			
\$5,000,000 Loan. Books 1910, for Binding, etc..... \$5,000,000 Loan. Books 1910, for incidentals, etc..... \$1 13 Transfer from, ord. app'd April 6, 1911. 1 13	125 13				\$125 13
Totals.....	\$245,975 00	\$143,399 28	\$1,247 36	\$101,203 13	\$125 13

Table H—Continued.

Department of Supplies.

General Appropriation.	Amount appro- priated.	Amount counter- signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Lo- an merg.
An Ordinance to make an appropria- tion to the Department of Supplies for the year 1911, ord. app'd Dec. 31, 1910.					
Section 1. The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadel- phia do ordain, That the sum of \$1,114,530 be, and the same is here- by appropriated to the Depart- ment of Supplies for the year 1911-----	\$1,114,530 00				
Brought from books of 1910 -----	1,140 00				
Brought from books of 1910, out of the loan of \$5,000,000 -----	200,588 38				
Brought from books of 1910, out of the loan of \$10,000,000 -----	21,334 00				
Brought from books of 1910, out of the loan of \$3,500,000 -----	23 04				
Balances of loan of \$5,000,000, in various Bureaus, subject to transfer -----	1,231 96				
Balances of loan of \$3,500,000, in various Bureaus, subject to transfer -----	121 64				
Transferred to, ord. app'd April 1, 1911-----	50,000 00				
	\$1,458,969 02				
Transferred from, ord. app'd April 6, 1911-----	1,353 60				
	\$1,457,615 42				
Appropriation, ord. app'd April 21, 1911-----	4,000 00				
Appropriation, ord. app'd Feb. 9, 1911-----	300 00				
Appropriation, ord. app'd March 30, 1911-----	11,200 00				
Appropriation, ord. app'd March 30, 1911, to pay deficiency bills -----	605,922 50				
Appropriation, ord. app'd June 13, 1911-----	1,000 00				
Appropriation, ord. app'd June 15, 1911-----	22,250 00				
Transferred to, ord. app'd June 20, 1911-----	50,000 00				
Appropriation, ord. app'd June 24, 1911-----	270,934 00				
Transferred to, ord. app'd July 6, 1911-----	150,000 00				
Transferred to, ord. app'd July 6, 1911-----	38,994 13				
Appropriation, ord. app'd July 19, 1911-----	14,033 88				
Transferred to, ord. app'd July 19, 1911-----	300 00				
Transferred to, ord. app'd Oct. 7, 1911-----	1,000 00				

Table H—Continued.

Department of Supplies.

General Appropriation.	Amount appro- priated.	Amount counter- signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
Appropriation, ord. app'd N. 9, 1911-----	\$43,500 00				
Appropriation, ord. app'd N. 22, 1911-----	82,006 00				
Transferred to, ord. app'd N. 22, 1911-----	35,105 60				
Transferred to, ord. app'd D. 1, 1911-----	10,765 16				
Appropriation, ord. app'd D. 1, 1911-----	14,366 00				
	<u>\$2,813,292 79</u>				
DIRECTOR'S OFFICE.					
The amount appropriated to the Department the sum of \$40,880 is for the expenses of the Director's Office, as follows:					
Ord. app'd Dec. 31, 1910-----	\$40,880 00				
Right from books of 1911-----	1,140 00				
Right from books of 1911-----	266 56				
Ord. app'd \$5,000,000 loan-----					
Appropriation, ord. app'd Mch 30, 1911, to pay deficiency bills-----	605,922 50				
Appropriation, ord. app'd Jno 24, 1911-----	4,500 00				
	<u>\$652,709 03</u>				
For salaries.					
Director-----	\$10,000 00				
Provided, That the Director shall give his entire time and undivided attention to the duties of his office.					
Assistant director-----	4,000 00				
Chief clerk-----	2,500 00				
Editor-----	1,800 00				
Errand clerk-----	1,200 00				
Acquisition clerk-----	1,500 00				
Enographer-----	1,200 00				
Tele clerk-----	1,000 00				
Two assistant war- rant clerks, \$1,100 each-----	2,200 00				
Three bookkeepers, \$1,000 each-----	3,000 00				
Two inspectors, \$1,000 each-----	2,000 00				
Chief clerk-----	900 00				
Two miscellaneous clerks, \$900 each-----	1,800 00				
Two assistant sten- ographers, \$900 each-----	1,800 00				

Table H—Continued.

Department of Supplies.

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loan merging.
Item 1—Continued.					
Assistant requisition clerk -----	\$900 00				
Assistant file clerk-----	900 00				
Messenger -----	900 00				
Weigher -----	800 00				
Janitor -----	480 00				
	\$38,880 00	\$38,751 08	\$128 92		
2. Stationery, postage, printing, advertising, meals for regular employees on extra or night work, keep of horse and vehicle, not exceeding \$400 -----	\$2,000 00				
Appropriation, ord. app'd June 24, 1911-----	2,500 00				
	4,500 00	4,316 47	183 53		
2b. Same purpose as Item 2. Brought from books of 1910, \$5,000,000 loan -----		266 56	227 66		\$3 00
2½. Extra clerk hire. Brought from books of 1910 -----	\$1,140 00				
Appropriation, ord. app'd June 24, 1911-----	2,000 00				
	3,140 00	3,117 00	23 00		
1½. To make an appropriation to pay claims against the City for materials heretofore furnished to the various Bureaus in the Department of Supplies, ord. app'd March 30, 1911-----		605,022 50	604,673 85	1,248 65	
Totals-----	\$652,709 06	\$651,086 06	\$1,584 10		\$3 00
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY.					
Section 4. Of the amount appropriated to this Department the sum of \$258,325 is for the expenses of the Department of Public Safety, as follows-----	\$258,325 00				
Brought from books of 1910, \$10,000,000 loan-----	91,334 00				
Brought from books of 1910, \$5,000,000 loan-----	37,835 32				
Brought from books of 1910, \$3,500,000 loan-----	87 72				
	\$387,582 04				
Transferred from, ord. app'd April 6, 1911-----	871 53				
	\$386,710 49				
Appropriation, ord. app'd Feb. 9, 1911-----	300 00				
Appropriation, ord. app'd March 30, 1911-----	11,200 00				

Table H—Continued.

Department of Supplies.

General Appropriation.	appropriated. Amount	counter- signed. Amount	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
Appropriation, ord. app'd June 14, 1911-----	\$1,000 00				
Appropriation, ord. app'd June 15, 1911-----	22,250 00				
Appropriation, ord. app'd June 24, 1911-----	71,300 00				
Transferred to, ord. and July 19, 1911-----	300 00				
Appropriation, ord. app'd Nov. 22, 1911-----	27,042 00				
Transferred to, ord. and Dec. 1, 1911-----	6,796 15				
	<u>\$526,898 64</u>				
DIRECTOR'S OFFICE.					
1. Stationery, law books and sup- plies -----	\$500 00	\$417 81	\$82 19		
11 Same purpose as Item 1-----	530 00	97 20			\$432 80
Totals-----	\$1,030 00	\$515 01	\$82 19		\$432 80
POLICE.					
2. Printing, stationery, blanks and supplies. \$1,500 00 Appropriation, ord. app'd June 24, 1911-----	5,000 00				
	<u>\$6,500 00</u>	\$3,384 78	\$3,115 22		
21 Same purpose as Item 2-----	381 13				\$681 13
3. Supplies for cleaning station and patrol houses and cells-----	1,000 00	399 82	600 18		
31 Same purpose as Item 3-----	215 75				215 75
4. Supplies for van service-----	300 00	183 17	116 83		
41 Same purpose as Item 4-----	253 04	167 79			85 25*
5. Badges, batons, buttons, belts, lanterns and whistles-----	500 00	460 63	39 32		
51 Same purpose as Item 5-----	530 00	140 64			\$889 36
6. Fuel and ice at offices, stations and patrol houses and police boats----- Appropriation, ord. app'd Nov. 22, 1911-----	\$20,000 00 3,207 00				
	<u>23,207 00</u>	21,418 91	1,788 09		
61 Same purpose as Item 6-----	1,921 32	1,469 99			451 33
7. Miscellaneous supplies for station houses -----	1,000 00	965 95	34 05		

Table H—Continued.

Department of Supplies.

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter- signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loa no mergi
Item.					
7b. Same purpose as Item 7-----	\$1,060 00	\$153 77	-----		\$9 23
8. General supplies incident to main- tenance of police boats-----	1,000 00	651 28	\$348 72		
8b. Same purpose as Item 8-----	525 59	163 98	-----		3 31
9. Horses for van, pa- trol and mounted service ----- \$8,000 00 Appropriation, ord. app'd June 15, 1911. 10,500 00	18,500 00	18,400 00	100 00		
9b. Same purpose as Item 9 -----	3,130 00	3,130 00	-----		5 3*
10. Supplies for patrol wagon service and new parts needed in re- pairs to same -----	300 00	266 20	33 80		
10b. Same purpose as Item 10-----	361 00	7 00	-----		3 00
11. Straw and feed----- \$25,000 00 Appropriation, ord. app'd June 15, 1911. 10,500 00 Appropriation, ord. app'd June 24, 1911. 20,000 00	55,500 00	55,491 86	8 14		
12. Harness and stable supplies ----- \$1,000 00 Appropriation, ord. app'd June 15, 1911. 1,250 00	2,250 00	1,447 77	802 23		
12b. Same purpose as Item 12-----	704 66	-----	-----		7 66
13. Bedding and furniture for sta- tion and patrol houses-----	3,500 00	2,814 71	685 29		
13b. Same purpose as Item 13-----	378 92	-----	-----		3 92
14. Bicycle and bicycle sundries-----	200 00	65 05	134 95		
15. Supplies for fire marshal and as- sistants -----	200 00	103 63	96 37		
15b. Same purpose as Item 15-----	106 00	-----	-----		1 00
Totals-----	\$123,574 41	\$111,286 98	\$7,903 19	-----	\$4,3 24
FIRE.					
31. Printing, stationery and supplies----- \$300 00 Appropriation, ord. app'd June 24, 1911. 2,000 00	\$2,300 00	\$2,257 06	\$42 94		
32. Straw and feed----- \$25,000 00 Appropriation, ord. app'd June 24, 1911. 10,000 00	35,000 00	34,976 32	23 68		

Table H—Continued.

Department of Supplies.

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
33. Repairs and supplies for apparatus and rebuilding same-----	\$3,000 00	\$2,709 56	\$290 44		
33b Same purpose as Item 33-----	2,039 96	112 62			\$1,927 34
34. Supplies for engine houses, stable, fire boats, fire main pumping station and buttons for uniforms -----	4,500 00	3,631 52	868 48		
34 Same purpose as Item 34-----	1,863 44				1,863 44
35. Fuel for engines and stations and gas for fire main pumping station ----- \$12,000 00					
Appropriation, ord. app'd June 24, 1911. 5,000 00					
Appropriation, ord. app'd Nov. 22, 1911. 5,510 00					
Appropriation, ord. app'd Dec. 1, 1911. 5,276 05					
	27,786 05	17,639 63	10,096 42		
35b Same purpose as Item 35-----	1,147 75	615 10			532 65
36. Lancing hose and couplings and chemical hose and couplings-----	6,000 00	6,000 00			
37. Horses -----	10,000 00	10,000 00			
37b Same purpose as Item 37-----	3,975 00	3,860 00			115 00
38. Harness and stable supplies-----	700 00	26 49	673 51		
38b Same purpose as Item 38-----	689 00				689 00
39. Fuel for fire stations and offices ----- \$300 00					
Appropriation, ord. app'd June 24, 1911. 300 00					
	600 00	247 52	352 48		
40. Tools for repair shop-----	200 00	66 33	133 67		
41. Bedding and furniture-----	1,500 00	163 12	1,326 88		
41b Same purpose as Item 41-----	530 00	227 70			302 30
41c New apparatus brought from books of 1910, 10,000,000 loan -----	91,324 00	28,468 70			62,865 30
Totals-----	\$193,165 20	\$111,051 67	\$113,818 50		\$68,295 03

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General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter- signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loan not mergi.
Item.					
ELECTRICAL.					
42. Stationery, printing and supplies ----- \$1,000 00 Appropriation, ord. app'd June 24, 1911. 1,000 00	\$2,000 00	\$1,799 36	\$209 64		
42b. Same purpose as Item 42-----	171 88	52 50			\$1 3
43. Instruments and general supplies	5,000 00	4,945 34	54 66		
43b. Same purpose as Item 43-----	1,267 09	983 16			2 3
44. Iron post, mast arms, supplies and materials incident thereto-----	509 00		500 00		
44b. Same purpose as Item 44-----	2,232 78	998 25			1,2 3
45. Acids, batteries and materials in- cident thereto -----	1,000 00	678 11	321 89		
46. Storage batteries for automatic system -----	1,000 00	899 70	100 30		
46b. Same purpose as Item 46-----	265 00				2 00
47. Instruments and materials for the improvement and extension of the police and fire telegraph and repairs thereto-----	1,500 00	1,500 00			
47b. Same purpose as Item 47-----	1,729 81	1,669 41			6 0*
48. Materials and instruments, ex- tension of lines and hospital and armory service-----	300 00	300 00			
48b. Same purpose as Item 48-----	371 00	202 08			1 92
49. Improvement and extension of police signal and telephone service -----	1,000 00	1,000 00			
49b. Same purpose as Item 49-----	2,005 74	1,948 79			5 5*
50. Cables, junction boxes, supplies and materials for underground cable construction -----	5,000 00	4,902 50	97 50		
50b. Same purpose as Item 50-----	4,667 20	4,106 19			5 01
51. Underground electrical conduits--	1,000 00		1,000 00		
52. Coal and wood for storehouses--	200 00	64 30	135 70		
Totals-----	\$31,210 50	\$26,040 69	\$2,419 09		\$2,7 12

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General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
CORRECTION.					
Stationery, printing, office fixtures, office and typewriting supplies -----	\$300 00	\$299 60	\$0 40		
Flour, feed, meats, fish, poultry, ice, groceries and other provisions \$40,000 00 transferred to, ord. app'd Dec. 1, 1911.. 1,520 10	41,520 10	40,116 54	1,403 56		
Same purpose as Item 17-----	239 68				\$239 68
Tobacco, soap, oil and starch ----- \$2,000 00 appropriation, ord. app'd June 24, 1911.. 1,000 00	3,000 00	2,616 93	383 07		
Clothing, dry goods, bedding, bed clothing, thread, buttons, cotton, needles and trimmings.	4,000 00	3,567 00	433 00		
Bushes, brooms, broom corn and combs -----	200 00	45 75	154 25		
Amulter, prints and glass ----- \$500 00 appropriation, ord. app'd June 24, 1911.. 500 00	1,000 00	556 23	443 77		
Horses, cows, wagons, harness and trimmings-----	500 00	375 15	124 82		
Farming utensils, manure, seeds and plants -----	1,000 00	442 47	557 53		
Hardware and tinware, shovels, picks, axes and handles, and hose for quarry and house, iron, steel and blacksmith tools	500 00	392 18	107 82		
Powder, fuse and materials for quarry -----	300 00	82 78	217 22		
Fuel for building and gas works ----- 20,000 00 appropriation, ord. app'd Nov. 22, 1911.. 2,325 00	22,325 00	19,938 63	2,386 37		
Cement and lime for buildings and gas works-----	1,000 00	123 50	876 50		
Furniture, steam fittings and miscellaneous articles ----- \$500 00 appropriation, ord. app'd June 24, 1911.. 500 00	1,000 00	972 12	27 88		
Leather, lasts and shoe findings.	2,000 00	2,000 00			
Boilers and cauldrons-----	100 00		100 00		
Totals-----	\$78,984 78	\$71,528 91	\$7,216 19		\$239 68

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General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter- signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loan not merging.
Items.					
CITY PROPERTY.					
57. Printing, blank books, stationery, buttons and supplies-----	\$500 00	\$305 14	\$194 86		
57b. Same purpose as Item 57-----	175 96	54 19	-----		\$12
58. New benches, trees, flowers, manure, sod, supplies and materials for repairs ----- \$2,500 00					
Appropriation, ord. app'd March 30, 1911 11,200 00	13,700 00	13,693 74	6 26		
59. Coal, ice, kindling wood and fuel----- \$30,000 00					
Appropriation, ord. app'd June 24, 1911 25,000 00					
Appropriation, ord. app'd Nov. 22, 1911 16,000 00	71,000 00	70,192 83	807 17		
59b. Same purpose as Item 50-----	2,000 00	-----	-----		2,000
60. Bedding and other accommodations for jurors required for the various courts-----	100 00	24 15	75 85		
61. New furniture in court rooms----	100 00	56 28	43 72		
62. Flags, flagstaffs, halyards and awnings -----	200 00	200 00			
62b. Same purpose as Item 62-----	326 95	313 05	-----		13
63. Supplies to City Morgue ----- \$100 00					
Transferred to, ord. app'd July 19, 1911 300 00	400 00	223 29	176 71		
64. Supplying coal to military organizations-- \$2,725 00					
Appropriation, ord. app'd Feb. 9, 1911 300 00	3,025 00	2,314 85	710 15		
65. Materials and repairs to stations and patrol houses-----	500 00	499 01	99		
65b. Same purpose as Item 65-----	1,042 49	510 36	-----		533
66. Supplies for Independence Hall---	100 00	60 18	39 82		
67. Toilet-room supplies, brooms and brushes for public buildings -----	1,000 00	712 21	287 79		

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General Appropriation.	Amount appro- priated.	Amount counter- signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
1. Furnishing of Orphans' Court rooms, \$500; for carpets and furnishings of Room 765, \$100. 1910 -----	\$163 35				\$163 35
Totals-----	\$94,333 75	\$89,159 31	\$2,343 29		\$2,831 15
BUILDING INSPECTION.					
3. Printing, stationery, books and supplies and trans- portation for in- spectors ----- \$1,000 00 Appropriation, ord. app'd June 14, 1911. 1,000 00	\$2,000 00	\$690 35	\$1,309 65		
Totals-----	\$2,000 00	\$690 35	\$1,309 65		
ELEVATOR INSPECTION.					
4. Printing, stationery, books, supplies and transportation for elevator inspec- tors ----- \$500 00 Appropriation, ord. app'd June 24, 1911. 1,000 00	\$1,500 00	\$1,420 87	\$79 13		
Totals-----	\$1,500 00	\$1,420 87	\$79 13		
BOILER INSPECTION.					
5. Certificates of inspection, en- gineers' certificates, printing blanks, blank books, station- ery, buttons and supplies-----	\$1,000 00	\$444 52	\$555 48		
6. New harness, test pumps, forcing hose, gauges, tools and fit- tings -----	100 00		100 00		
Totals-----	\$1,100 00	\$444 52	\$655 48		
Section 2. Of the sum appro- priated to this Department the sum of \$25,500 is for the ex- penses of the Mayor, Civil Ser- vice Commission, Law Depart- ment and Receiver of Taxes, as follows: Ord. app'd Dec. 31, 1910 ----- \$25,500 00					

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General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter- signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Lo- an merg.
Brought from books of 1910, \$5,000,000 loan -----	\$15,376 74				
Brought from books of 1910, \$3,500,000 loan -----	16 51				
	\$40,893 25				
Transferred from, ord. app'd April 6, 1911 -----	18 06				
	\$40,875 19				
Appropriation, ord. app'd June 24, 1911. -----	10,000 00				
	\$50,875 19				
MAYOR.					
Items.					
1. Stationery, printing and supplies	\$1,000 00	\$987 70	\$12 30		
1b. Same purpose as Item 1.-----	322 32	218 89	-----		\$ 43
2. Printing and binding Mayor's Annual Message and accom- panying documents -----	5,000 00	5,000 00			
2b. Same purpose as Item 2.-----	4,960 00	4,837 22	-----		1 78
3. To the Board of Trustees for the promotion and maintenance of a Free Library, for stationery, coal and supplies.-----	9,000 00	6,553 96	2,446 04		
3b. Same purpose as Item 3.-----	2,867 64	22 39	-----		2,825
4. To the Board of Trustees of the Philadelphia Museums for coal, \$3,000; for stationery, building material and supplies, \$500.-----	3,500 00	3,477 00	23 00		
4¼b. Board of Trustees of Phila- delphia Museums, stationery, supplies, etc. Brought from books of 1910.-----	3,783 94	3,011 19	-----		7 75
4½. Coal used in the Philadelphia Museums, on account of De- partment of Public Health and Charities -----	2,500 00	2,500 00			
4½b. Same purpose as Item 4½.-----	2,500 00	1,596 23	-----		9 77
Totals.-----	\$35,433 90	\$28,204 58	\$2,481 34	-----	\$4,798
LAW DEPARTMENT.					
6. Blank books, stationery, paper books, blanks and supplies.-----	\$1,500 00	\$1,458 15	\$41 85		
Totals.-----	\$1,500 00	\$1,458 15	\$41 85		

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General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount co-inter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
RECEIVER OF TAXES.					
Blank books, stationery, printing, rebinding books and supplies for main and branch offices.-----	\$2,500 00				
Appropriation, ord. app'd June 24, 1911.-----	10,000 00				
	\$12,500 00	\$2,424 18	\$10,075 82		
Same purpose as Item 7.-----	121 24	-----	-----		\$121 24
Totals.-----	\$12,621 24	\$2,424 18	\$10,075 82	-----	\$121 24
CIL SERVICE COMMISSION.					
Stationery and printing.-----	\$500 00	\$457 95	\$42 05		
Same purpose as Item 5.-----	820 05	21 30	-----		\$798 75
Totals.-----	\$1,320 05	\$479 25	\$42 05	-----	\$798 75
Section 5. Of the amount appropriated to this Department the sum of \$276,800 is for the expenses of the Department of Public Works, as follows:					
Ord. app'd Dec. 31, 1910.-----	\$276,800 00				
Brought from books of 1910, \$5,000,000 loan.-----	106,018 22				
Transferred to, ord. app'd April 1, 1911.-----	50,000 00				
	\$432,818 22				
Transferred from \$5,000,000 loan, ord. app'd April 6, 1911.-----	184 49				
	\$432,633 73				
Appropriation, ord. app'd April 21, 1911.-----	4,000 00				
Transferred to, ord. app'd June 20, 1911.-----	50,000 00				
Appropriation, ord. app'd June 24, 1911.-----	70,934 00				
Transferred to, ord. app'd July 6, 1911.-----	150,000 00				
Transferred to, ord. app'd July 6, 1911.-----	38,994 13				
Appropriation, ord. app'd Nov. 9, 1911.-----	43,500 00				
Appropriation, ord. app'd Nov. 22, 1911.-----	39,930 93				

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General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter- signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Lo n merg.
Transferred to, ord. app'd Nov. 23, 1911. \$35,105 60					
Transferred to, ord. app'd Dec. 1, 1911. 3,969 11					
Appropriation, ord. app'd Dec. 1, 1911. 14,366 00					
<u>\$83,433 50</u>					
DIRECTOR'S OFFICE.					
Items.					
1. Printing, stationery and supplies	\$500 00	\$153 95	\$341 05		
1b. Same purpose as Item 1.-----	177 15	-----	-----		\$ 15
<u>Totals.-----</u>	<u>\$677 15</u>	<u>\$153 95</u>	<u>\$341 05</u>	-----	<u>\$ 15</u>
HIGHWAYS.					
2. Printing, stationery and supplies.----- \$1,000 00					
Appropriation, ord. app'd June 24, 1911. 3,000 00					
	\$4,000 00	\$2,913 30	\$1,086 70		
3. Printing, blank books, stationery and supplies, Board of Highway Supervisors -----	200 00	190 71	9 29		
4. Lumber, tools, sand, cement and materials for repairs to bridges, sewers and inlets ----- \$7,500 00					
Appropriation, ord. app'd Nov. 9, 1911. 18,500 00					
	26,000 00	7,500 00	18,500 00		
4b. Lumber and materials for bridges -----	5,561 06	5,406 77	-----		\$1 89
5. Lumber, tools, sand, cement and materials for repairs to streets.--- \$7,500 00					
Transferred to, ord. app'd June 20, 1911. 50,000 00					
Appropriation, ord. app'd Nov. 9, 1911. 25,000 00					
	\$2,500 00	74,808 67	7,691 33		
5b. Lumber, cement and materials for sewers and inlets.-----	5,979 14	2,411 76	-----		3,5 38
6. Oil, coal and engi- neers' stores for bridges ----- \$500 00					
Appropriation, ord. app'd June 24, 1911. 1,000 00					
	1,500 00	1,486 34	13 66		

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General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter- signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
Same purpose as Item 6-----	\$392 88	\$279 28	-----	-----	\$113 60
Tools and materials for bridges and sewer repair gangs	1,039 71	665 62	-----	-----	374 09
Tools and materials for repairs to streets occupied by tracks of the Philadelphia Rapid Transit Company. Transferred to, ord. app'd April 1, 1911-- \$50,000 00 Transferred to, ord. app'd July 6, 1911-- 150,000 00	200,000 00	92,410 62	-----	\$107,589 28	
Totals-----	\$327,173 39	\$188,073 07	\$27,300 98	\$107,589 28	\$4,209 96
LIGHTING.					
For purchase of stationery, maps, printing and office sup- plies -----	\$100 00	\$85 10	\$14 90		
Totals-----	\$100 00	\$85 10	\$14 90		
SURVEYS.					
Stationery, record books, draughting materials, instru- ments and office supplies ----- \$1,000 00 Appropriation, ord. app'd April 21, 1911-- 1,000 00	\$2,000 00	\$883 88	\$1,116 12		
Same purpose as Item 8-----	482 78	184 17	-----	-----	\$298 61
Office supplies for dis- trict surveyors ----- \$1,500 00 Appropriation, ord. app'd April 21, 1911-- 3,000 00	4,500 00	2,775 36	1,724 64		
Same purpose as Item 9-----	526 63	60 33	-----	-----	466 30
Blank books and card index sys- tem to be used in connection herewith -----	500 00	262 00	238 00		
Supplies for Mingo creek pumping sta- tion ----- \$500 00 Appropriation, ord. app'd June 24, 1911-- 1,000 00	1,500 00	1,490 67	9 33		
Totals-----	\$9,509 41	\$5,656 41	\$3,088 09	-----	\$764 91

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General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter- signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loa no merg
Items.					
WATER.					
12. Stationery, office and engineers' supplies, printing text books and supplies -----	\$1,000 00				
Appropriation, ord. app'd June 24, 1911-----	5,000 00				
	\$6,000 00	\$4,329 35	\$1,670 65		
12b. Same purpose as Item 12-----	2,053 20	914 05			\$1,115
13. Coal and hauling of same -----	\$200,000 00				
Appropriation, ord. app'd June 24, 1911-----	18,750 00				
Appropriation, ord. app'd June 24, 1911-----	2,184 00				
Transferred to, July 6, 1911-----	23,000 00				
Appropriation, ord. app'd Nov. 22, 1911-----	39,930 93				
Transferred to, Nov. 22, 1911-----	35,000 00				
Transferred to, Dec. 1, 1911-----	3,969 11				
	322,834 04	314,827 06	8,006 98		
13b. Same purpose as Item 13-----	\$3,535 46				
Transferred to, ord. app'd July 6, 1911-----	15,994 13				
	19,529 59	18,626 25			84
14. Oil, lubricants, paints, brushes, wood and coke -----	\$5,000 00				
Appropriation, ord. app'd June 24, 1911-----	10,000 00				
Transferred to, ord. app'd Nov. 22, 1911-----	105 60				
	15,105 60	4,845 77	10,259 83		
14b. Same purpose as Item 14-----	620 08	152 04			04
15. Iron water pipe, special castings, pig lead-----	5,000 00	5,000 00			
15b. Same purpose as Item 15-----	61,934 79	60,950 95			84
16. Hardware, bolts, nuts, iron, steel and malleable castings -----	\$7,500 00				
Appropriation, ord. app'd June 24, 1911-----	15,000 00				
Appropriation, ord. app'd Dec. 1, 1911-----	14,366 00				
	36,866 00	25,731 58	11,134 42		
16b. Same purpose as Item 16-----	1,519 77	1,306 32			45

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General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter- signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
7. um goods and pack- ing ----- \$10,000 00 ppropriation, ord. app'd June 24, 1911. 10,000 00	\$20,000 00	\$10,599 37	\$9,400 63		
7 Same purpose as Item 17-----	8,202 06	8,202 06			
8. handlery and laboratory sup- plies -----	2000 00	1,769 94	230 06		
8 Chandelery -----	2,051 79	1,571 80			\$479 99
9. wrought iron pipe and fittings--	2,000 00	1,276 34	723 66		
9 Same purpose as Item 19-----	2,229 06	2,229 06			
20. ire brick and fire clay-----	500 00	500 00			
20 Same purpose as Item 20-----	118 49	118 25			24*
21. rass fittings and castings, cocks and valves for steam and water and expansion metal and lead coating-----	5,000 00	4,988 18	11 82		
21 Same purpose as Item 21-----	2,748 24	1,330 87			1,417 37
22. overing for steam pipes and boilers -----	500 00	444 90	55 10		
22 Same purpose as Item 22-----	200 00	8 00			192 00
23. umber -----	5,000 00	5,000 00			
23 Same purpose as Item 23-----	1,153 44	1,129 47			23 97*
24. orage ----- \$2,500 00 ppropriation, ord. app'd June 24, 1911. 5,000 00	7,500 00	6,948 24	551 76		
25. on and steel-----	1,000 00	999 03	97		
26. ment, bricks, blocks, lime, sand, building stone, granite curb and coping-----	2,500 00	2,412 66	87 34		
26 Same purpose as Item 26-----	1,219 64	564 06			655 58
27. ectrical supplies -----	500 00	500 00			
27 Same purpose as Item 27-----	1,238 74	1,091 68			147 06
28. apping and pipe cutting ma- chine and fittings-----	500 00	500 00			
28 Same purpose as Item 28-----	400 00	561 85			38 15*
29. orses, wagons, carts, stable supplies and harness-----	1,000 00	1,000 00			
29 Same purpose as Item 29-----	439 08	435 68			3 40*

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General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter- signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loan not merging.
Items.					
30. Donkey pumps, machine tools and condensers -----	\$500 00	\$59 90	\$410 10		
31. Special articles and small stores	1,600 00	803 84	196 16		
31b. Same purpose as Item 31-----	809 94	432 42	-----		\$87 2
32. Lead pipes, block tin and sheet lead -----	3,000 00	218 63	2,781 37		
32b. Same purpose as Item 32-----	1,200 00	-----	-----		1,200 0
Totals-----	\$545,973 55	\$492,179 60	\$45,550 85	-----	\$8,240
Section 3. Of the amount appro- priated to this Department the sum of \$492,500 is for the ex- penses of the Department of Public Health and Charities, as follows:					
Ord. app'd Dec. 31, 1910 -----	\$492,500 00				
Brought from books of 1910, \$5,000,000 loan -----	42,049 73				
	\$534,549 73				
Transferred from, ord. app'd April 6, 1911 -----	188 32				
	\$534,361 41				
Appropriation, ord. app'd June 24, 1911	114,200 00				
Appropriation, ord. app'd July 19, 1911	14,033 88				
Appropriation, ord. app'd Nov. 22, 1911	15,033 07				
	\$677,628 36				
DIRECTOR OF HEALTH AND CHARITIES.					
1. Printing, stationery and supplies	\$500 00	\$110 11	\$389 89		
1b. Same purpose as Item 1-----	250 00	14 45	-----		\$2 55
Totals-----	\$750 00	\$124 56	\$389 89	-----	\$2 55
HEALTH.					
2. Stationery, printing, books and supplies -----	\$2,000 00	\$1,992 67	\$7 33		
2b. Same purpose as Item 2-----	1,074 87	653 68	-----		\$ 19

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General Appropriation.	Amount appro- priated.	Amount counter- signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
100s.					
3 Executing the Registration Act, printing rules and information for the preservation of public health -----	\$1,000 00	\$438 00	\$562 00		
8 Same purpose as Item 3.-----	1,127 12	771 12			\$356 00
4 Vaccine virus and antitoxin and other biologic products-----	2,500 00	2,500 00			
4 Same purpose as Item 4.-----	165 00	160 00			5 00*
5 Disinfecting material -----	2,060 00	1,744 05	255 95		
6 Groceries, meats, butter, eggs, milk, vegetables and ice at the Philadelphia Hos- pital for Contagious Diseases ----- \$35,000 00 Appropriation, ord. app'd June 24, 1911. 5,000 00	40,000 00	34,615 77	5,384 23		
6 Same purpose as Item 6.-----	6,759 77	6,758 75			1 02*
7 Clothing, bedding, furniture, brushes, soap, drugs, coffins, instruments and supplies for Philadelphia Hos- pital for Contagious Diseases ----- \$4,000 00 Appropriation, ord. app'd June 24, 1911. 3,000 00	7,000 00	5,163 95	1,836 05		
8 Fuel ----- \$13,500 00 Appropriation, ord. app'd June 24, 1911. 10,000 00	23,500 00	23,118 39	381 61		
8 Same purpose as Item 8.-----	129 53	74 52			55 06*
9 Horses, vehicles, harness and feed and bedding for horses----	1,500 00	1,499 60	40		
9 Same purpose as Item 9.-----	909 97	722 90			187 07
10 Materials, apparatus and inci- dentials for laboratories-----	1,000 00	651 48	348 52		
10 Same purpose as Item 10.-----	221 18	96 44			124 74
11 Food and bedding for horses at antitoxin laboratory -----	1,000 00	987 26	12 74		
12 New apparatus, chemicals and materials for laboratories-----	1,000 00	617 89	382 11		
Totals-----	\$92,887 49	\$82,566 47	\$9,170 94		\$1,150 08

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General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter- signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loan not mergit
Items.					
CHARITIES.					
13. Stationery, printing, paper, printing materials and supplies ----- \$1,000 00 Appropriation, ord. app'd June 24, 1911. 1,200 00	\$2,200 00	\$2,049 35	\$150 65		
13b. Same purpose as Item 13-----	208 70	202 58			\$6 *
14. Flour, corn meal, oat meal and wheaten preparations -----	50,000 00	49,804 98	195 02		
15. Meats and fish----- \$75,000 00 Appropriation, ord. app'd June 24, 1911. 10,000 00	85,000 00	84,663 26	336 74		
15b. Same purpose as Item 15-----	3,706 93	3,485 89			224
16. Groceries, vegetables, ice and tobacco----- \$100,000 00 Appropriation, ord. app'd June 24, 1911. 34,000 00	134,000 00	129,567 77	4,632 23		
16b. Same purpose as Item 16-----	4,859 47	4,859 47			
17. Milk and cream----- \$50,000 00 Appropriation, ord. app'd June 24, 1911. 15,000 00	65,000 00	64,998 97	1 03		
18. Dry goods, notions, clothing, head and footwear. \$75,000 00 Appropriation, ord. app'd June 24, 1911. 10,000 00	85,000 00	84,810 84	189 16		
18b. Same purpose as Item 18-----	11,855 98	10,315 19			1,579
19. Furniture, crockery and house furnishing goods -----	5,000 00	4,090 16	909 84		
19b. Same purpose as Item 19-----	1,792 07	790 52			1,055
20. Fuel ----- \$40,000 00 Appropriation, ord. app'd June 24, 1911. 15,000 00 Appropriation, ord. app'd Nov. 22, 1911. 15,033 07	70,033 07	53,011 10	17,021 97		
20b. Same purpose as Item 20-----	1,896 76	1,888 75			81 *
21. Oil for lighting and lubricating purposes \$500 00 Appropriation, ord. app'd June 24, 1911. 1,000 00	1,500 00	965 18	534 82		

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General Appropriation.	Amount appro- priated.	Amount counter- signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
s.					
22 Feed, straw and material for bedding and mattresses-----	\$1,500 00	\$4,499 95	\$0 05		
22 Same purpose as Item 22-----	1,370 16	720 09			\$650 07
23 Horses, harness and wagons-----	1,000 00	49 55	950 45		
23 Same purpose as Item 23-----	200 00				200 00
24 Tools and materials used in re- pairs to buildings, roads and grounds, plumbing, electrical, gas and steam fit- tings ----- \$10,000 00					
Appropriation, ord. app'd June 24, 1911. 10,000 00					
Appropriation, ord. app'd July 19, 1911. 2,500 00					
	22,500 00	14,372 28	8,127 72		
24 Same purpose as Item 24-----	3,333 85	2,895 10			438 75
25 Leather, lasts, shoe findings, chain filling and weaving ma- terials -----	2,000 00	1,429 40	570 60		
25 Same purpose as Item 25-----	1,000 00	564 84			435 16
26 Teeth and dental supplies-----	500 00	411 14	88 86		
27 Fire hose and couplings-----	500 00	24 13	475 87		
28 The purchase of blankets for Philadelphia General Hospital and Philadelphia Hospital for Insane -----	5,000 00	4,997 69	2 31		
29 The purchase of sheets and bed spreads for Philadelphia Gen- eral Hospital and Philadelphia Hospital for Insane-----	5,000 00	4,999 99	01		
30 Purchase of sheets and spreads for Hospital for Indigent and Philadelphia General Hospital--	2,500 00	2,500 00			
30 Sheets and spreads-----	1,000 00	998 62			1 38*
30 To replace clothing, sheets, pillow cases, spreads, etc., destroyed by fire in laundry. Appropriation, ord. app'd July 19, 1911 -----	11,533 88	11,533 49	39		
Totals-----	\$583,990 87	\$545,300 28	\$34,187 72		\$4,502 87

Table H—Continued.

Department of Supplies.

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter- signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loa no merg
Section 6. Of the amount appropriated to this Department the sum of \$20,525 is for the expenses of Wharves, Docks and Ferries, as follows:					
Ord. app'd Dec. 31, 1916 -----	\$20,525 00				
Brought from books of 1910, \$5,000,000 loan -----	273 77				
Brought from books of 1910, \$3,500,000 loan -----	40 45				
	\$20,839 22				
Transferred from, ord. app'd April 6, 1911 -----	91 18				
	\$20,748 04				
Transferred to, ord. app'd Oct. 7, 1911--	1,000 00				
	\$21,748 04				
WHARVES, DOCKS AND FERRIES.					
Items.					
1. Stationery, printing, binding blank books, text books, office supplies, carpets, furniture, maps, charts and draughting and engineers' instruments -----	\$500 00				
Transferred to, ord. app'd Oct. 7, 1911--	1,000 00				
	\$1,500 00	\$817 60	\$682 40		
2. Stationery and supplies-----	25 00	13 82	11 18		
3. Dry stores, groceries and supplies for City Ice Boats-----	1,000 00	951 92	48 08		
4. Stores, chandlery, cooking utensils, paints and oils for City Ice Boats -----	1,000 00	426 46	573 54		
5. Fuel for City Ice Boats-----	3,000 00	1,502 23	1,497 77		
6. Provisions for City Ice Boats---	1,000 00	374 21	625 79		
6b. Same purpose as Item 6-----	200 00	180 17			\$183*
6½. Same purpose as Item 6-----	23 04	23 04			
7. Fuel for City Dredging Plant----	3,000 00	2,081 45	18 52		
8. Dry stores and groceries for City Dredging Plant -----	2,000 00	1,996 03	3 97		

Table H—Continued.

Department of Supplies.

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
ter.					
9. Provisions, meats, fish and poultry for City Dredging Plant---	\$2,000 00	\$47 53	\$1,952 47		
10. Handlery, cooking utensils, paints, oils, valves, piping and fittings for City Dredging Plant -----	2,000 00	1,109 37	890 63		
11. The purchase of pontoons, lines, shore and pipe fittings and rubber sleeves for City Dredging Plant -----	3,000 00	738 75	2,261 25		
12. Timber for City Dredging Plant	2,000 00	1,960 80	39 20		
Totals-----	\$21,748 04	\$13,123 41	\$8,604 80	-----	\$19 83

Subject to transfer:

,000,000 loan ----- \$467 58

Table H—Continued.

Department of Civil Service Commission.

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans merging.
An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Civil Service Commission for the year 1911, ord. app'd Dec. 28, 1910-----	\$30,590 00				
Brought forward from book of 1910, out of the loan of \$5,000,000 of July 14, 1910, ord. app'd July 29, 1910-----	176 44				
	<u>\$30,766 44</u>				
Additional appropriation, ord. app'd June 24, 1911-----	1,500 00				
	<u>\$32,266 44</u>				
Items.					
1. For salaries.					
President-----	\$5,000 00				
Two commissioners, \$3,000 each-----	6,000 00	\$11,000 00	\$11,000 00		
2. For salaries.					
Office manager and chief clerk-----	\$2,400 00				
Chief civil service examiner-----	2,400 00				
Two assistant examiners, \$1,800 each---	3,600 00				
Clerk-----	1,200 00				
Two clerks, \$1,100 ea-	2,200 00				
Two clerks, \$1,000 ea-	2,000 00				
Keeper of records-----	1,100 00				
Two stenographers, \$900 each-----	1,800 00				
Clerk-----	900 00				
Messenger and janitor	720 00				
Uniforms-----	50 00				
Two cleaners, \$360 ea-	720 00	19,090 00	19,090 00		
3. Advertising, extra clerk hire and incidentals-----	\$500 00				
Additional appropriation, ord. app'd June 24, 1911-----	1,500 00	2,000 00	2,000 00		
3b. Same purpose as Item 3.					
Brought forward from book of 1910, out of loan of \$5,000,000 of July 14, 1910, ord. app'd July 29, 1910-----	176 44	176 44			
Totals-----	\$32,266 44	\$32,266 44			

Table H—Continued.

Department of County Prisons.

Additional Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter- signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
REED STREET.					
Finance to make an appropriation to the Inspectors of the City Prisons, for Reed Street Prison, for the year 1910 -----	\$101,780 00				
" " " " " largers, from books of 10, out of \$5,000,- loan of July 14, ord. app'd July 19, 1910 -----	25 72				
	<u>\$101,805 72</u>				
Additional appropriation, for app'd March 29, 1911 -----	2,025 00				
	<u>\$103,830 72</u>				
Transferred from, ord. and April 6, 1911-----	25 72				
	<u>\$103,805 00</u>				
Additional appropriation, out of temporary loan of \$1,200,000, app'd Nov. 9, 1911-----	2,700 00				
	<u>\$106,505 00</u>				
Transferred from, ord. and Nov. 22, 1911-----	255 00				
	<u>\$106,250 00</u>				
Transferred to, ord. and Nov. 22, 1911-----	255 00				
	<u>\$106,505 00</u>				
For flour -----	\$9,000 00	\$8,995 69	\$4 31		
For beef, mutton and pork -----	\$10,000 00				
Additional appropriation, out of temporary loan of \$1,200,000, ord. app'd Nov. 9, 1911-----	500 00				
	<u>10,500 00</u>	9,836 99	663 01		
For groceries and provisions -----	\$1,800 00				
Additional appropriation, out of temporary loan of \$1,200,000, ord. app'd Nov. 9, 1911 -----	200 00				
	<u>2,000 00</u>	1,949 01	50 99		
For vegetables -----	\$1,500 00				
Additional appropriation, out of tempo-					

Table H—Continued.

Department of County Prisons.

Additional Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans merging.
Item 4—Continued.					
rary loan of \$1,200,- 000, ord. app'd Nov. 9, 1911 -----	\$300 00				
		\$1,800 00	\$1,767 88	\$32 12	
5. For milk and ice-----		600 00	508 98	91 02	
6. For compressed yeast-----		350 00	302 75	47 25	
7. For soap -----		1,000 00	996 54	3 46	
8. For drugs and hospital supplies--		600 00	592 76	7 24	
9. For hay, feed and straw -----	\$250 00				
Additional appropria- tion, out of tempo- rary loan of \$1,200,- 000, ord. app'd Nov. 9, 1911 -----	50 00				
		300 00	297 07	2 93	
10. For stationery and printing -----	\$250 00				
Additional appropria- tion, out of tempo- rary loan of \$1,200,- 000, ord. app'd Nov. 9, 1911 -----	100 00				
		450 00	348 52	1 48	
10b. Non-merger, brought from books of 1910, out of \$5,000,000 loan of July 14, 1910, ord. app'd July 29, 1910-----	\$3 27				
Transferred from, ord. April 6, 1911---	3 27				
11. For brooms, combs and mate- rials for making brushes -----	\$200 00				
Additional appropria- tion, out of tempo- rary loan of \$1,200,- 000, ord. app'd Nov. 9, 1911 -----	150 00				
	\$350 00				
Transferred to, ord. app'd Nov. 22, 1911.	100 00				
		450 00	449 73	27	
11b. Non-merger, brought from books of 1910, out of \$5,000,000 loan of July 14, 1910, ord. app'd July 29, 1910-----	\$0 09				
Transferred from, ord. app'd April 6, 1911 -----	09				

Table H—Continued.

Department of County Prisons.

Additional Appropriation.	Amount appro- priated.	Amount counter- signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
For presents to discharged pris- ners, as per Act of Assembly ----- \$150 00					
Transferred from, ord. app'd Nov. 22, 1911 ----- 75 00					
	\$75 00	\$74 00	\$1 00		
For library books -----	150 00	149 96	04		
For furniture disinfectants, haul- ing ashes, postage stamps, telephone service, gas and other miscellaneous expenses---	2,800 00	2,799 81	19		
For fuel -----	9,500 00	9,499 29	71		
For clothing and bed- ding ----- \$4,000 00					
Additional appropria- tion, out of tempo- rary loan of \$1,200,- 000, ord. app'd Nov. 1911 ----- 500 00					
	4,500 00	4,499 05	95		
For same purpose as Item 16. Transferred to, ord. app'd Nov. 2, 1911, out of \$3,500,000 loan of Oct. 17, 1908, ord. app'd Nov. 21, 1908-----	105 00	105 00			
Don-merger, brought from books of 1910, out of \$5,000,000 loan of July 14, 1910, ord. app'd July 29, 1910----- \$17 18					
Transferred from, ord. approved April 6, 1911 ----- 17 18					
For repairs and im- provements ----- \$3,000 00					
Additional appropria- tion, out of tempo- rary loan of \$1,200,- 000, ord. app'd Nov. 9, 1911 ----- 500 00					
	3,500 00	3,492 06	7 94		
Don-merger, brought from books of 1910, out of \$5,000,000 loan of July 14, 1910, ord. app'd July 29, 1910 ----- \$5 18					
Transferred from, ord. app'd April 6, 1911 ----- 5 18					
For salaries.					
Superintendent ----- \$3,500 00					
Assistant superinten- dent ----- 1,800 00					
Clerk ----- 1,800 00					

Table H—Continued.

Department of County Prisons.

Additional Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loss merging.
Item 18—Continued.					
Prison agent -----	\$1,500 00				
Physician -----	1,500 00				
Assistant physician and apothecary-----	1,500 00				
Plumber and keeper--	1,000 00				
Painter and keeper--	1,000 00				
Carpenter and keeper.	1,000 00				
Nineteen keeper, \$900 each -----	17,000 00				
Baker and cook, \$900 each -----	1,800 00				
Two night gate keep- ers, \$900 each-----	1,800 00				
Messenger -----	900 00				
Chief electrician and engineer -----	1,500 00				
Assistant electrician--	1,000 00				
Second assistant elec- trician -----	900 00				
Engineer -----	900 00				
Fireman -----	900 00				
Three night and two day watchmen, \$800 each -----	4,000 00				
Physician (woman)---	1,200 00				
Matron -----	1,000 00				
Watchman, to act as nurse -----	800 00				
Assistant matron-----	800 00				
Four keepers, \$750 ea-	3,000 00				
Four watchwomen, \$420 each -----	1,680 00				
	<u>\$53,880 00</u>				
An Ordinance to pro- vide for three addi- tional keepers at the rate of \$900 each per annum, from April 1, 1911, ord. app'd March 29, 1911	2,025 00				
		\$55,905 00	\$55,797 51	\$107 49	
19. For maintenance of electric light and steam heating plant -----	\$1,500 00				
Additional appropria- tion, out of tempo- rary loan of \$1,200,- 000, ord. app'd Nov. 9, 1911 -----	400 00	1,900 00	1,899 20	80	
		350 00	349 82	18	
20. For leather -----					
21. For shoe findings and new machinery ----	\$50 00				
Transferred from, ord. app'd Nov. 22, 1911 -----	30 00	20 00	14 61	5 39	

Table H—Continued.

Department of County Prisons.

Additional Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter- signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
For overwork of prisoners ----- \$150 00					
Transferred from, ord. app'd Nov. 22, 1911 ----- 150 00					
For advertising ----- \$150 00					
Transferred from, ord. app'd Nov. 22, 1911 ----- 50 00					
	\$200 00	\$196 50	\$3 50		
For traveling expenses of prison agent ----- 150 00		148 08	1 92		
For traveling expenses of prison agent ----- 400 00		395 50	4 50		
Totals-----	\$106,505 00	\$105,466 31	\$1,038 69		

Table H—Continued.

Department of County Prisons.

Additional Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans merging.
HOLMESBURG.					
An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Inspectors of the County Prisons for Holmesburg Prison, for the year 1911, ord. app'd Dec. 31, 1910 -----	\$99,500 00				
Non-mergers, brought from books of 1910, out of \$5,000,000 loan of July 14, 1910, ord. app'd July 29, 1910-----	36 61				
	\$99,536 61				
Additional appropriation, ord. app'd March 29, 1911 -----	2,700 00				
	\$102,236 61				
Transferred from, ord. app'd April 6, 1911-----	36 61				
	\$102,200 00				
Additional appropriation, ord. app'd April 21, 1911	4,972 08				
	\$107,172 08				
Additional appropriation, ord. app'd May 4, 1911, unexpended balance of \$3,500,000, loan of Oct. 17, 1908 -----	12,027 92				
	\$119,200 00				
Additional appropriation, out of temporary loan of \$1,200,000, ord. app'd Nov. 9, 1911-----	6,575 00				
	\$125,775 00				
Transferred from, ord. app'd Nov. 22, 1911----	1,785 00				
	\$123,990 00				
Transferred to, ord. app'd Nov. 22, 1911----	1,785 00				
	\$125,775 00				
Items.					
1. For flour -----	\$9,000 00				
Additional appropriation, out of temporary loan of \$1,200,000, ord. app'd Nov. 9, 1911 -----	2,000 00				
		\$11,000 00	\$10,999 43	\$0 57	
2½. For beef and mutton. Transferred to, ord. app'd Nov.					

Table H—Continued.

Department of County Prisons.

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
er 2½—Continued.					
22, 1911, out of \$3,500,000 loan of Oct. 17, 1908, ord. app'd Nov. 21, 1908-----	\$500 00	\$498 99			\$1 01
2. or beef, mutton and pork ----- \$12,000 00 Additional appropriation, out of temporary loan of \$1,200,000, ord. app'd Nov. 9, 1911 ----- 2,000 00					
	14,000 00	13,983 96	\$16 04		
or groceries and provisions ----- \$2,000 00 Additional appropriation, out of temporary loan of \$1,200,000, ord. app'd Nov. 9, 1911 ----- 200 00					
	2,200 00	2,199 91	09		
or vegetables ----- \$2,100 00 Additional appropriation, out of temporary loan of \$1,200,000, ord. app'd Nov. 9, 1911 ----- 200 00					
	2,300 00	2,283 28	16 72		
2. For same purpose as Item 4. transferred to, ord. app'd Nov. 22, 1911, out of \$3,500,000 loan of Oct. 17, 1908, ord. app'd Nov. 21, 1908-----	450 00	450 00			
or milk and ice----- \$600 00 Additional appropriation, out of temporary loan of \$1,200,000, ord. app'd Nov. 9, 1911 ----- 150 00					
	\$750 00				
transferred to, ord. app'd Nov. 22, 1911 ----- 150 00	900 00	899 40	60		
b Non-merger, from books of 1910, out of \$5,000,000 loan of July 14, 1910, ord. app'd July 29, 1910----- \$13 39 transferred from, ord. April 6, 1911----- 13 39					
or compressed yeast ----- \$350 00 Additional appropriation, out of tempo-					

Table H—Continued.

Department of County Prisons.

Additional Appropriation.	Amount appro- priated.	Amount counter- signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loa no merg
Item 6—Continued.					
rary loan of \$1,200,- 000, ord. app'd Nov. 9, 1911 -----	\$75 00				
	\$425 00				
Transferred to, ord. app'd Nov. 22, 1911 -----	10 00	\$435 00	\$435 00		
6b. Non-merger, brought from books of 1910, out of \$5,000,000 loan of July 14, 1910, ord. app'd July 29, 1910-----	\$17 50				
Transferred from, April 6, 1911-----	17 50				
7. For soap -----		1,000 00	1,000 00		
8. For drugs and hos- pital supplies -----	\$500 00				
Additional appropria- tion, out of tempo- rary loan of \$1,200,- 000, ord. app'd Nov. 9, 1911 -----	100 00	600 00	600 00		
9. For hay, feed and straw-----		250 00	250 00		
10. For stationery and printing -----	\$300 00				
Transferred to, ord. app'd Nov. 22, 1911-----	100 00	400 00	399 52	\$0 48	
11. For brooms, combs and materials for making brushes ----	\$200 00				
Additional appropria- tion, out of tempo- rary loan of \$1,200,- 000, ord. app'd Nov. 9, 1911 -----	150 00	350 00	349 65	35	
12. For presents to dis- charged prisoners-- Transferred from, ord. app'd Nov. 22, 1911 -----	\$400 00 80 00	320 00	320 00		
13. For library books-----		200 00	199 94	06	
14. For furniture, disinfectants, hauling ashes, telephone ser- vice, postage stamps and other miscellaneous expenses -----	\$1,500 00				
Additional appropria- tion, out of tempo-					

Table H—Continued.

Department of County Prisons.

Additional Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
14—Continued.					
Temporary loan of \$1,200,- 000, ord. app'd Nov. 9, 1911 -----	\$200 00				
	\$1,700 00	\$1,695 26	\$4 74		
15. or fuel -----	13,000 00	12,999 13	87		
16. or clothing and bed- ding -----	\$4,300 00				
Additional appropriation, out of temporary loan of \$1,200,- 000, ord. app'd Nov. 9, 1911 -----	500 00				
	4,800 00	4,798 00	2 00		
16. For same purpose as Item 16. transferred to, ord. app'd Nov. 22, 1911, out of \$3,500,000 loan of Oct. 17, 1908. ord. app'd Nov. 21, 1908. -----	500 00	499 75			*\$0 25
16. Non-merger, brought from books of 1910, out of \$5,000,000 loan of July 14, 1910, ord. app'd July 29, 1910 -----	\$0 56				
transferred from, ord. app'd April 6, 1910 -----	96				
17. or repairs, improvements, etc., including the construction of five cells for con- sumptives -----	\$3,000 00				
Additional appropriation, out of temporary loan of \$1,200,- 000, ord. app'd Nov. 9, 1911 -----	750 00				
	3,750 00	3,749 19	81		
18. or salaries.					
Assistant superinten- dent -----	\$1,800 00				
Clerk -----	1,000 00				
Physician -----	1,300 00				
Chief electrician and engineer -----	1,200 00				
Assistant electrician and engineer -----	1,000 00				
Second assistant elec- trician and electri- cian and keeper, \$800 each -----	1,800 00				
Two firemen, \$800 ea- ch -----	1,600 00				
Roemaker and keeper	1,000 00				
Carpenter and keeper	1,000 00				
Painter and keeper---	1,000 00				
Lumber and keeper---	1,000 00				
Bricklayer and keeper	1,000 00				

Table H—Continued.

Department of County Prisons.

Additional Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter- signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loan not merging.
Item 18—Continued.					
Tailor and keeper----	\$1,000 00				
Printer and keeper----	1,000 00				
Eleven keepers, \$900 each -----	9,900 00				
Messenger -----	900 00				
Baker -----	900 00				
Cook -----	900 00				
Night gatekeeper -----	900 00				
Ten watchmen, \$800 each -----	8,000 00				
	<u>\$38,200 00</u>				
An Ordinance to provide four additional keepers at the rate of \$900 each per annum from April 1, 1911, ord. app'd March 29, 1911-----	2,700 00				
		\$40,900 00	\$40,855 50	\$44 50	
19. For maintenance of electric light and steam heating plant -----	\$2,500 00				
Additional appropriation, out of temporary loan of \$1,200,000, ord. app'd Nov. 9, 1911 -----	250 00				
		2,750 00	2,739 38	10 62	
19b. Non-merger. brought from books of 1910, out of \$5,000,000 loan of July 14, 1910, ord. app'd July 29, 1910 -----	\$4 76				
Transferred from, ord. app'd April 6, 1911 -----	4 76				
20. For leather and manufacturing materials -----		5,000 00	4,999 96	04	
21. For shoe finding and new machinery -----		300 00	300 00		
22. For overwork of prisoners -----	\$150 00				
Transferred from, ord. app'd Nov. 22, 1911 -----	150 00				
23. For water rent -----		2,500 00	2,466 68	33 32	
Provided, That the inspectors of the county prisons are hereby authorized to purchase and contract for a supply of water from the Holmesburg and Disston Water Company for Holmesburg Prison, for the year 1911, at the same rate that existed for the year 1910.					

Table H—Continued.

Department of County Prisons.

Additional Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
tes.					
4. For advertising ----- \$150 00 transferred to, ord. app'd Nov. 22, 1911. ----- 75 00	\$225 00	\$220 50	\$4 50		
5 ew). For repairs incident to damage done by storm, ord. app'd April 21, 1911-----	4,972 08	4,960 38	11 70		
51 New). For repairs incident to damage by storm, ord. app'd May 4, 1911, appropriated from unexpended balance of \$3,500,- 000 loan of Oct. 17, 1908 ----- \$12,027 92 transferred from, ord. app'd Nov. 22, 1911 ----- 1,555 00	10,472 92	9,866 39			\$606 53
provided, That the said inspec- tors of the county prisons shall be allowed, when it is in their judgment to the best interests of the City, to purchase or contract, without advertising, bills for each prison not ex- ceeding the sum of \$100, and the City Controller is hereby authorized and directed to countersign warrants for bills so rendered upon the approval of the said bills by the Board of Inspectors of the County Prisons.					

Subject to transfer:

\$3,500,000 loan of Oct.
17, 1908, ord. app'd
Nov. 21, 1908----- \$0 25

Table H—Continued.

Department of Park Commissioners.

Additional Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loan not merged.
An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Commissioners of Fairmount Park for the year 1911, ord. app'd Dec. 31, 1910 -----	\$465,078 75				
Brought from books of 1910, out of the loan of \$5,739,700, July 19, 1909 -----	16,391 78				
Brought from books of 1910, out of the loan of \$5,000,000 of July 14, 1910 -----	16 75				
	\$481,487 28				
Transferred from, ord. app'd April 6, 1911, Out of the loan of \$5,739,700, July 19, 1909 -----	\$0 59				
Out of the loan of \$5,000,000, July 14, 1910 -----	16 75				
	\$481,469 94				
Additional appropriation, out of \$11,200,000 loan of June 17, 1898, ord. app'd April 10, 1911 -----	200,000 00				
	\$681,469 94				
Additional appropriation, ord. app'd June 14, 1911 -----	25,000 00				
	\$706,469 94				
Transferred to, ord. app'd June 20, 1911 -----	5,000 00				
	\$711,469 94				
Additional appropriation, out of \$9,750,000 loan of June 19, 1911, ord. app'd July 21, 1911 -----	500,000 00				
	\$1,211,469 94				
Additional appropriation, ord. app'd July 19, 1911 -----	3,000 00				
	\$1,214,469 94				
Additional appropriation, ord. app'd Oct. 3, 1911 -----	15,000 00				
	\$1,229,469 94				
Additional appropriation, out of \$1,200,000 temporary loan, ord. app'd Nov. 9, 1911 -----	10,000 00				
	\$1,239,469 94				

Table H—Continued.

Department of Park Commissioners.

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter- signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
1. For salaries.					
Solicitor -----	\$1,200 00				
Secretary -----	3,000 00				
Clerk -----	1,400 00				
Chief engineer and superintendent -----	4,500 00				
Landscape gardener -----	2,000 00				
Assistant engineer -----	1,650 00				
Chief clerk -----	1,350 00				
Messenger -----	900 00				
	\$16,000 00	\$16,000 00			
2b Brought forward from books of 1910, out of the loan of \$5,000,000, July 14, 1910 -----	\$1 86				
transferred from, ord. app'd April 6, 1911 -----	1 86				
2. For incidentals, cleaning office, stationery, printing analysis of water, hire of vehicles, rental of telephones and printing an- nual report -----	3,000 00	2,999 47	\$0 53		
3. For maintenance of Park, in- cluding care of roads, walks, drives, etc., fuel, stationery, maintenance and repairs of au- tomobile and inci- dentals -----	\$125,000 00				
Additional appropria- tion, ord. app'd June 14, 1911 -----	10,000 00				
Additional appropria- tion, ord. app'd July 19, 1911 -----	3,000 00				
Additional appropria- tion, ord. app'd Oct. 3, 1911 -----	15,000 00				
Additional appropria- tion, out of \$1,200,- 000 temporary loan, ord. app'd Nov. 9, 1911 -----	10,000 00				
	163,000 00	162,999 90	10		
3b Brought forward from books of 1910, out of \$5,000,000 loan of July 14, 1910, ord. app'd July 29, 1910 -----	\$1 86				
transferred from, ord. app'd April 6, 1911 -----	1 86				

Table H—Continued.

Department of Park Commissioners.

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loan not merging.
Items.					
4. For music and care of music pavilions -----					
Provided, That no award for music shall be made unless approved by Councils' Committee on Fairmount Park.					
Provided, also, That said musicians shall be members of an incorporated society of musicians of Philadelphia and citizens of the United States --	\$14,000 00	\$13,999 59	\$0 41		
5. For the care of Horticultural Hall and Arboretum, including fuel, attendance, materials and repairs, maintenance of fountains and water supply -----	\$20,000 00				
Additional appropriation, ord. app'd					
June 14, 1911 -----	5,000 00				
	25,000 00	24,999 24	76		
6. For the care of nurseries, planting and trimming trees, preservation of woodlands and purchase of new stock -----	4,000 00	3,999 15	85		
7. For the pay, equipment and incidental expenses of the Park Guards:					
Captain -----	\$2,000 00				
Lieutenant -----	1,500 00				
Four sergeants, \$3.50 per day each -----	5,110 00				
One hundred and nine guards, \$2.75 per day each -----	109,403 75				
Driver of Park ambulance, \$50 per mo. -----	600 00				
Six attendants at women's retiring houses, \$30 per month each -----	2,160 00				
Ten attendants at women's retiring houses, six months, \$30 per month each -----	1,800 00				
For uniforms and equipments -----	3,500 00				
For fuel, stationery, care and repair of station houses, guard boxes, keep of horses and other incidental expenses --	3,000 00				
	129,078 75	129,075 92	2 83		
8. For sprinkling drives and for purchase of new wagons and repairs to old -----	\$15,000 00				
Additional appropriation, ord. app'd					
June 14, 1911 -----	5,000 00				
	20,000 00	19,999 61	39		
9. For the maintenance of St. George's House -----	500 00	500 00			

Table H—Continued.

Department of Park Commissioners.

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
For care and maintenance of Memorial Hall ----- \$18,000 00					
Additional appropriation, ord. app'd June 14, 1911.----- 2,000 00					
	\$20,000 00	\$19,995 78	\$4 22		
For repairing and improving Memorial Hall -----	2,500 00	2,499 86	14		
For improving and macadamizing drives -----	2,500 00	2,498 82	1 18		
For repairs to buildings, erection of shelter, retiring houses and urinals; also the erection and repair of fences-----	4,000 00	3,999 63	37		
Provided, That not less than \$2,000 be expended for the erection of new shelter, retiring houses and urinals.					
For purchase and repairs of settees and picnic tables and repairs to same -----	1,000 00	999 00	1 00		
Provided, That it shall be expended prior to July 1, 1911.					
For maintenance and extension of present system of electric lights ----- \$37,500 00					
For maintenance and extension of Welsbach incandescent naphtha lamps ----- 10,500 00					
	48,000 00	44,712 09		\$3,287 91	
For erection and improvement of the water supply and for developing springs in various sections of the Park.-----	1,000 00	1,000 00			
For care, maintenance and improvement of Hunting Park ----- \$8,500 00					
For electric lighting----- 1,500 00					
For music ----- 1,000 00					
	11,000 00	10,997 89	2 11		
Provided, That the price paid for electric lights shall not exceed that paid by the City in the localities of the Park.					
Same purpose as Item 17.					
Brought forward from books of 1910, out of loan of \$5,739,700, July 1, 1909, ord. app'd July 19, 1909----- \$0 59					
Transferred from April 6, 1911.----- 59					

Table H—Continued.

Department of Park Commissioners.

Additional Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter- signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loan no merg
Items.					
18. For the purchase of manure and fer- tilizers ----- \$2,500 00					
Cutting grass and mowing lawns and destruction of poi- sonous vines ----- 5,000 00					
Additional appropria- tion, ord. app'd June 14, 1911----- 3,000 00					
	\$10,500 00	\$10,499 92	\$0 08		
18b. Same purpose as Item 18. Brought forward from books of 1910, out of loan of \$5,000,000, July 14, 1910, ord. app'd July 29, 1910-- \$8 12					
Transferred f r o m , April 6, 1911----- 8 12					
19. For the betterment of the ground used and the maintenance of the Zoological Garden-----	30,000 00	30,000 00			
20. For the preservation and care of present forest trees and pur- chase of appliances, destruc- tion of caterpillars and other insects -----	3,500 00	3,499 43	57		
21. For the completion of the im- provement of Peters Island----	3,000 00	2,999 31	69		
22. For care and maintenance of Burholme Park -----	5,000 00	4,999 94	06		
23. For Park Guards' Pension Fund. For improvement and construc- tion of drives and walks and works of a permanent descrip- tion. Additional appropria- tion, out of loan of \$5,739,700, July 1, 1909, ord. app'd July 19, 1909.	1,500 00	1,500 00			
Brought forward from books of 1910 -----	16,391 19	16,390 76			
24. Additional appropriation, out of loan of \$11,200,000 of June 17, 1898, ord. app'd April 10, 1911. Ordinance—Shall all that tract or plot of ground known as the Fairmount Reservoir, situated near the intersection of Twen- ty-fifth and Spring Garden streets, in the City of Phila- delphia, and belonging to the City of Philadelphia, and used by the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Water), be transferred and placed under					

Table H—Continued.

Department of Park Commissioners.

Additional Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
For the control and management of the Commissioners of Fairmount Park for the use of the City of Philadelphia as a site for a public Art Gallery, and that the sum of \$200,000, authorized by the loan of \$11,000,000, approved June 17, 1898, with the amendments thereto, be appropriated to Item 24 in the annual appropriation to the Commissioners of Fairmount Park for the erection and construction of said Art Gallery -----	\$200,000 00	-----	-----	-----	\$200,000 00
For cleaning out Cobbs creek from Woodland avenue to Baltimore avenue, transferred to, ord. app'd June 30, 1911 -----	5,000 00	2,691 92	-----	2,308 08	-----
For permanent improvements. Additional appropriation, out of loan of \$9,750,000 of June 19, 1911, ord. app'd July 21, 1911.-----	400,000 00	192,411 73	-----	-----	207,588 27
For work brought forward from books of 1910, out of \$5,000,000 loan of July 14, 1910, ord. app'd July 29, 1910. \$6 77 transferred from, ord. app'd April 6, 1911 ----- 6 77	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
For improvements in Hunting Park. For permanent improvements. Additional appropriation, out of loan of \$9,750,000 of June 19, 1911, ord. app'd July 21, 1911.-----	50,000 00	42,628 04	-----	-----	7,371 96
For improvements in Pennyback Creek Park. Additional appropriation, out of loan of \$9,750,000 of June 19, 1911, ord. app'd July 21, 1911.-----	50,000 00	-----	-----	-----	50,000 00
Totals-----	\$1,239,469 94	\$768,897 00	\$16 29	\$5,595 99	\$464,960 66
Loan subject to transfer, Item 23, out of the \$5,739,700 loan of July 1, 1909.----- \$0 43	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
PARK FUND. In accordance with Section 23 of the Act of Assembly of April 14, 1863. From books of 1910.----- \$33 93 Appropriation, ord. May 2, 1911 ----- 9,948 30	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
	\$9,987 23	\$7,696 63	-----	-----	\$2,290 60

Table H—Continued.

Department of Wharves, Docks and Ferries.

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter- signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loe no merg
An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of Wharves, Docks and Ferries for the year 1911.					
Section 1. The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain, That the sum of \$160,720 be, and the same is hereby appropriated to the Department of Wharves, Docks and Ferries for the year 1911	\$160,720 00				
Brought from books of 1910 -----	27,000 00				
Brought from books of 1910, State appropriat'n -----	45,439 30				
Brought from books of 1910, loan of \$5,000,000 -----	28,050 01				
Brought from books of 1910, loan of \$13,500,000 -----	308,985 09				
Brought from books of 1910, loan of \$5,739,700 -----	155,697 03				
Brought from books of 1910, loan of \$5,000,000, subject to transfer -----	60 00				
Brought from books of 1910, loan of \$3,500,000, subject to transfer -----	69 21				
	\$726,020 64				
Transferred from, ord. app'd April 6, 1911 -----	129 21				
	\$725,891 43				
Appropriation, ord. app'd March 30, 1911 -----	27,242 51				
Appropriation, ord. app'd March 16, 1911 -----	13,220 88				
Appropriation, ord. app'd June 24, 1911 -----	82 25				
Appropriation, ord. app'd July 13, 1911 -----	4,000 00				
Appropriation, ord. app'd July 19, 1911 -----	100 00				
Appropriation, ord. app'd July 19, 1911, loan of \$9,750,000 -----	600,000 00				
	\$1,370,537 07				
Transferred from, July 6, 1911 -----	90 00				
	\$1,370,447 07				
Transferred from, Oct. 7, 1911 -----	1,000 00				
	\$1,369,447 07				
Transferred from, Nov. 22, 1911 -----	60 00				
	\$1,369,387 07				

Table H—Continued.

Department of Wharves, Docks and Ferries.

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter- signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
ms					
For salaries.					
Director -----	\$10,000 00				
Assistant director ----	4,000 00				
Secretary -----	2,500 00				
For dock masters, \$1,000 each, and uni- forms, \$40 each----	10,200 00				
Collector of rents and harborage -----	2,400 00				
Register of arrivals and clearances ----	1,800 00				
Chief clerk -----	1,500 00				
Chief inspector -----	2,000 00				
Inspector of dock loading, \$1,000, and uniform, \$40---	1,040 00				
Three inspectors, \$1,000 each, and uni- forms, \$40 each----	3,120 00				
Two stenographers, \$1,000 each -----	1,800 00				
Nice server, \$900, and uniform, \$40---	940 00				
Messenger and clerk, \$1,000, and uniform, \$40 -----	940 00				
Two clerks, \$1,200 ea.	2,400 00				
Superintendent of dockers, \$900, and uni- form, \$40 -----	940 00				
Social officer, \$720, and uniform, \$40---	760 00				
Chief draughtsman---	1,800 00				
	\$48,140 00				
Appropriation, ord.					
App'd June 24, 1911--	82 25				
	\$48,222 25				
Transferred from, ord. app'd July 6, 1911 -----	90 00				
	\$48,132 25				
Transferred from, ord. app'd Oct. 7, 1911 -----	1,000 00				
	\$47,132 25				
	\$47,132 25	\$41,772 21	\$5,360 04		
Office rent of Department's of- fices in Bourse Building-----	3,900 00	3,700 00	200 00		
Advertising, postage and car fare-----	\$500 00				
Transferred to, ord. App'd July 19, 1911--	1,000 00				
	1,500 00	1,190 00	310 00		
Office and miscellaneous supplies--	500 00	500 00			

Table H—Continued.

Department of Wharves, Docks and Ferries.

Additional Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans merging.
Item.					
4b. Same purpose as Item 4-----	\$150 00	\$28 70			\$ 30
5. Repairs to City wharves, landings and recreation piers -----	\$5,000 00				
Brought from books of 1910 -----	2,000 00				
	7,000 00	7,000 00			
5b. Same purpose as Item 5-----	13,012 89	11,445 20			1,568
6. Fees of auctioneers--- \$250 00					
Transferred to, ord. app'd Oct. 7, 1911--- 369 80					
	619 80	619 80			
7. Miscellaneous expenses, advertising, transportation, incidentals, postage, City Ice Boats and Dredging Plant -----	300 00	299 69	31		
8. Expenses of operating City Ice Boats—salaries and wages: Superintendent of boats ----- \$2,500 00					
Clerk and watchman. 400 00					
Wages ----- 13,200 00					
	16,100 00	15,259 55	840 45		
8b. Same purpose as Item 8-----	781 68				7 88
9. Repairs to City Ice Boats, machinery and equipment-----	1,000 00	577 22	422 78		
9b. Drydocking and painting hulls of three City Ice Boats-----	365 75	365 75			
10. Dues to Maritime Exchange-----	100 00	100 00			
11. Removing ashes and refuse from City piers and lighting temporary immigrant station, Pier No. 80 South Wharves-----	300 00	228 65	71 35		
12. For salaries of the employees to prepare plans and specifications and to superintend the construction of new piers, bulkheads or other river improvements.					
Engineer ----- \$4,000 00					
Three first assistant engineers, \$2,500 ea. 7,500 00					
First ass't engineer--- 2,000 00					
Third ass't engineer--- 1,800 00					
Chief draughtsman--- 2,000 00					
Draughtsman ----- 1,800 00					
Draughtsman ----- 1,500 00					
Architectural draughtsman ----- 1,800 00					
Keepers of plans and records ----- 1,300 00					

Table H—Continued.

Department of Wharves, Docks and Ferries.

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
m 2—Continued.					
Assistant keeper of plans and records---	\$1,000 00				
Inspector of dock dredging -----	1,000 00				
Superintendents of pier pairs, \$900 each---	5,400 00				
Boatman -----	900 00				
Boat chainmen, \$900 each -----	1,800 00				
Inspector of masonry and concrete -----	1,800 00				
Assistant inspector of masonry and concrete -----	900 00				
Secretary to Board of engineers -----	900 00				
Typewriter and clerk---	900 00				
Two second assistant engineers, \$2,000 ea-	4,000 00				
	<u>\$42,300 00</u>				
The following item amended by striking out the words "one boatman, \$900," and "two chainmen, \$900 each," and inserting in lieu thereof the words "two inspectors, salary \$900 each," and "one chainman, \$500," rd. app'd May 2, 1911.					
Transferred from, rd. app'd July 19, 1911 -----	1,000 00				
	<u>\$41,300 00</u>				
Transferred from, rd. app'd Oct. 7, 1911 -----	369 80				
	<u>\$40,930 20</u>	\$39,204 44	\$1,725 76		
Maintenance of inspection boats "Eunomia" and "Inspector"---	5,000 00	4,285 45	714 55		
Payment of wages, purchase of uniforms for crew and maintenance of steamer "Eunomia"---	8,436 60	4,328 00			\$4,108 60
Expenses of operating the City Dredging Plant, salaries, wages and maintenance at the rate of Captain, \$150 month; captain, \$125 month; two captains, \$100 month each; Chief engineer, \$90 month; dredge operator, \$75 month; two assistant engineers, \$70 month each; eight firemen, \$40 month each; sixteen deckhands, \$35 month each; two oilers, \$40 month each;					

Table H—Continued.

Department of Wharves, Docks and Ferries.

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loan no merging.
Item 14—Continued.					
two coal passers, \$30 month each; steward, \$55 month; three stewards, \$45 month each; mate, \$55 month; seowman, \$35 month-----	\$21,330 00	\$18,734 61	\$2,595 39		
15. Repairs to tugboats, dredges, machinery and equipment-----	10,500 00	3,935 44	6,564 50		
16. Marine insurance and towers' liability ---- \$2,500 00 Transferred from, ord. app'd July 16, 1911 ----- 2,500 00					
16 (New). Erection of an office building on Race Street Pier, Pier No. 10 North Wharves, Delaware river Transferred to, ord. app'd July 6, 1911 -----	2,500 00	2,370 98	129 02		
17. One deck scow for coal and general transportation ----- \$3,000 00 Transferred from, ord. app'd Nov. 22, 1911 ----- 60 00	2,940 00	2,846 70	93 30		
17a. Dredging City docks, private docks into which municipal sewers empty, the Schuylkill river channel, and shoals in the Delaware river between the pier-head and bulkhead lines, \$13,500,000 loan -----	5,494 92	5,449 39			53
18. City dredging plant and maintenance of same, out of the \$13,500,000 loan -----	18,969 08	7,783 68			11, 40
18 (State). Same purpose as Item 18, out of State appropriation----	45,439 30	44,748 55		\$690 75	
19. The repairs of the pier and structure at the foot of Race street, Delaware river, out of the \$13,500,000 loan-----	2,878 83	2,084 85			93
20. The construction of a pier and structure thereon on the east side of Delaware avenue as of the width of 150 feet, between Vine street and Callowhill street, as provided for by ord. app'd Dec. 2, 1909, and the construction of a pier and structure thereon at the foot of Spruce street, out of the \$13,500,000 loan -----	281,642 26	270,114 94			11, 32

Table H—Continued.

Department of Wharves, Docks and Ferries.

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
For the purpose as Item 20, out of the \$5,739,700 loan-----	\$92,000 00	\$92,000 00			
For the construction of a bulkhead along the easterly side of Delaware avenue, from the south side of Vine street to a distance of 56 feet, more or less, north of line of Callowhill street, out of the \$5,739,700 loan ----- \$61,697 03 transferred from, ord. app'd Dec. 29, 1911 ----- 12,360 24	51,336 79	51,336 79			
For to rebuild the House of Correction wharf at Holmesburg, storehouse and office, out of the \$5,000,000 loan -----	5,203 09	5,203 09			
For dredging the Delaware river in front of and adjoining Pier D and that section of the channel in front of and adjacent to Piers 11, 12, 13 and 14, Port Richmond; to pay bill of the American Dredging Co., per lowest bid of 18 cents per cubic yard, for work already done and to be done, \$25,000, ord. app'd Dec. 29, 1910-----	25,000 00	25,000 00			
For to pay auctioneers' fees for selling City wharf lease-----	100 00	100 00			
For to make an appropriation to the Department of Wharves, Docks and Ferries, to pay John Maxwell's Sons for rebuilding the bulkhead on the west side of the Schuylkill river, between South and Wharton streets, ord. app'd March 16, 1911-----	13,220 88	13,220 88			
For To make an appropriation to pay claims against the City for work and labor heretofore done and materials heretofore furnished to the Department of Wharves, Docks and Ferries, ord. app'd March 30, 1911-----	27,242 51	27,242 51			
For repairs to City wharf at the foot of Bridge street, Forty-fifth Ward. appropriation, ord. app'd July 13, 1911 -----	4,000 00	3,732 86	\$267 14		
For (w). To pay water rent to the Holmesburg and Disston Water Co. for the year 1911-----	100 00		100 00		

Table H—Continued.

Department of Wharves, Docks and Ferries.

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter- signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loa. no. mergi
Item.					
26d-1. Completing Vine Street Pier, including installation of elevators, immigrant station, electric light service, etc., ord. app'd July 19, 1911, loan of \$9,750,000 -----	\$200,000 00	\$165,932 41	-----	-----	\$34,000 00
26d-2. Building two 500 cubic yards dump scows, loan of \$9,750,000	20,000 00	19,915 27	-----	-----	8 00
26d-3. To make necessary repairs to the substructure and superstructure of Race Street Pier, replacing decking with suitable creosoted wood blocks, etc., ord. app'd July 19, 1911, loan of \$9,750,000 -----	20,500 00	3,541 61	-----	-----	16,958 39
26d-4. To make necessary repairs to substructure and superstructure of Arch Street Pier, replacing decking with suitable creosoted wood blocks, ord. app'd July 19, 1911, loan of \$9,750,000 -----	20,900 00		-----	-----	20,900 00
26d-5. To make necessary repairs to the substructure and superstructure of Chestnut Street Pier, replacing decking with suitable creosoted wood blocks, etc. Appropriation, ord. app'd July 19, 1911, loan of \$9,750,000.-----	17,100 00		-----	-----	17,100 00
26d-6. Dredging at Dock street wharf and building new bulkhead. Appropriation, ord. app'd July 19, 1911, loan of \$9,750,000.-----	50,000 00	29,488 35	-----	-----	20,511 65
26d-7. Single-deck pier at Dock street wharf. Appropriation, ord. app'd July 19, 1911, loan of \$9,750,000.-----	250,000 00		-----	-----	250,000 00
26d-8. Making testings, borings and driving test piles on site of the new proposed bulkheads from South to Christian street and from Callowhill street to Fairmount avenue, ord. app'd July 19, 1911, loan of \$9,750,000 ----- \$10,000 00 Transferred from, ord. app'd Dec. 29, 1911 ----- 4,396 90	5,603 10	4,514 67	-----	-----	1,086 43

Table H—Continued.

Department of Wharves, Docks and Ferries.

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter- signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
en					
d. Bulkhead construction and repairs and alterations to existing City bulkheads along the Schuylkill river. appropriation, ord. app'd July 9, 1911, loan of \$9,750,000-----	\$11,500 00				\$11,500 00
e completion of a pier and bulkhead at the foot of Dock and Spruce streets, on the Delaware river, including electric lighting and steel inspection, transferred to, ord. app'd Dec. 9, 1911, loan of \$5,739,700-----	12,360 24				12,360 24
d. same purpose as Item 28. transferred to, ord. app'd Dec. 9, 1911, loan of \$9,750,000-----	4,396 90				4,396 90
Totals-----	\$1,369,387 07	\$930,202 24	\$19,394 65	\$690 75	\$419,099 43

Subject to transfer:

\$750,000 loan ----- \$84 73

Table H—Continued.
Department of Sinking Fund.

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter- signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Los ing merg
An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Commissioners of the Sinking Funds, for the year 1911. Section 1. The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain, That the sum of \$26,850 be, and the same is hereby appropriated to the Commissioners of the Sinking Funds, for the year 1911, ord. app'd Dec. 28, 1910 ----- \$26,850 00					
Item.					
1. For salary of clerk-----	\$1,800 00	\$1,800 00			
2. For stationery and incidentals---	50 00	50 00			
3. For insurance fund-----	25,000 00	25,000 00			
Totals-----	\$26,850 00	\$26,850 00			

Table H—Continued.

Department of Pennsylvania Nautical School.

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
<p>and ordinance to make an appropriation towards the maintenance of the Pennsylvania Nautical School.</p> <p>Section 1. The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain, That the sum of \$30,000 be, and the same is hereby appropriated towards the maintenance of the Pennsylvania Nautical School for the year 1911, and the City Controller is authorized to countersign warrants signed by the President and Secretary of the Board of Directors of the Nautical School appointed by the Governor of the Commonwealth and the Mayor of the City of Philadelphia, in accordance with the Act of Assembly approved April 19, 1889.</p> <p>Resolved, That all warrants drawn and presented to the City Controller shall have the proper vouchers attached thereto.</p> <p>Resolved further, That quarterly statements of the expenditures of the said Nautical School ship shall be rendered to the Controller of the City of Philadelphia.</p> <p>Resolved, also, That bills of Dec., 1910 be paid out of this appropriation, ord. app'd by the Mayor Dec 31, 1910.</p>					
for maintenance -----	\$30,000 00	\$30,000 00			
Total -----	\$30,000 00	\$30,000 00			

Table H—Continued.
Department of Public Education.

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount countersigned.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loan not merged.
An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Board of Public Education of the First School District of Pennsylvania, for the year 1911, being 5 mills on each dollar of the total assessment of real property of this school district, app'd Dec. 29, 1910 -----	\$7,285,542 67				
Brought from the books of 1910:					
Annual appropriation..	492,818 71				
Loan, April 15, 1908.....	\$202,699 30				
Loan, July 14, 1910.....	500,000 00				
	<u>702,699 30</u>				
	<u>\$8,481,060 68</u>				
Item.					
1. For salaries of principals, assistants to principals, teachers, engineers and janitors -----	\$4,662,450 00				
Provided, That the City Controller shall countersign no warrant increasing the salary of any principal, assistant to principal or engineer.					
Provided, also, That for the payment of the salaries of all teachers, engineers and janitors in a building, one warrant shall be drawn in the name of a principal, who shall be designated by the Board of Public Education and payment to the teachers, engineers and janitors shall thereupon be made by such principal, excepting that for salaries due for the months of July and August payments may be made by individual warrant.					
Provided, further, That should the pay roll for any one month exceed one-tenth of the appropriation, the City Controller be, and he is hereby author-					

Table H—Continued.

Department of Public Education.

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
1—Continued.					
ized to approve warrants for said pay roll.					
Bought from books of 1910 -----	\$5,292 98				
	\$4,667,742 98				
ransferred to, ord. app'd Aug. 11, 1911	60,000 00				
ransferred to, resolution of Board of Education, Dec. 12, 1911 -----	7,000 00				
	\$4,734,742 98	4,734,183 66	-----	\$559 32	
or salaries, Department of Superintendence:					
up't of schools-----	\$7,500 00				
our associate superintendents, \$3,600 each -----	14,400 00				
n district superintendents, \$3,000 each -----	30,000 00				
rector of drawing-----	3,600 00				
ght assistant directors of drawing, \$1,000 each -----	8,000 00				
rector of music-----	3,600 00				
ghteen assistant directors of music, \$1,000 each -----	18,000 00				
rector of household economy -----	3,000 00				
ssistant director of household economy-----	1,000 00				
rector of kindergarten -----	2,200 00				
ssistant director of kindergarten -----	1,000 00				
rector of physical education -----	3,600 00				
n assistant directors of physical education, \$1,000 each-----	10,000 00				
chief of compulsory education -----	2,500 00				
ssistant chief of compulsory education -----	1,000 00				
brarian -----	1,000 00				
ght clerks, \$800 each -----	6,400 00				
teen clerks, \$600 ea -----	9,000 00				
chief nurse -----	900 00				
ght ass't nurses, \$750 each -----	6,000 00				
Bought from books of 1910 -----	515 60				
	\$133,215 60				
ransferred to, ord. app'd May 2, 1911, so that the salaries					

Table H—Continued.

Department of Public Education.

General Appropriation.	Amount appro- priated.	Amount counter- signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loan not mergin
Item 2—Continued.					
of the associate su- perintendents and the director of mu- sic shall be fixed at the rate of \$4,500 per annum each, from January 1, 1911, and so that the salary of one clerk, now receiving \$600 per annum, shall be at the rate of \$800 per annum from March 1, 1911.	\$5,166 67				
	\$138,382 27				
Transferred from, ord. app'd Aug. 11, 1911 -----	500 00				
		\$137,882 27	\$137,224 37		\$657 90
3. For salaries of 43 at- tendance officers, \$850 each -----	\$36,550 00				
Provided, That salar- ies shall be paid in ten monthly war- rants.					
Brought from books of 1910 -----	70 15				
		36,620 15	36,573 27		46 88
4. Department of Supplies.					
Superintendent of sup- plies -----	\$4,000 00				
Assistant superinten- dent of supplies-----	2,200 00				
General assistant-----	1,200 00				
Stenographer -----	1,000 00				
Stenographer -----	600 00				
Three clerks, \$1,000 each -----	3,000 00				
Storekeeper -----	1,500 00				
Assistant storekeeper--	1,200 00				
Delivery clerk -----	950 00				
Clerk -----	700 00				
Six packers and ship- pers, \$600 each-----	3,600 00				
Janitor, packer and shipper -----	800 00				
Brought from books of 1910 -----	311 81				
	\$21,061 81				
Transferred to, ord. app'd May 18, 1911, to permit of increas- ing the salaries of one janitor, packer and shipper from \$800 to \$900 per an- num; one delivery clerk from \$950 to					

Table H—Continued.

Department of Public Education.

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount countersigned.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
Continued.					
1,000 per annum; ne clerk from \$700 o \$800 per annum, nd six packers and nippers from \$600 o \$720 per annum ach, said increase o date from July 1, 1911 -----	\$485 00				
	\$21,546 81	\$21,234 96	-----	\$311 85	
Department of Superintendent of Buildings.					
Superintendent o f					
Buildings -----	\$5,000 00				
Assistant -----	3,000 00				
Assistant -----	2,000 00				
Chief draughtsman---	3,000 00				
Assistants, \$1,200					
each -----	7,200 00				
Assistants, \$1,500					
each -----	3,000 00				
Assistants, \$1,800					
each -----	3,600 00				
Chief Inspector -----	1,500 00				
Four inspectors, \$1,200					
each -----	4,800 00				
Superintendent of janitors' service-----	3,000 00				
Assistant superintendent of janitors' service -----	1,350 00				
Assistant superintendent of janitors' service -----	1,200 00				
Photographer -----	1,000 00				
Chief clerk -----	1,000 00				
Assistant clerk -----	700 00				
Enographer -----	780 00				
Bought from books of 1910 -----	2,081 51				
	44,221 51	41,902 47	-----	2,319 04	
Department of Secretary:					
Secretary -----	\$4,000 00				
Assistant secretary---	2,200 00				
Warrant clerk -----	2,000 00				
Assistant warrant clk					
Two clerks, \$1,200 ea.	2,400 00				
Three clerks, \$1,000					
each -----	3,000 00				
Chief clerk -----	800 00				
Enographer -----	800 00				
Enographer -----	600 00				
Messenger -----	1,000 00				
Bought from books of 1910 -----	33 41				
	\$18,183 41				
Provided, That the City Controller shall countersign no war-					

Table H—Continued.
Department of Public Education.

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter- signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loan not merged
Item 6—Continued.					
rants against Items 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6 in- creasing the salary of any employee.					
Transferred to, ord. app'd Aug. 8, 1911, so that the salary of the secretary shall be at the rate of \$4,500 per annum from Jan. 1, 1911....	\$500 00				
	\$18,683 41	\$18,649 91	-----	\$33 50	
7. For secretaries of sectional school boards, \$100 each -----	\$4,700 00				
Brought from books of 1910 -----	33 33				
	4,733 33	4,700 00	-----	33 33	
8. For ground rents-----	3,787 00	3,787 00			
9. For rentals of buildings and apartments for school purposes ----	\$36,961 00				
Brought from books of 1910 -----	472 70				
	-----	37,433 70			
10. For enrollment of all children for school purposes, in com- pliance with the Compulsory Education Law ----	\$7,000 00				
Brought from books of 1910 -----	302 61				
	7,302 61	7,113 31	-----	184 30	
11. For purchase of lots and erection of buildings -----	\$904,864 67				
Brought from Item 11½, books of 1910----	69,989 13				
	\$974,853 80				
Transferred from, ord. app'd May 2, 1911 -----	5,166 67				
	969,696 13	185,962 71	-----	783,722 42	
11a. For the purchase of sites and erection of buildings for ele- mentary schools -----					
Brought from Item 11, books of 1910 -----	326,786 69	313,465 16	-----	13,321 53	
11b. For the erection of public school buildings.					
Brought from books of 1910----	500,000 00	179,250 00	-----		\$320,75 0
Appropriated out of the \$5,000,000 loan, app'd July 14, 1910, ord. app'd Nov. 2, 1910, annual interest and sinking fund charges to be paid out of the money required to be ap- propriated each year to the Board of Education-----					

Table H—Continued.

Department of Public Education.

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter- signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
For alterations, additions and general repairs, including fire escapes, curbing, paving, grad- ing and drainage, heating and ventilating apparatus and repairs hereto ----- \$300,000 00 bought from books of 1910 ----- 10,113 14 \$310,113 14					
Transferred from, ord. app'd Aug. 11, 1911 ----- 60,000 00	\$250,113 14	\$249,820 53	-----	\$292 61	
For new furniture and equipment and re- pairs to old furni- ture and equipment. \$150,000 00 bought from books of 1910 ----- 22,009 99	172,009 99	171,804 60	-----	205 38	
For cleaning of wells and dry closets, purchase of wire screens, flagpoles and repairs to flagpoles ----- \$8,000 00 bought from books of 1910 ----- 1,013 76	9,013 76	3,876 69	-----	5,137 04	
For fuel and gas used for fuel ----- \$150,000 00 bought from books of 1910 ----- 7,923 16 \$157,923 16					
Transferred from, ord. app'd May 15, 1911 ----- 485 00	157,438 16	152,440 45	-----	4,997 71	
For new furniture and equip- ment and repairs to old furni- ture and equipment for William Penn High School for Girls. bought from books of 1910 -----	111 26	79 50	-----	31 76	
For electricity used for power and light- ing ----- \$4,000 00 bought from books of 1910 ----- 92 81	4,092 81	1,701 73	-----	2,391 08	
For completing equipment of Southern Manual Training School -----	189 40	-----	-----	189 40	
For removal of ashes \$25,000 00 bought from books of 1910 ----- 4 25	25,004 25	25,004 00	-----	25	

Table H—Continued.

Department of Public Education.

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter- signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loar not merging.
Item.					
18. For books and stationery, sewing and kindergarten supplies -----	\$275,000 00				
Brought from books of 1910 -----	3,341 51				
	\$278,341 51	\$278,131 01	-----	\$210 50	
19. For printing, postage, miscellaneous expenses for the Department of Superintendent of Schools, Superintendent of Buildings, Superintendent of Supplies, and the Secretary of the Board of Public Education -----	\$30,000 00				
Brought from books of 1910 -----	11,455 12				
	41,455 12	29,702 68	-----	11,752 44	
20. For car fare, keep of horses and automobiles for the Department of Superintendent of Buildings, and including cost of surety bonds for Superintendent of Buildings, Superintendent of Supplies and warrant clerks -----	\$4,500 00				
Brought from books of 1910 -----	637 65				
	5,137 65	3,925 99	-----	1,211 66	
Provided, That no salaries shall be paid out of Items 19 and 20.					
21. For laboratory and shop equipment, postage and miscellaneous expenses for Normal School, High Schools, Industrial Art Schools, Manual Training High Schools, Forten School, Trades School, Elementary Schools, Special Schools, Classes for Backward Children, Playgrounds and Gardens, Cooking Classes and Sectional School Boards -----	\$80,000 00				
Brought from Item 22, books of 1910---	794 14				
	80,794 14	69,300 79	-----	11,493 35	
Provided, That no salaries shall be paid out of this item.					
21a. For purchase of medical supplies and eye glasses-----					
Brought from Item 21, books of 1910 -----					
	3,611 62	323 49	-----	3,288 13	
22. For maintenance of evening schools, including salaries of teachers and janitors thereof -----	\$95,000 00				
Brought from Item 23, books of 1910---	16,728 29				
	\$111,728 29				

Table H—Continued.

Department of Public Education.

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
2—Continued.					
Transferred from, resolution of the Board of Education, Dec. 12, 1911----- \$7,000 00	\$104,728 29	\$99,447 03	-----	\$5,281 26	
4. To enable the Board of Public Education to obtain and award to the most meritorious pupils of the Central High School, the Philadelphia Normal School for Girls, the High School for Girls and the Manual Training High Schools, scholarships in universities or colleges. \$10,000 00 Brought from Item 24, books of 1910---- 840 00	10,840 00	9,610 00	-----	1,230 00	
Provided, That no scholarship shall cost more than \$100 per annum for any pupil.					
12. An Ordinance appropriating the sum of \$10,000,000, out of loan authorized by ordinance app'd April 15, 1908: To the Board of Public Education, Item 23, for new sites and buildings, \$2,500,000, ord. app'd June 20, 1908. Brought from books of 1910----	202,699 30	139,961 03	-----		\$62,738 27
1. To enable the Board of Public Education to award scholarships to the Pennsylvania Academy of Fine Arts----- Provided, That the Board of Managers of the Pennsylvania Academy of Fine Arts shall place at the disposal of the Board of Public Education, for the use of pupils of the public schools, such number of free scholarships as shall be satisfactory to the Board of Public Education. And provided further, That the rate charged for said scholarships shall not be greater than that charged other pupils.	5,000 00	5,000 00			
5. To enable the Board of Public Education to award scholarships to the Pennsylvania Museum and School of Industrial Art ----- \$2,500 00 Brought from Item 26, books of 1910: To the Pennsylvania Museum and School of Industrial Art--- 2,302 27	4,802 27	3,579 15	-----	1,223 12	

Table H—Continued.

Department of Public Education.

General Appropriation.	Amount appro- priated.	Amount counter- signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loan not mergit
Item 25—Continued.					
Provided, That the said school shall place at the disposal of the Board of Public Education, for the use of the pupils of the public schools, such number of free scholarships as shall be satisfactory to the Board of Public Education.					
And provided further, That all scholarships in any of the courses (day or evening) in said institution that shall be awarded by the Board of Public Education to pupils of any of the schools under its charge shall be charged for by that institution at a rate not greater than that paid by other pupils.					
26. For Teachers' Retirement Fund, to be created by the Board of Public Education and by them administered -----	\$50,000 00	\$50,000 00			
27. For insurance fund, to be paid in one warrant to the Sinking Fund Commissioners -----	20,000 00	20,000 00			
28. To pay the Bell Telephone Company for rentals of switchboards and telephones, including wages of operators ----- \$19,000 00 Brought from Item 29, books of 1910 ----- 5,741 42	24,741 42	17,429 79	-----	\$7,311 63	
29. For the payment of the annual interest and sinking fund charges upon the \$2,500,000 loan authorized by ord. app'd April 15, 1908, as per resolution of the Board of Public Education adopted Sept. 8, 1908 -----	156,250 00	156,250 00			
30. For the payment of the annual interest and sinking fund charges upon the \$5,000,000 loan authorized by ord. app'd Nov. 2, 1910, as per resolution of the Board of Public Education adopted Nov. 8, 1910 -----	31,250 00	31,250 00			
Totals -----	\$8,481,060 68	7,230,769 39	-----	\$866,803 02	\$333,488

Table H—Continued.

Board of Recreation.

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
Ordinance to carry into effect of Assembly approved June 9, 1911 creating a Department of Recreation and authorizing certain transfers in the annual appropriation to the Department of the Mayor for the year 1911 in connection therewith. Transferred to, ord. app'd July 19, 1911----- \$91,639 30					
Article 1. The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadel- phia do ordain, That, in accord- ance with the Act of Assembly ap- proved June 9, 1911, a Department of Recreation, under the charge of several directors, who shall be known as the Board of Recre- ation is hereby established. The Board of Recreation shall consist of the Mayor, the Director of the Department of Public Health and Charities and five resident citizens, who shall be appointed by the Mayor, ord. app'd July 19, 1911. Transferred from, ord. app'd Oct. 7, 1911----- \$59,900 00					
	\$31,789 30				
Transferred to, ord. app'd Oct. 7, 1911----- 50,150 00					
Transferred to, ord. app'd Oct. 7, 1911, out of an of \$5,739,700 of July 1, 1909----- 53,491 43					
Transferred to, ord. app'd Oct. 7, 1911, out of an of \$5,000,000 of July 14, 1910----- 21,807 97					
	\$157,238 70				
Transferred from, ord. app'd Dec. 29, 1911----- 3,200 00					
	\$154,038 70				
Transferred to, ord. app'd Dec. 29, 1911----- 3,200 00					
	\$157,238 70				
Item					
1. For salaries.					
Executive secretary--- \$1,800 00					
Stenographer ----- 720 00					
Messenger ----- 600 00					
Transferred to, ord. app'd July 19, 1911----- \$1,980 00					
Transferred from, ord. app'd Oct. 7, 1911 ----- 500 00					
	\$1,480 00	\$1,476 13	\$3 87		

Table H—Continued.

Board of Recreation—Continued.

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
Item.					
2. For stationery, printing, postage, telephone, car fares, cleaning office, ice, towels, drawing materials, printing annual report and incidentals.					
Transferred to, ord. app'd July 19, 1911.	\$2,138 64				
Transferred from, ord. app'd Oct. 7, 1911 -----	1,000 00				
		\$1,138 64	\$1,136 43	\$2 21	
3. For playgrounds employees' salaries.					
Four principals, \$1,200 each -----	\$4,800 00				
Fourteen assistants, \$960 each -----	13,440 00				
Thirty assistants, \$780 each -----	23,400 00				
Seven janitors, \$720 each -----	5,040 00				
Two assistant janitors, \$600 each -----	1,200 00				
Wages for temporary employees -----	5,000 00				
Transferred to, ord. app'd July 19, 1911.	\$49,692 25				
Transferred from, ord. app'd Oct. 7, 1911 -----	40,000 00				
	\$9,692 25				
Transferred from, ord. app'd Dec. 29, 1911 -----	600 00				
		9,092 25	7,802 57	1,289 68	
4. For electric lighting.					
Transferred to, ord. app'd July 19, 1911.	\$5,490 00				
Transferred from, ord. app'd Oct. 7, 1911 -----	4,000 00				
	\$1,490 00				
Transferred from, ord. app'd Dec. 29, 1911 -----	400 00				
		1,090 00	355 59	734 41	
5. Fuel for heating.					
Transferred to, ord. app'd July 19, 1911.	\$996 50				
Transferred from, ord. app'd Oct. 7, 1911 -----	400 00				
		596 50	323 40	273 10	
6. For playgrounds and recreation center, equipment and supplies, tables, benches, chairs, erect-					

Table H—Continued.

Board of Recreation—Continued.

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
Continued.					
For drinking fountains and repairs to buildings and apparatus.					
Transferred to, ord. app'd July 19, 1911.	\$6,446 91				
Transferred from, ord. app'd Oct. 7, 1911	1,500 00				
	\$4,946 91				
Transferred to, ord. app'd Dec. 29, 1911.	3,200 00	\$3,146 91	\$3,386 31	\$4,760 57	
For shelters and public comfort buildings.					
Transferred to, ord. app'd July 19, 1911.	\$2,500 00				
Transferred from, ord. app'd Oct. 7, 1911	2,000 00				
	\$500 00				
Transferred from, ord. app'd Dec. 29, 1911	300 00	200 00		200 00	
For draining, grading and resurfacing.					
Transferred to, ord. app'd July 19, 1911.	\$5,000 00				
Transferred from, ord. app'd Oct. 7, 1911	3,000 00				
	\$2,000 00				
Transferred from, ord. app'd Dec. 29, 1911	800 00	1,200 00	1,133 00	\$67 00	
For fencing and enclosure.					
Transferred to, ord. app'd July 19, 1911.	\$2,500 00				
Transferred from, ord. app'd Oct. 7, 1911	1,500 00				
	\$1,000 00				
Transferred from, ord. app'd Dec. 29, 1911	600 00	400 00		400 00	
For planting trees, bushes, flowers, shrubs and grass.					
Transferred to, ord. app'd July 19, 1911		1,500 00		1,500 00	
For play apparatus.					
Transferred to, ord. app'd July 19, 1911.	\$7,445 00				

Table H—Continued.

Board of Recreation—Continued.

General Appropriation.	Amount appropriated.	Amount counter-signed.	Balance inclosing.	Balance not inclosing.	Loan not inclosing.
Item 11—Continued.					
Transferred from, ord. app'd Oct. 7, 1911 ----- \$1,000 00	\$6,445 00	\$2,189 00	-----	\$4,256 00	
12. For heating apparatus. Transferred to, ord. app'd July 19, 1911. \$1,000 00 Transferred from, ord. app'd Dec. 29, 1911 ----- 500 00	500 00	-----	500 00		
13. For construction of wading pools. Transferred to, ord. app'd July 19, 1911. \$5,000 00 Transferred from, ord. app'd Oct. 7, 1911 ----- 5,000 00					
14. For the erection of recreation buildings, shelter buildings, construction of swimming pools, wading pools, re- surfacing and drainage of grounds, erecting drinking fountains, fencing, installa- tion of gymnasium appa- ratus and such other appliances and appurtenances necessary for the development and im- provement of grounds, recrea- tion centers and playgrounds. Transferred to, ord. app'd Oct. 7, 1911 -----	50,150 00	10,927 26	-----	39,222 74	
15a. For the use of the Board in the completion of the improve- ment of Starr Garden and to- wards the development and maintenance of other play- grounds, recreation centers, municipal floating baths and bathing grounds and such other appurtenances germane to their use. Brought forward from books of 1910, out of loan of \$5,739,700 of July 1, 1909, ord. app'd July 27, 1910. Transferred to, ord. app'd Oct. 7, 1911 -----	53,491 43	13,543 61	-----		\$39,947
16b. For the necessary stationery, clerical force, supervision and salaries of teachers properly to conduct and maintain such playgrounds, recreation cen- ters, floating baths and bath- ing grounds as shall from time to time be established					

Table H—Continued.

Board of Recreation—Continued.

General Appropriation.	Amount appro- priated.	Amount counter- signed.	Balance merging.	Balance not merging.	Loans not merging.
e. b Brought forward from books of 1910, out of loan of \$5,000,000, July 14, 1910, ord. app'd July 27, 1910. transferred to, ord. app'd Oct. 7, 1911 -----	\$17,759 10				\$17,759 10
b For furnishings, fixtures, supplies, incidentals, expenses and expenses of representation at conferences and conventions for the study and promotion of playgrounds work for the Board of Recreation. rought forward from books of 1910, out of loan of \$5,000,000 of July 14, 1910, ord. app'd July 27, 1910. ransferred to, ord. app'd Oct. 7, 1911 -----	4,048 87	103 05			3,945 82
Totals-----	\$157,233 70	\$42,376 38	\$2,870 27	\$50,339 31	\$61,652 74

Table I.

Statement showing Total Receipts, Cost of Departments, Annual Payments to Sinking Fund, Funded Debt, Outstanding Warrants, Amount of Funded Debt Paid for Years 1855-1910, and Assessed Value of Property subject to Taxation, with Tax Rate for Years 1856-1912.

Years.	Total Receipts.	Total Payments.	Cost of all Departments of the City.	Annual Payments to Sinking Fund.	Funded Debt*	Outstanding Warrants.*	Net Funded Debt and Outstanding Warrants.	Amount of Funded Debt Paid.	Assessed Value of Property Subject to Taxation. Estimated.	Tax Rate.
1855.....	\$3,034,630 16	\$4,880,617 42	\$3,245,186 90	\$81,065 13	.....	.....	.....	\$412,176 40	.....	\$1 50
1856.....	5,769,153 62	5,170,680 00	1,978,406 49	218,365 18	\$16,781,470 87	\$1,541,353 03	\$18,322,823 90	156,493 44	\$153,369,048	2 20
1857.....	4,071,710 58	4,315,160 95	3,713,624 18	143,573 50	19,471,177 43	804,134 65	20,275,312 08	133,992 83	147,689,040	2 30
1858.....	4,114,139 95	4,312,072 46	2,381,738 29	150,074 00	20,008,784 60	660,960 04	20,669,744 64	200,550 85	150,411,061	2 10
1859.....	5,008,658 76	4,576,147 00	2,452,770 91	154,427 00	21,010,486 56	236,887 17	21,247,373 73	115,171 21	155,697,669	2 00
1860.....	5,127,496 27	5,508,704 33	2,682,543 13	173,737 00	20,913,505 09	443,454 77	21,356,759 86	882,683 81	155,697,669	2 00
1861.....	4,738,309 84	4,517,084 63	2,507,826 46	176,405 00	20,982,400 20	930,323 15	21,921,732 35	318,903 76	153,039,193	2 25
1862.....	6,510,424 58	6,103,405 50	2,831,130 39	202,197 50	21,516,851 93	1,009,444 52	22,616,296 45	164,142 39	154,892,954	2 30
1863.....	4,893,362 11	5,337,896 93	3,482,243 32	213,520 00	24,029,755 14	720,301 02	24,750,056 16	537,143 00	154,835,406	2 30
1864.....	10,363,088 79	10,245,063 42	3,917,321 34	256,470 00	24,392,376 62	1,421,242 87	25,713,619 49	677,886 18	156,435,332	2 39
1865.....	10,505,391 90	10,393,256 04	4,150,296 84	329,340 00	28,910,484 52	3,853,414 38	32,763,898 90	896,282 73	159,119,928	2 80
1866.....	8,816,617 87	8,392,379 02	4,101,709 11	379,450 00	33,897,793 96	2,889,333 04	32,726,129 00	1,204,238 42	162,831,829	4 00
1867.....	9,685,212 59	9,630,847 23	4,442,361 72	393,244 00	35,105,621 35	2,153,566 52	37,349,187 87	1,022,162 75	164,088,451	4 00
1868.....	8,137,506 99	7,757,753 28	4,421,834 63	403,841 06	36,677,529 77	1,442,088 85	38,119,618 62	666,394 11	453,517,486	1 40
1869.....	14,102,683 44	14,013,124 11	5,322,054 46	502,964 20	36,737,735 66	3,450,605 30	40,188,340 96	378,801 72	462,038,627	1 80
1870.....	12,633,221 68	11,492,908 81	5,630,611 88	519,197 62	42,401,933 94	2,692,313 40	45,093,247 34	236,104 91	479,776,643	1 80
1871.....	11,570,870 00	10,030,000 00	6,400,140 00	519,000 00	44,601,000 00	1,600,000 00	46,201,000 00	100,000 00	500,000,000	1 00

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Years.	Total Receipts.	Total Payments.	Cost of all Departments of the City.	Annual Payments to Sinking Fund.	Funded Debt*	Outstanding Warrants.*	Net Funded Debt and Outstanding Warrants.	Amount of Funded Debt Paid.	Assessed Value of Property Subject to Taxation, Estimated	Tax Rate.
1872.....	\$16,656,676 70	\$17,510,358 00	\$5,694,414 53	\$632,372 50	\$47,075,330 45	\$4,476,805 05	\$51,552,136 53	\$245,188 78	\$511,024,682	\$2 08
1873.....	19,447,718 46	17,812,109 93	8,402,752 51	660,115 00	51,697,141 07	2,510,948 52	54,208,090 49	579,774 70	527,165,268	2 15
1874.....	15,535,918 15	16,148,009 59	9,070,844 72	681,987 00	58,165,516 97	2,465,354 12	60,630,871 09	\$34,384 57	548,243,535	2 20
1875.....	14,210,107 69	13,446,451 73	10,105,919 89	785,899 50	60,371,532 40	4,018,931 25	64,390,463 65	497,390 70	575,283,968	2 15
1876.....	14,421,320 83	14,165,240 05	9,896,619 64	805,345 00	61,025,091 70	8,691,432 47	69,716,524 17	310,720 00	565,413,378	2 15
1877.....	14,754,353 56	15,755,188 40	8,184,961 20	809,245 00	61,169,271 70	12,404,875 22	73,574,146 92	247,730 00	603,063,532	2 25
1878.....	14,555,620 38	14,977,550 51	7,161,704 18	810,745 00	61,721,541 70	11,893,810 09	73,615,351 79	628,900 00	586,988,097	2 15
1879.....	23,664,575 29	23,360,882 45	7,160,634 85	807,105 00	61,092,641 70	10,742,459 65	71,835,101 35	122,600 00	534,600,864	2 05
1880.....	15,125,307 06	14,640,479 54	6,370,578 34	806,605 00	70,970,041 70	1,294,554 06	72,264,595 76	1,538,976 95	536,667,834	2 00
1881.....	13,894,480 60	13,738,070 50	6,883,326 92	806,605 00	69,431,064 75	601,365 72	70,032,430 47	1,291,148 51	543,669,129	1 95
1882.....	13,425,404 97	13,255,684 23	7,100,561 18	806,605 00	68,130,916 24	489,487 48	68,629,403 72	671,600 00	553,775,229	1 90
1883.....	13,632,842 38	13,938,990 94	8,193,450 35	801,655 00	67,468,316 24	454,576 17	67,922,892 41	1,102,725 00	571,483,255	1 85
1884.....	13,680,804 36	14,938,759 40	8,614,389 55	796,655 00	66,365,591 24	689,355 56	67,054,946 80	2,598,150 00	583,612,683	1 85
1885.....	14,129,756 16	14,298,413 85	8,641,250 57	660,986 00	63,707,441 24	363,920 83	64,131,362 07	1,690,321 02	597,785,428	1 85
1886.....	15,955,009 62	14,639,759 90	9,434,507 88	646,248 00	62,068,120 22	521,558 55	62,589,678 77	2,698,500 00	611,309,615	1 85
1887.....	17,584,255 71	17,638,304 05	13,275,893 10	630,100 00	59,369,620 22	470,425 63	59,840,045 85	1,402,225 00	628,679,312	1 85
1888.....	19,672,190 54	19,711,270 66	15,340,718 50	629,600 00	57,967,305 22	810,818 05	58,778,213 27	821,300 00	647,213,039	1 85
1889.....	20,529,146 71	20,667,651 05	16,055,709 21	611,090 00	57,146,095 22	796,839 68	57,942,934 90	1,159,175 00	669,507,564	1 85
1890.....	23,543,408 55	22,531,351 05	17,787,069 39	602,590 00	55,936,920 22	790,449 83	56,777,370 06	1,707,600 00	688,713,518	1 85
1891.....	23,400,495 79	23,232,671 12	18,511,941 73	560,440 00	56,579,320 22	786,237 96	57,365,558 18	4,405,700 00	713,902,842	1 85
1892.....	24,856,839 19	23,061,526 76	18,424,260 16	551,440 00	54,473,620 22	866,994 38	55,340,614 60	1,485,700 00	735,396,772	1 85

Table I—Continued.

Years.	Total Receipts.	Total Payments.	Cost of all Departments of the City.	Annual Payments to Sinking Fund.	Funded Debt*	Outstanding Warrants.*	Net Funded Debt and Outstanding Warrants.	Amount of Funded Debt Paid.	Assessed Value of Property Subject to Taxation, Estimated.	Tax Rate.
1893.....	\$30,190,515 59	\$27,977,232 49	\$23,155,664 13	\$551,440 00	\$53,988,045 22	\$1,062,114 90	\$55,050,160 12	\$4,733,300 00	\$752,763,382	\$1 85
1894.....	30,689,391 36	32,390,333 57	24,915,626 08	500,440 00	52,783,845 22	1,516,599 15	54,275,444 15	6,512,400 00	769,930,542	1 85
1895.....	29,538,771 88	31,320,549 69	23,491,865 21	419,260 00	53,139,695 22	1,498,083 78	54,637,779 00	4,015,000 00	782,677,694	1 85
1896.....	29,425,459 29	29,228,617 82	22,500,062 60	379,660 00	53,807,720 22	1,417,351 18	55,225,071 40	556,925 00	801,023,552	1 85
1897.....	32,683,235 98	29,616,999 07	23,768,615 75	356,360 00	54,447,770 22	1,031,899 71	55,479,579 93	2,204,600 00	818,827,549	1 85
1898.....	26,324,200 09	27,075,013 76	20,829,706 60	692,048 25	57,939,220 22	1,035,133 53	59,174,353 75	7,843,400 00	842,330,700	1 85
1899.....	31,918,522 19	27,732,208 28	22,313,399 17	765,192 28	58,103,295 22	1,216,787 55	59,320,082 77	1,402,800 00	846,510,035	1 85
1900.....	32,972,187 51	30,623,246 25	24,027,340 75	1,022,114 03	59,881,945 22	1,302,336 42	61,184,281 64	6,339,750 00	880,935,265	1 85
1901.....	36,922,332 56	30,113,147 05	24,522,803 98	1,208,756 47	61,051,545 22	1,583,738 29	62,635,283 51	4,017,000 00	894,628,974	1 85
1902.....	33,520,729 01	34,603,948 93	27,754,557 14	1,727,787 09	62,779,395 22	1,441,635 87	64,221,031 09	6,993,650 00	901,009,664	1 85
1903.....	28,366,889 72	36,639,614 73	28,481,738 53	2,027,900 81	64,797,545 22	1,238,375 31	66,035,916 32	3,071,300 00	911,968,674	1 85
1904.....	45,992,209 61	35,270,634 49	28,646,698 68	2,047,384 51	66,844,670 22	1,987,906 26	68,832,576 48	2,501,125 00	1,162,074,023	1 50
1905.....	30,238,203 73	31,544,770 19	25,524,061 35	3,485,117 25	68,329,787 22	1,963,856 93	70,293,644 15	1,860,250 00	1,185,899,831	1 50
1906.....	32,425,678 55	33,505,503 96	26,918,170 02	3,614,466 49	71,944,220 22	1,943,528 33	73,887,748 55	1,367,600 00	1,215,776,334	1 50
1907.....	38,067,823 93	42,665,851 69	30,298,571 48	3,796,311 82	75,740,542 22	1,884,100 23	77,624,642 45	1,402,800 00	1,250,688,286	1 50
1908.....	55,321,047 96	50,048,238 87	34,117,011 26	4,306,839 80	80,047,382 22	2,172,198 59	82,220,580 81	2,026,500 00	1,287,287,123	1 50
1909.....	44,372,027 62	48,082,630 28	35,326,349 91	5,516,713 86	85,564,096 22	2,465,938 36	88,029,034 58	2,023,800 00	1,317,292,053	1 50
1910.....	41,909,029 08	47,750,049 00	35,691,725 38	5,482,695 41	91,046,791 22	2,576,335 56	93,623,126 78	2,078,320 22	1,358,675,057	1 50
1911.....	53,116,646 03	46,234,389 76	38,846,875 91	5,852,094 25	96,898,886 22	1,811,916 06	98,710,802 28	2,024,100 00	1,458,851,880	1 50
1912.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	95,828,600 00	3,363,510 70	99,192,110 70	.....	.....	.....

* The Net Funded Debt and Outstanding Warrants.
† Annual Payments to Sinking Fund, including interest on funded debt.

Table J.
City Debt Account.

Loans.	Three per cent.	Three and a half per cent.	Four per cent.	Total.
1912.				
\$4,600,000 loan, April 1, 1890, Series M, due Nov. 1, 1912.....	\$230,000 00			
\$1,000,000 loan, Sept. 16, 1892, Series K, due Dec. 31, 1912.....	50,000 00			
\$3,500,000 loan, Feb. 6, 1893, Series J, due Dec. 31, 1912.....	175,000 00			
				\$455,000 00
\$6,000,000 loan, March 15, 1894, Series I, due Dec. 31, 1912.....		\$300,000 00		
\$1,100,000 loan, April 3, 1894, Series I, due Dec. 31, 1912.....		55,000 00		
\$3,000,000 loan, April 3, 1894, Series I, due Dec. 31, 1912.....		150,000 00		
\$2,720,000 refund'g loan, Nov. 8, 1894, Series I, due Dec. 31, 1912.....		136,000 00		
				641,000 00
\$1,200,000 loan, June 18, 1895, Series H, due Dec. 31, 1912.....	\$60,000 00			
\$1,200,000 loan, Sept. 16, 1895, Series H, due Dec. 31, 1912.....	60,000 00			
				120,000 00
\$1,000,000 refund'g loan, Dec. 10, 1895, Series H, due Dec. 31, 1912.....		\$50,000 00		
\$2,000,000 loan, Jan. 13, 1896, Series H, due Dec. 31, 1912.....		100,000 00		
\$650,000 refunding loan, June 17, 1897, Series F, due Dec. 31, 1912.....		32,500 00		
				182 500 00
\$1,306,000 refund'g loan, June 18, 1898, Series E, due Dec. 31, 1912.....	\$65,300 00			
\$11,200,000 loan, June 17, 1898, Series E, due Dec. 31, 1912.....	560,000 00			
				625,300 00
1913.				\$2,023,80 00
\$4,600,000 loan, April 1, 1890, Series N, due Nov. 1, 1913.....	\$230,000 00			
\$1,000,000 loan, Sept. 16, 1892, Series L, due Dec. 31, 1913.....	50,000 00			
\$3,500,000 loan, Feb. 6, 1893, Series K, due Dec. 31, 1913.....	175,000 00			
				\$455,000 00
\$6,000,000 loan, March 15, 1894, Series J, due Dec. 31, 1913.....		\$300,000 00		

Table J—Continued.

City Debt Account.

Loans.	Three per cent.	Three and a half per cent.	Four per cent.	Total.
1913—Continued.				
\$1,100,000 loan, April 3, 1894, Series J, due Dec. 31, 1913.....		\$55,000 00		
\$3,000,000 loan, April 3, 1894, Series J, due Dec. 31, 1913.....		150,000 00		
\$2,720,000 refund'g loan, Nov. 8, 1894, Series J, due Dec. 31, 1913.....		136,000 00		
				\$641,000 00
\$1,200,000 loan, June 18, 1895, Series I, due Dec. 31, 1913.....	\$60,000 00			
\$1,200,000 loan, Sept. 16, 1895, Series I, due Dec. 31, 1913.....	60,000 00			
				120,000 00
\$1,000,000 refund'g loan, Dec. 10, 1895, Series I, due Dec. 31, 1913.....		\$50,000 00		
\$2,000,000 loan, Jan. 13, 1896, Series I, due Dec. 31, 1913.....		100,000 00		
\$650,000 refund'g loan, June 17, 1897, Series G, due Dec. 31, 1913.....		32,500 00		
				182,500 00
\$1,306,000 refund'g loan, June 18, 1898, Series F, due Dec. 31, 1913.....	\$65,300 00			
\$11,200,000 loan, June 17, 1898, Series F, due Dec. 31, 1913.....	560,000 00			
				625,300 00
1914.				
\$4,600,000 loan, April 1, 1890, Series O, due Nov. 1, 1914.....	\$230,000 00			
\$1,000,000 loan, Sept. 16, 1892, Series M, due Dec. 31, 1914.....	50,000 00			
\$3,500,000 loan, Feb. 6, 1893, Series L, due Dec. 31, 1914.....	175,000 00			
				\$455,000 00
\$6,000,000 loan, March 15, 1894, Series K, due Dec. 31, 1914.....		\$300,000 00		
\$1,100,000 loan, April 3, 1894, Series K, due Dec. 31, 1914.....		55,000 00		
\$3,000,000 loan, April 3, 1894, Series K, due Dec. 31, 1914.....		150,000 00		
\$2,720,000 refund'g loan, Nov. 8, 1894, Series K, due Dec. 31, 1914.....		136,000 00		
				641,000 00
\$1,200,000 loan, June 18, 1895, Series J, due Dec. 31, 1914.....	\$60,000 00			

\$2,023,806 00

Table J—Continued.

City Debt Account.

Loans.	Three per cent.	Three and a half per cent.	Four per cent.	Total.
1914—Continued.				
\$1,200,000 loan, Sept. 16, 1895, Series J, due Dec. 31, 1914.....	\$60,000 00			\$120,000 00
\$1,000,000 refund'g loan, Dec. 10, 1895, Series J, due Dec. 31, 1914.....		\$50,000 00		
\$2,000,000 loan, Jan. 13, 1896, Series J, due Dec. 31, 1914.....		100,000 00		
\$650,000 refund'g loan, June 17, 1897, Series H, due Dec. 31, 1914.....		32,500 00		182,500 00
\$1,306,000 refund'g loan, June 18, 1898, Series G, due Dec. 31, 1914.....	\$65,300 00			
\$11,200,000 loan, June 17, 1898, Series G, due Dec. 31, 1914.....	560,000 00			625,300 00
1915.				\$2,023,800 00
\$4,600,000 loan, April 1, 1890, Series P, due Nov. 1, 1915.....	\$230,000 00			
\$1,000,000 loan, Sept. 16, 1892, Series N, due Dec. 31, 1915.....	50,000 00			
\$3,500,000 loan, Feb. 6, 1893, Series M, due Dec. 31, 1915.....	175,000 00			\$455,000 00
\$6,000,000 loan, March 15, 1894, Series L, due Dec. 31, 1915.....		\$300,000 00		
\$1,100,000 loan, April 3, 1894, Series L, due Dec. 31, 1915.....		55,000 00		
\$3,000,000 loan, April 3, 1894, Series L, due Dec. 31, 1915.....		150,000 00		
\$2,720,000 refund'g loan, Nov. 8, 1894, Series L, due Dec. 31, 1915.....		136,000 00		641 000 00
\$1,200,000 loan, June 18, 1895, Series K, due Dec. 31, 1915.....	\$60,000 00			
\$1,200,000 loan, Sept. 16, 1895, Series K, due Dec. 31, 1915.....	60,000 00			120,000 00
\$1,000,000 refund'g loan, Dec. 10, 1895, Series K, due Dec. 31, 1915.....		\$50,000 00		
\$2,000,000 loan, Jan. 13, 1896, Series K, due Dec. 31, 1915.....		100,000 00		
\$650,000 refund'g loan, June 17, 1897, Series I, due Dec. 31, 1915.....		32,500 00		182,500 00

Table J—Continued.

City Debt Account.

Loans.	Three per cent.	Three and a half per cent.	Four per cent.		Total.
1915—Continued.					
\$1,306,000 refund'g loan, June 18, 1898, Series H, due Dec. 31, 1915....	\$65,300 00				
\$11,200,000 loan, June 17, 1898, Series H, due Dec. 31, 1915.....	560,000 00			\$625,300 00	\$2,023,800 00
1916.					
\$4,600,000 loan, April 1, 1890, Series Q, due Nov. 1, 1916.....	\$230,000 00				
\$1,000,000 loan, Sept. 16, 1892, Series O, due Dec. 31, 1916	50,000 00				
\$3,500,000 loan, Feb. 6, 1893, Series N, due Dec. 31, 1916.....	175,000 00			\$455,000 00	
\$6,000,000 loan, March 15, 1894, Series M, due Dec. 31, 1916.....		\$300,000 00			
\$1,100,000 loan, April 3, 1894, Series M, due Dec. 31, 1916.....		55,000 00			
\$3,000,000 loan, April 3, 1894, Series M, due Dec. 31, 1916.....		150,000 00			
\$2,720,000 refund'g loan, Nov. 8, 1894, Series M, due Dec. 31, 1916.....		136,000 00		641,000 00	
\$1,200,000 loan, June 18, 1895, Series L, due Dec. 31, 1916.....	\$60,000 00				
\$1,200,000 loan, Sept. 16, 1895, Series L, due Dec. 31, 1916.....	60,000 00			120,000 00	
\$1,000,000 refund'g loan, Dec. 10, 1895, Series L, due Dec. 31, 1916.....		\$50,000 00			
\$2,000,000 loan, Jan. 13, 1896, Series L, due Dec. 31, 1916		100,000 00			
\$650,000 refund'g loan, June 17, 1897, Series J, due Dec. 31, 1916.....		32,500 00		182,500 00	
\$1,306,000 refund'g loan, June 18, 1898, Series I, due Dec. 31, 1916.....	\$65,300 00				
\$11,200,000 loan, June 17, 1898, Series I, due Dec. 31, 1916.....	560,000 00			625,300 00	2,023,800 00

Table J—Continued.

City Debt Account.

Loans.	Three per cent.	Three and a half per cent.	Four per cent.	Total.
1917.				
1,600,000 loan, April 1, 1890, Series R, due Nov. 1, 1917.....	\$230,000 00			
1,000,000 loan, Sept. 16, 1892, Series P, due Dec. 31, 1917.....	50,000 00			
3,500,000 loan, Feb. 6, 1893, Series O, due Dec. 31, 1917.....	175,000 00			
3,000,000 loan, March 15, 1894, Series N, due Dec. 31, 1917.....		\$300,000 00		
1,100,000 loan, April 3, 1894, Series N, due Dec. 31, 1917.....		55,000 00		
3,000,000 loan, April 3, 1894, Series N, due Dec. 31, 1917.....		150,000 00		
2,720,000 refund'g loan, Nov. 8, 1894, Series N, due Dec. 31, 1917.....		136,000 00		
1,200,000 loan, June 18, 1895, Series M, due Dec. 31, 1917.....	\$60,000 00			
1,200,000 loan, Sept. 16, 1895, Series M, due Dec. 31, 1917.....	60,000 00			
1,000,000 refund'g loan, Dec. 10, 1895, Series M, due Dec. 31, 1917...		\$50,000 00		
2,000,000 loan, Jan. 13, 1896, Series M, due Dec. 31, 1917.....		100,000 00		
350,000 refund'g loan, June 17, 1897, Series K, due Dec. 31, 1917...		32,500 00		
1,306,000 refund'g loan, June 18, 1898, Series J, due Dec. 31, 1917.....	\$65,300 00			
1,200,000 loan, June 17, 1898, Series J, due Dec. 31, 1917.....	560,000 00			
				\$2,023,800 00
1918.				
1,600,000 refund'g loan, April 1, 1890, Series S, due Nov. 1, 1918.....	\$230,000 00			
1,000,000 loan, Sept. 16, 1892, Series Q, due Dec. 31, 1918.....	50,000 00			
3,500,000 loan, Feb. 6, 1893, Series P, due Dec. 31, 1918.....			\$175,000 00	
				175,000 00

Table J—Continued.

City Debt Account.

Loans.	Three per cent.	Three and a half per cent.	Four per cent.	Total.
1918—Continued.				
\$6,000,000 loan, March 15, 1894, Series O, due Dec. 31, 1918.....		\$300,000 00		
\$1,100,000 loan, April 3, 1894, Series O, due Dec. 31, 1918.....		55,000 00		
\$3,000,000 loan, April 3, 1894, Series O, due Dec. 31, 1918.....		150,000 00		
\$2,720,000 refund'g loan, Nov. 8, 1894, Series O, due Dec. 31, 1918.....		136,000 00		\$341,000 00
\$1,200,000 loan, June 18, 1895, Series N, due Dec. 31, 1918.....	\$60,000 00			
\$1,200,000 loan, Sept. 16, 1895, Series N, due Dec. 31, 1918.....	60,000 00			120,000 00
\$1,000,000 R. loan, Dec. 10, 1895, Series N, due Dec. 31, 1918.....		\$50,000 00		
\$2,000,000 loan, Jan. 13, 1896, Series N, due Dec. 31, 1918.....		100,000 00		
\$650,000 R. loan, June 17, 1897, Series L, due Dec. 31, 1918.....		32,500 00		182,500 00
\$1,306,000 R. loan, June 18, 1898, Series K, due Dec. 31, 1918.....	\$65,300 00			
\$11,200,000 loan, June 17, 1898, Series K, due Dec. 31, 1918.....	560,000 00			625,300 00
1919.				\$2,023,800 00
\$4,600,000 loan, April 1, 1890, Series T, due Nov. 1, 1919.....	\$230,000 00			
\$1,000,000 loan, Sept. 16, 1892, Series R, due Dec. 31, 1919.....	50,000 00			\$280,000 00
\$3,500,000 loan, Feb. 3, 1893, Series Q, due Dec. 31, 1919.....			\$175,000 00	175,000 00
\$6,000,000 loan, March 15, 1894, Series P, due Dec. 31, 1919.....		\$300,000 00		
\$1,100,000 loan, April 3, 1894, Series P, due Dec. 31, 1919.....		55,000 00		
\$3,000,000 loan, April 3, 1894, Series P, due Dec. 31, 1919.....		150,000 00		
\$2,720,000 R. loan, Nov. 8, 1894, Series P, due Dec. 31, 1919.....		136,000 00		641,000 00

Table J—Continued.

City Debt Account.

Loans.	Three per cent.	Three and a half per cent.	Four per cent.	Total.
1919—Continued.				
1,200,000 loan, June 18, 1895, Series O, due Dec. 31, 1919	\$60,000 00			
1,200,000 loan, Sept. 16, 1895, Series O, due Dec. 31, 1919	60,000 00			
				\$120,000 00
1,000,000 R. loan, Dec. 10, 1895, Series O, due Dec. 31, 1919		\$50,000 00		
2,000,000 loan, Jan. 13, 1896, Series O, due Dec. 31, 1919		100,000 00		
650,000 R. loan, June 17, 1897, Series M, due Dec. 31, 1919		32,500 00		
				182,500 00
1,306,000 R. loan, June 18, 1898, Series L, due Dec. 31, 1919	\$65,300 00			
11,200,000 loan, June 17, 1898, Series L, due Dec. 31, 1919	560,000 00			
				625,300 00
				\$2,023,800 00
1920.				
1,000,000 loan, Sept. 16, 1892, Series S, due Dec. 31, 1920	\$50,000 00			
				\$50,000 00
3,500,000 loan, Feb. 6, 1893, Series R, due Dec. 31, 1920			\$175,000 00	
				175,000 00
6,000,000 loan, March 15, 1894, Series Q, due Dec. 31, 1920		\$300,000 00		
1,100,000 loan, April 3, 1894, Series Q, due Dec. 31, 1920		55,000 00		
3,000,000 loan, April 3, 1894, Series Q, due Dec. 31, 1920		150,000 00		
2,720,000 refund'g loan, Nov. 8, 1894, Series Q, due Dec. 31, 1920		136,000 00		
				641,000 00
1,200,000 loan, June 18, 1895, Series P, due Dec. 31, 1920	\$60,000 00			
1,200,000 loan, Sept. 16, 1895, Series P, due Dec. 31, 1920	60,000 00			
				120,000 00
1,000,000 refund'g loan, Dec. 10, 1895, Series P, due Dec. 31, 1920		\$50,000 00		
2,000,000 loan, Jan. 13, 1896, Series P, due Dec. 31, 1920		100,000 00		

Table J—Continued.

City Debt Account.

Loans.	Three per cent.	Three and a half per cent.	Four per cent.		Total.
1920—Continued.					
\$650,000 refund'g loan, June 17, 1897, Series N, due Dec. 31, 1920.....		\$32,500 00		\$182,500 00	
\$1,306,000 refund'g loan, June 18, 1898, Series M, due Dec. 31, 1920.....	\$65,300 00				
\$11,200,000 loan, June 17, 1898, Series M, due Dec. 31, 1920.	560,000 00			625,300 00	\$1,793,800 00
1921.					
\$1,000,000 loan, Sept. 16, 1892, Series T, due Dec. 31, 1921.	\$50,000 00			\$50,000 00	
\$3,500,000 loan, Feb. 6, 1893, Series S, due Dec. 31, 1921.			\$175,000 00	175,000 00	
\$6,000,000 loan, March 15, 1894, Series R, due Dec. 31, 1921.		\$300,000 00			
\$1,100,000 loan, April 3, 1894, Series R, due Dec. 31, 1921.		55,000 00			
\$3,000,000 loan, April 3, 1894, Series R, due Dec. 31, 1921.		150,000 00			
\$2,720,000 refund'g loan, Nov. 8, 1894, Series R, due Dec. 31, 1921.		136,000 00		641,000 00	
\$1,200,000 loan, June 18, 1895, Series Q, due Dec. 31, 1921.	\$60,000 00				
\$1,200,000 loan, Sept. 16, 1895, Series Q, due Dec. 31, 1921.	60,000 00			120,000 00	
\$1,000,000 refund'g loan, Dec. 10, 1895, Series Q, due Dec. 31, 1921 ...		\$50,000 00			
\$2,000,000 loan, Jan. 13, 1896, Series Q, due Dec. 31, 1921.		100,000 00			
\$650,000 refund'g loan, June 17, 1897, Series O, due Dec. 31, 1921.		32,500 00		182,500 00	
\$1,306,000 refund'g loan, June 18, 1898, Series N, due Dec. 31, 1921.	\$65,300 00				
\$11,200,000 loan, June 17, 1898, Series N, due Dec. 31, 1921.	560,000 00			625,300 00	1,793,800 00

Table J—Continued.

City Debt Account.

Loans.	Three per cent.	Three and a half per cent.	Four per cent.	Total.
1922.				
\$3,500,000 loan, Feb. 6, 1893, Series T, due Dec. 31, 1922.....			\$175,000 00	\$175,000 00
\$6,000,000 loan, Mar. 15, 1894, Series S, due Dec. 31, 1922.....		\$87,000 00		
\$1,100,000 loan, April 3, 1894, Series S, due Dec. 31, 1922.....		55,000 00		
\$3,000,000 loan, April 3, 1894, Series S, due Dec. 31, 1922.....		150,000 00		
\$2,720,000 refund'g loan, Nov. 8, 1894, Series S, due Dec. 31, 1922.....		136,000 00		428,000 00
\$1,200,000 loan, June 18, 1895, Series R, due Dec. 31, 1922.....	\$60,000 00			
\$1,200,000 loan, Sept. 16, 1895, Series R, due Dec. 31, 1922.....	60,000 00			120,000 00
\$1,000,000 refund'g loan, Dec. 10, 1895, Series R, due Dec. 31, 1922.....		\$50,000 00		
\$2,000,000 loan, Jan. 13, 1896, Series R, due Dec. 31, 1922.....		100,000 00		
\$650,000 refunding loan, June 17, 1897, Series P, due Dec. 31, 1922.....		32,500 00		182,500 00
\$1,306,000 refund'g loan, June 18, 1898, Series O, due Dec. 31, 1922.....	\$65,300 00			
\$11,200,000 loan, June 17, 1898, Series O, due Dec. 31, 1922.....	560,000 00			625,300 00
				\$1,580,800 00
1923.				
\$1,100,000 loan, April 3, 1894 Series T, due Dec. 31, 1923.....		\$55,000 00		
\$3,000,000 loan, April 3, 1894, Series T, due Dec. 31, 1923.....		150,000 00		
\$2,720,000 refund'g loan, Nov. 8, 1894, Series T, due Dec. 31, 1923.....		136,000 00		\$341,000 00
\$1,200,000 loan, June 18, 1895, Series S, due Dec. 31, 1923.....	\$60,000 00			
\$1,200,000 loan, Sept. 16, 1895, Series S, due Dec. 31, 1923.....	60,000 00			120,000 00

Table J—Continued.

City Debt Account.

Loans.	Three per cent.	Three and a half per cent.	Four per cent.		Total.
1923—Continued.					
\$1,000,000 refund'g loan, Dec. 10, 1895, Series S, due Dec. 31, 1923.....		\$50,000 00			
\$2,000,000 loan, Jan. 13, 1896, Series S, due Dec. 31, 1923		100,000 00			
\$650,000 refunding loan, June 17, 1897, Series Q, due Dec. 31, 1923.....		32,500 00		\$182,500 00	
\$1,306,000 refund'g loan, June 18, 1898, Series P, due Dec. 31, 1923.....	\$65,300 00			65,300 00	
\$11,200,000 loan, June 17, 1898, Series P, due Dec. 31, 1923.....		\$560,000 00		560,000 00	\$1,268,800 00
1924.					
\$1,200,000 loan, June 18, 1895, Series T, due Dec. 31, 1924	\$60,000 00				
\$1,200,000 loan, Sept. 16, 1895, Series T, due Dec. 31, 1924.....	60,000 00			\$120,000 00	
\$1,000,000 refund'g loan, Dec. 10, 1895, Series T, due Dec. 31, 1924.....	3½ per cent. \$1,000 00 3½ per cent. \$5,000 00				
		\$44,000 00			
\$2,000,000 loan, Jan. 13, 1896, Series T, due Dec. 31, 1924.....		\$100,000 00		\$50,000 00	
\$650,000 refunding loan, June 17, 1897, Series R, due Dec. 31, 1924.....		32,500 00		132,500 00	
1,306,000 refund'g loan, June 18, 1898, Series Q, due Dec. 31, 1924.....	\$65,300 00			65,300 00	
\$11,200,000 loan, June 17, 1898, Series Q, due Dec. 31, 1924.....		\$560,000 00		560,000 00	927,800 00
1925.					
\$650,000 refunding loan, June 17, 1897, Series S, due Dec. 31, 1925.....		\$32,500 00		\$32,500 00	
\$1,306,000 refund'g loan, June 18, 1898, Series R, due Dec. 31, 1925.....	\$65,300 00			65,300 00	

Table J—Continued.

City Debt Account.

Loans.	Three per cent.	Three and a half per cent.	Four per cent.		Total.
1925—Continued.					
\$11,200,000 loan, June 17, 1898, Series R, due Dec. 31, 1925.....			\$280,000 00	\$280,000 00	
		\$280,000 00		280,000 00	\$657,800 00
1926.					
\$650,000 refunding loan, June 17, 1897, Series T, due Dec. 31, 1926.....		\$32,500 00		\$32,500 00	
\$1,306,000 refund'g loan, June 18, 1898, Series S, due Dec. 31, 1926.....	\$65,300 00			65,300 00	
\$11,200,000 loan, June 17, 1898, Series S, due Dec. 31, 1926.....			\$560,000 00	560,000 00	657,800 00
1927.					
\$1,306,000 refund'g loan, June 18, 1898, Series T, due Dec. 31, 1927.....	\$65,300 00			\$65,300 00	
\$11,200,000 loan, June 17, 1898, Series T, due Dec. 31, 1927.....			\$560,000 00	560,000 00	625,300 00
1930.					
\$12,000,000 loan, March 15, 1900, due July 1, 1930.....	\$3,000,000 00			3,000,000 00	3,000,000 00
1931.					
\$12,000,000 loan, Mar. 15, 1900, due July 1, 1931.....		\$9,000,000 00		\$9,000,000 00	9,000,000 00
1932.					
\$5,000,000 loan, June 11, 1902, due July 1, 1932.....		\$5,000,000 00		\$5,000,000 00	5,000,000 00
1934.					
\$16,000,000 loan, May 18, 1904, due July 1, 1934.....		16,000,000 00		16,000,000 00	16,000,000 00

Table J—Continued.

City Debt Account.

Loans.	Three per cent.	Three and a half per cent.	Four per cent.		Total.
1937.					
\$4,000,000 loan, Oct. 1, 1906, due July 1, 1937.....			\$75,000 00	\$75,000 00	
\$13,500,000 loan, Feb. 9, 1907, due Jan. 1, 1937.....		\$125,000 00		125,000 00	
\$13,500,000 loan, Feb. 9, 1907, due July 1, 1937.....			\$6,000,000 00	6,000,000 00	\$6,200,000 00
1938.					
\$4,000,000 loan, Oct. 1, 1906, due Jan. 1, 1938.....			\$1,000,000 00		
\$13,500,000 loan, Feb. 9, 1907, due Jan. 1, 1938.....			4,875,000 00		
\$10,000,000 loan, April 15, 1908, due July 1, 1938.....			10,000,000 00		
\$3,500,000 loan, Oct. 17, 1908, due July 1, 1938.....			3,500,000 00	\$19,375,000 00	19,375,000 00
1939.					
\$13,500,000 loan, Feb. 9, 1907, due Jan. 1, 1939.....			\$1,500,000 00		
\$4,000,000 loan, Oct. 1, 1906, due July 1, 1939.....			1,500,000 00		
\$5,739,700 loan, July 1, 1909, due July 1, 1939.....			5,739,700 00	\$8,739,700 00	8,739,700 00
1940.					
\$5,000,000 loan, July 1, 1910, due July 1, 1940.....			\$5,000,000 00	\$5,000,000 00	5,000,000 00
1941.					
\$2,300,000 loan, April 21, 1910, due July 1, 1941.....			\$2, 00,000 00		
\$9,750,000 loan, June 19, 1911, due July 1, 1941.....			9,750,000 00	12,050,000 00	12,050,000 00
Totals.....	15,160,800 00	41,135,500 00	53,147,700 00	\$109,811,000 00	\$109,811,000 00

Table J—Continued.

City Debt Account.

<i>Overdue loans registered.</i>	<i>Three per cent.</i>	<i>Six per cent.</i>			
1884.					
Taxed Sunbury & Erie, due Jan. 1, 1884.....		\$100 00			
1886.					
Untaxed \$1,000,000, due Jan. 1, 1886.....		400 00			
1887.					
Untaxed \$800,000, due Jan. 1, 1887.....		200 00			
1892.					
Untaxed Bounty, No. 1, due July 1, 1892.....		300 00			
1894.					
Untaxed Defence, No. 3, due Jan. 1, 1894.....		2,500 00			
Untaxed Bounty, No. 2, due Jan. 1, 1894.....		200 00			
1895.					
Untaxed Bounty, No. 3, due Jan. 1, 1895.....		700 00			
1896.					
Untaxed Water, No. 2, due Jan. 1, 1896.....		400 00			
Untaxed School, No. 2, due Jan. 1, 1896.....		300 00			
1897.					
Untaxed Loan, No. 34, due July 1, 1897.....		800 00			
1898.					
Untaxed Culvert, No. 2, due July 1, 1898.....		900 00			
1899.					
Untaxed Park, No. 1, due Jan. 1, 1899.....		200 00			
Untaxed Gas, No. 5, due Jan. 1, 1899.....		100 00			
Untaxed Loan, No. 35, due Jan. 1, 1899.....		600 00			

Table J—Continued.

City Debt Account.

<i>Overdue loans registered.</i>	<i>Three per cent.</i>	<i>Six per cent.</i>			
1900.					
Untaxed Gas, No. 6, due July 1, 1900.....		\$100 00			
Untaxed Loan, No. 37, due July 1, 1900.....		700 00			
Untaxed Loan, No. 38, due July 1, 1900.....		400 00			
Untaxed Park, No. 2, due July 1, 1900.....		900 00			
1901.					
Untaxed Loan, No. 44, due Jan. 1, 1901.....		500 00			
Untaxed School, No. 3, due Jan. 1, 1901.....		100 00			
Untaxed Loan, No. 46, due July 1, 1901.....		1,200 00			
1902.					
Untaxed Loan, No. 50, due July 1, 1902.....		600 00			
1903.					
Untaxed Loan, No. 51, due Jan. 1, 1903.....		550 00			
Untaxed Park, No. 3, due Jan. 1, 1903.....		3,100 00			
Untaxed Loan, No. 54, due Jan. 1, 1903.....		500 00			
1904.					
Untaxed Loan, No. 57, due Jan. 1, 1904.....		500 00			
Untaxed Loan, No. 58, due Jan. 1, 1904.....		1,300 00			
Untaxed Gas, No. 8, due July 1, 1904.....		100 00			
1907.					
Untaxed loan, \$1,000,000, Series F, due Dec. 31, 1907.....	\$400 00	Three and a half per cent.			
Untaxed loan, \$650,000, Series A, due Dec. 30, 1907.....		\$350 00			
1909.					
Untaxed loan, \$1,000,000, Series E, due Dec. 31, 1909.....		\$100 00			
					\$18,800 00

Showing Funded Debt, and Annual Interest Charges January 1, 1912.

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Name of Loan.	Date of Ordinance Authorizing Loan.	Date of Maturity of Bonds.	Rate of Interest.	Amount Outstanding.	Annual Interest Charge 1912.
\$12,000,000.....	May 15, 1900.....	July 1, 1930.....	3 per cent.....	\$3,000,000 00	\$90,000 00
\$12,000,000.....	May 15, 1900.....	July 1, 1931.....	3½ per cent.....	9,000,000 00	315,000 00
\$5,000,000.....	June 11, 1902.....	July 1, 1932.....	3½ per cent.....	5,000,000 00	175,000 00
\$16,000,000.....	March 18, 1904.....	July 1, 1933.....	3½ per cent.....	16,000,000 00	560,000 00
\$4,000,000.....	Oct. 1, 1906.....	July 1, 1937..... July 1, 1938..... July 1, 1939.....	4 per cent.....	2,575,000 00	103,000 00
\$13,500,000.....	Feb. 9, 1907.....	Jan. 1, 1937.....	3½ per cent.....	125,000 00	4,375 00
\$13,500,000.....	Feb. 9, 1907.....	July 1, 1937.....	4 per cent.....	12,375,000 00	495,000 00
\$13,500,000.....	Feb. 9, 1907.....	Jan. 1, 1938.....	4 per cent.....		
\$13,500,000.....	Feb. 9, 1907.....	Jan. 1, 1939.....	4 per cent.....		
\$10,000,000.....	April 15, 1908.....	July 1, 1938.....	4 per cent.....	10,000,000 00	400,000 00
\$3,500,000.....	Oct. 17, 1908.....	July 1, 1938.....	4 per cent.....	3,500,000 00	140,000 00
\$5,739,700.....	July 1, 1909.....	July 1, 1939.....	4 per cent.....	5,739,700 00	229,588 00
\$5,000,000.....	July 14, 1910.....	July 1, 1940.....	4 per cent.....	5,000,000 00	200,000 00
\$2,300,000.....	April 21, 1911.....	July 1, 1941.....	4 per cent.....	2,300,000 00	92,000 00
\$9,750,000.....	July 1, 1911.....	July 1, 1941.....	4 per cent.....	9,750,000 00	380,000 00
Serial Loans.					
\$4,600,000.....	April 1, 1890.....	Nov. 1, 1912-1919.....	3 per cent.....	1,840,000 00	55,200 00
\$1,000,000.....	Sept. 6, 1892.....	Dec. 31, 1912-1921.....	3 per cent.....	500,000 00	15,000 00

Table J—Continued.
Showing Funded Debt and Annual Interest Charges January 1, 1912.

Name of Loan.	Date of Ordinance Authorizing Loan.	Date of Maturity of Bonds.	Rate of Interest.	Amount Outstanding.	Annual Interest Charge 1912.
<i>Serial Loans—Continued.</i>					
\$3,500,000.....	Feb. 6, 1898.....	Dec. 31, 1912-1922.....	3 per cent.....	\$1,050,000 00.	\$31,500 00
\$3,500,000.....	Feb. 6, 1898.....	Dec. 31, 1912-1923.....	4 per cent.....	875,000 00	85,000 00
\$6,000,000.....	Mar. 15, 1894.....	Dec. 31, 1912-1923.....	3½ per cent.....	3,087,000 00	108,045 00
\$1,100,000.....	April 3, 1894.....	Dec. 31, 1912-1923.....	3½ per cent.....	660,000 00	23,100 00
\$3,000,000.....	April 3, 1894.....	Dec. 31, 1912-1923.....	3½ per cent.....	1,800,000 00	63,000 00
\$2,720,000.....	Nov. 8, 1894.....	Dec. 31, 1912-1924.....	3½ per cent.....	1,632,000 00	57,120 00
\$1,200,000.....	June 18 1895.....	Dec. 31, 1912-1924.....	3 per cent.....	780,000 00	23,400 00
\$1,200,000.....	Sept. 16 1895.....	Dec. 31, 1912-1924.....	3 per cent.....	780,000 00	23,400 00
\$1,000,000.....	Dec. 10, 1895.....	Dec. 31, 1912-1924.....	3½ per cent.....	644,000 00	22,540 00
\$1,000,000.....	Dec. 10, 1895.....	Dec. 31, 1912-1924.....	3¼ per cent.....	5,000 00	162 50
\$1,000,000.....	Dec. 10, 1895.....	Dec. 31, 1912-1924.....	3⅞ per cent.....	1,000 00	31 25
\$2,000,000.....	Jan. 13, 1896.....	Dec. 31, 1912-1926.....	3½ per cent.....	1,300,000 00	45,500 00
\$650,000.....	June 17, 1897.....	Dec. 31, 1912-1927.....	3½ per cent.....	487,500 00	17,062 50
\$1,306,000.....	June 18, 1898.....	Dec. 31, 1912-1927.....	3 per cent.....	1,044,800 00	31,344 00
\$11,200,000.....	June 17, 1898.....	Dec. 31, 1912-1927.....	3 per cent.....	6,160,000 00	184,800 00
\$11,200,000.....	June 17, 1898.....	Dec. 31, 1912-1927.....	3½ per cent.....	1,400,000 00	49,000 00
\$11,200,000.....	June 17, 1898.....	Dec. 31, 1912-1927.....	4 per cent.....	1,400,000	56,000,00
				\$109,811,000 00	

Table J—Continued.

Showing Funded Debt and Annual Interest Charges January 1, 1912.

Name of Loan.	Date of Ordinance authorizing Loan.	Date of Maturity of Bonds.	Rate of Interest.	Amount Outstanding.	Annual Interest Charge 1912.
Matured Loans.					
Registered loans past due and outstanding.....	\$18,800 00	
Total	\$109,829,800 00	\$4,035,168 25
Funded debt, January 1, 1912.					
By a decision of the Supreme Court of the State of Pennsylvania, filed May 31, 1894, it is held "that, within the meaning of the word 'debt' in Section 8, Article 9, of the Constitution of the State of Pennsylvania, the real debt of the City is the authorized debt, less the amount of City Certificates purchased and uncanceled in the Sinking Funds."					
City Loans held by Sinking Funds, January 1, 1912.....	14,001,200 00	
Net funded debt, January 1, 1912	\$95,828,600 00	

Table K.

Statement of Three, Three and One-eighth, Three and One-quarter, Three and One-half and Four Per Cent. Loans and Years of their Maturity.

Years.	Three per cent.	Three and one-eighth per cent.	Three and one-quarter per cent.	Three and one-half per cent.	Four per cent.	Totals.
1912.....	\$1,200,300 00			\$823,500 00		\$2,023,800 00
1913.....	1,200,300 00			823,500 00		2,023,800 00
1914.....	1,200,300 00			823,500 00		2,023,800 00
1915.....	1,200,300 00			823,500 00		2,023,800 00
1916.....	1,200,300 00			823,500 00		2,023,800 00
1917.....	1,200,300 00			823,500 00		2,023,800 00
1918.....	1,025,300 00			823,500 00	\$175,000 00	2,023,800 00
1919.....	1,025,300 00			823,500 00	175,000 00	2,023,800 00
1920.....	795,300 00			823,500 00	175,000 00	1,793,800 00
1921.....	795,300 00			823,500 00	175,000 00	1,793,800 00
1922.....	745,300 00			610,500 00	175,000 00	1,530,800 00
1923.....	185,300 00			1,083,500 00		1,268,800 00
1924.....	185,300 00	\$1,000 00	\$5,000 00	736,500 00		927,800 00
1925.....	65,300 00			312,500 00	280,000 00	657,800 00
1926.....	65,300 00			32,500 00	560,000 00	657,800 00
1927.....	65,300 00				560,000 00	625,300 00
1930.....	3,000,000 00					3,000,000 00
1931.....				9,000,000 00		9,000,000 00
1932.....				5,000,000 00		5,000,000 00
1934.....				16,000,000 00		16,000,000 00
1936.....				125,000 00		125,000 00
1937.....					6,075,000 00	6,075,000 00
1938.....					19,375,000 00	19,375,000 00
1939.....					8,739,700 00	8,739,700 00
1940.....					5,000,000 00	5,000,000 00
1941.....					12,050,000 00	12,050,000 00
Totals..	\$15,154,800 00	\$1,000 00	\$5,000 00	\$41,135,500 00	\$53,514,700 00	\$109,811,000 00
Total Loans not yet due.....						\$109,811,000 00
Registered Loans overdue and outstanding.....						18,800 00
Total Funded Debt, January 1, 1912.....						\$109,829,800 00
By a decision of the Supreme Court of the State of Pennsylvania, filed May 31, 1894, it is held "that within the meaning of the word 'debt' in Section 8, Article 9, of the Constitution of the State of Pennsylvania, the real debt of the city is the authorized debt less the amount of city certificates purchased and uncanceled in the Sinking Funds."						
City Loans held by the Sinking Funds, January 1, 1912.....						14,001,200 00
Net Funded Debt, January 1, 1912.....						\$95,828,600 00

Table A—Continued.

Statement Showing Balances of Appropriations from the Books of 1910 Appropriations for the Year 1911. Additional Appropriations, Loans Included, During the Year 1911.



Table M.

Assessed Valuation of Real Estate Exempt from Taxation.

1910. Wards.	Churches, Hospitals and other Charities.	Owned by U. States Govern- ment.	Owned by State of Penna.	Owned by City of Philada.	Total. Exempt Propert- ies.
First.....	\$649,400			\$1,021,800	\$1,671,200
Second.....	1,058,400			604,000	1,657,400
Third.....	668,900			475,000	1,143,900
Fourth.....	250,300			653,300	903,600
Fifth.....	976,000	\$950,000		4,051,000	5,977,000
Sixth.....	1,391,600			2,401,500	3,793,100
Seventh.....	4,303,200			643,500	4,946,700
Eighth.....	5,719,050			6, 30,000	12,349,050
Ninth.....	6,192,000	9,750,000		21,895,000	37,837,000
Tenth.....	5,252,700			1,661,500	6,914,200
Eleventh.....	170,700			1,238,600	1,409,300
Twelfth.....	381,100			165,000	546,100
Thirteenth.....	346,000			126,200	472,200
Fourteenth.....	1,681,500			1,058,000	2,739,500
Fifteenth.....	1,878,150	950,000	\$1,000,000	7,213,025	11,041,175
Sixteenth.....	1,027,300			142,000	1,169,300
Seventeenth.....	104,300			283,000	387,300
Eighteenth.....	620,000			686,000	1,306,000
Nineteenth.....	2,427,500			804,500	3,232,000
Twentieth.....	1,569,000			729,000	2,298,000
Twenty-first.....	800,900			1,412,744	2,213,644
Twenty-second.....	6,694,100			2,988,600	9,682,700
Twenty-third.....	720,100	700,000		671,500	2,091,600
Twenty-fourth.....	3,047,500			8,260,600	11,308,100
Twenty-fifth.....	415,000			608,500	1,023,500
Twenty-sixth.....	1,476,500	1,300,000		2,200,000	4,976,500
Twenty-seventh.....	12,757,000			2,927,000	15,684,000
Twenty-eighth.....	837,100			888,200	1,675,300
Twenty-ninth.....	302,800			9,567,800	9,870,600
Thirtieth.....	1,470,300	1,100,000		231,500	2,801,800
Thirty-first.....	608,700			420,000	1,028,700

Table M—Continued.

Assessed Valuation of Real Estate Exempt from Taxation.

1910. Wards.	Churches, Hospitals and other Charities.	Owned by U. States Govern- ment.	Owned by State of Penn.	Owned by City of Philada.	Total Exempt Propert- ies.
Thirty-second.....	\$2,759,000		\$192,000	\$552,000	\$3,483,000
Thirty-third.....	427,800			1,180,000	1,607,800
Thirty-fourth.....	2,056,900			2,300,900	4,366,800
Thirty-fifth.....	544,440			575,500	1,119,940
Thirty-sixth.....	681,400			1,815,500	2, 96,900
Thirty-seventh.....	733,850			287,000	1,020,850
Thirty-eighth.....	2,020,900			2,887,200	4,908,100
Thirty-ninth.....	1,032,400	\$10,000,000		2,155,000	13,187,400
Fortieth.....	2, 98,300	55,000		1,571,000	3,924,300
Forty-first.....	563,250			7,658,750	8,222,000
Forty-second.....	2,051,225	39,000		753,200	2,843,425
Forty-third.....	830,400			1,630,000	2,460,400
Forty-fourth.....	1,909,200			583,300	2,492,500
Forty-fifth.....	758,800			2,613,000	3,371,800
Forty-sixth.....	1,082,500			791,000	1,873,500
Forty-seventh.....	5,819,100			284,500	6,103,600
	\$91,341,065	\$24,844,000	\$1,192,000	\$110,255,219	\$227,632,284

RECAPITULATION.

Churches, Hospitals and other Charities.....	\$91,341,065
Properties owned by U. S. Government.....	24,844,000
Properties owned by State of Pennsylvania.....	1,192,000
Properties owned by City of Philadelphia.....	110,225,219
Total.....	\$227,632,284

Table N.

Audit of the Bureau of Water for 1911.

Wards.	Total water rents.	Penalties.	Excess payments.	Payments to City Treasurer.	Water rents reg- istered.
	Dr.			Cr.	
First -----	\$77,837 77	\$740 60	\$187 00	\$76,616 87	\$2,148 50
Second -----	50,496 97	452 42	96 60	50,060 99	1,045 00
Third -----	28,895 75	292 96	22 00	28,309 11	901 60
Fourth -----	27,570 75	260 45	138 00	26,937 00	1,032 20
Fifth -----	47,411 20	344 78	112 50	46,145 58	1,722 90
Sixth -----	63,837 35	354 48	304 45	62,914 03	1,582 25
Seventh -----	63,416 65	570 39	124 20	63,027 59	1,083 75
Eighth -----	92,836 40	636 49	211 00	92,431 79	1,252 10
Ninth -----	83,298 72	353 48	147 50	83,145 70	654 00
Tenth -----	61,090 55	462 21	94 00	60,459 61	1,187 15
Eleventh -----	26,850 70	156 87	83 50	26,893 57	197 50
Twelfth -----	33,812 41	306 47	32 00	33,498 38	652 50
Thirteenth -----	40,879 20	308 83	69 50	40,836 53	421 00
Fourteenth -----	51,738 80	397 20	35 00	51,581 15	589 85
Fifteenth -----	160,762 12	1,167 34	201 95	159,039 41	3,092 00
Sixteenth -----	35,865 82	271 07	140 00	35,289 89	937 00
Seventeenth -----	37,051 85	246 32	24 50	36,480 87	841 80
Eighteenth -----	53,696 00	571 52	122 60	53,226 97	1,163 15
Nineteenth -----	150,651 50	1,131 64	123 00	149,521 19	2,384 95
Twentieth -----	115,469 85	1,042 08	126 00	115,016 53	1,621 40
Twenty-first -----	64,039 13	636 66	246 25	63,037 54	1,884 50
Twenty-second -----	216,959 65	2,901 52	738 95	215,057 37	5,542 75
Twenty-third -----	76,597 50	909 73	75 00	75,410 78	2,171 45
Twenty-fourth -----	145,979 92	1,537 01	168 00	144,479 93	3,205 00
Twenty-fifth -----	92,021 65	867 01	156 00	91,056 46	1,988 20
Twenty-sixth -----	117,832 35	1,233 05	174 50	117,898 90	1,341 00
Twenty-seventh -----	71,738 07	768 29	157 00	70,580 01	2,083 35
Twenty-eighth -----	152,849 53	1,281 52	190 50	151,624 00	2,697 55
Twenty-ninth -----	84,792 38	712 99	54 00	84,517 87	1,041 50
Thirtieth -----	60,501 50	654 83	159 50	59,930 23	1,385 50
Thirty-first -----	76,071 90	531 23	184 50	75,694 63	1,093 00

Table N—Continued.

Wards.	Total water rents.	Penalties.	Excess payments.	Payments to City Treasurer.	Water rents reg- istered.
	Dr.			Cr.	
Thirty-second	\$123,734 30	\$1,184 43	\$145 30	\$127,096 03	\$2,968 00
Thirty-third	145,863 90	1,213 15	122 00	142,108 95	5,090 10
Thirty-fourth	153,198 70	1,961 13	495 00	151,370 83	4,224 00
Thirty-fifth	10,739 40	103 13	44 00	9,189 73	1,696 80
Thirty-sixth	140,356 59	1,410 28	253 50	137,773 27	4,247 10
Thirty-seventh	72,642 10	512 97	165 00	71,802 57	1,517 50
Thirty-eighth	148,021 95	1,485 89	284 10	145,800 09	3,991 85
Thirty-ninth	105,994 65	963 13	247 20	105,405 38	1,799 60
Fortieth	104,799 55	1,469 59	276 00	98,937 54	7,607 60
Forty-first	6,240 75	112 10	12 00	6,241 85	123 00
Forty-second	50,875 90	667 71	191 00	50,530 61	1,204 00
Forty-third	127,054 75	1,090 42	191 00	126,193 22	2,142 95
Forty-fourth	108,212 63	1,262 79	303 50	107,959 42	1,824 50
Forty-fifth	62,742 10	651 49	40 50	58,381 09	5,053 00
Forty-sixth	153,434 75	2,236 46	281 50	152,295 61	3,657 10
Forty-seventh	83,875 45	603 86	100 00	83,124 81	1,454 50
Totals	\$4,065,641 41	\$38,969 97	\$7,856 20	\$4,014,871 58	\$7,596 00

SUMMARY FOR 1911.

DR.	CR.
Water rents collectible..	Paid to City Treasurer:
Penalties collected.....	Water rents.....
Excesses collected.....	Penalties
Delinquent rents col- lected	Delinquent rents.....
Delinquent penalties col- lected	Penalty on delinquent rents
Meter and fractional rents collected.....	Meter and fractional rents
Water pipe bills collected	Water pipe bills.....
Special bills collected...	Special bills.....
	Water rents (1911) reg- istered
Search fees collected....	Search fees paid to Treasurer

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COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA, }
CITY OF PHILADELPHIA, } ss.

On the first day of February, 1912, personally appeared before me, the subscriber, Mayor of the City of Philadelphia, John M. Walton, who, being duly sworn, doth depose and say that, to the best of his knowledge and belief, the foregoing statement of the finances of the City of Philadelphia is just, correct and true, having been carefully compared with the vouchers in the Controller's Department of said City.

(Signed) JOHN M. WALTON,
City Controller.

Sworn and subscribed to before me on the date above written.

Witness my hand and seal of the City of Philadelphia.

(Signed) RUDOLPH BLANKENBURG,
[SEAL.] *Mayor of Philadelphia.*

APPENDIX No. 37.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY.

Philadelphia, February 1, 1912.

To the President and Members of Common Council.

GENTLEMEN:—In compliance with the request of your Honorable Body in a resolution passed January 18, 1912, entitled "Resolution requesting the Director of the Department of Public Safety to investigate ticket scalping," I beg to advise that at my request the principal theatre managers of Philadelphia visited my office on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of this week, and a full discussion of the conditions relative to the disposal of theatre tickets was had.

I am pleased to advise you that every one of the managers were perfectly willing to comply with the request contained in your resolution, and they have given instructions that hereafter the sale of tickets in blocks to the various agencies will cease, and that the public can secure adequate accommodations at the box office of the various theatres.

It was pointed out, however, that while the theatre managers were willing to co-operate, that this would not entirely eliminate the sale of tickets through the agencies, as it is quite possible for them to have their messengers in line at the time the sale opens, when they can procure such tickets as they may desire; the only difference being, under the new system to be promulgated by them, is that the ticket agencies will not have opportunity to return any unsold tickets.

I am convinced of the good faith on the part of the theatre managers, and have every reason to believe that they will live up strictly to their pledges.

I trust my action in this connection complies with the spirit of your resolution.

Respectfully yours,

GEO. D. PORTER,

Director.

APPENDIX No. 38.

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR.

Philadelphia, January 31, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The attached letter, addressed to me by Dr. Joseph S. Neff, Director of the Department of Public Health and Charities, explains itself.

I would strongly urge your Honorable Bodies to grant Dr. Neff's request, as, after investigation, I find that it is more than reasonable and will further the efficiency of the Department very materially.

Respectfully yours,

RUDOLPH BLANKENBURG,

Mayor.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH AND CHARITIES.

Philadelphia, January 20, 1912.

HON. RUDOLPH BLANKENBURG.

Mayor of Philadelphia,

DEAR SIR:—I enclose herewith letter from Dr. S. W. Newmayer, under date of the 19th instant, to myself, together with many enclosures covering publications along the line of his work in child hygiene.

Dr. Newmayer has been an Assistant Medical Inspector in the Bureau of Health, assigned to schools, at a salary of \$1,400 per annum. Two years ago I took him from school work and put him in charge of child hygiene work. Although this crippled to some extent the school inspection, my policy was justified, I believe, as his work in the new division was much more important and has produced admirable results. He has worked very

faithfully, and I have for two years endeavored to procure, through Councils, the title for him of "Chief of the Division of Child Hygiene," carrying a salary of \$2,500 per annum, which I afterwards reduced to \$2,000. The doctor is very much disgruntled, and has become downhearted, as Councils have not realized the importance of his work and decline to make the necessary appropriation. As a result of the work of Dr. Newmayer and the eight visiting nurses in the congested districts, as shown by my annual reports, there has been a marked reduction in infant mortality, sickness, and, especially, preventable diseases. I enclose pamphlet copy of my annual report for 1910, and have marked pages 17 and 18, which cover this ground, and show a saving of 255 lives in the year, in a population of over 105,605, made possible largely through the municipal nurses. No further argument should be necessary to the legislative body for granting the Department's urgent request for additional nurses. The eight nurses originally appointed the preceding year were so appointed only after an urgent message by the Mayor to Councils.

Asking your influence and aid in securing this appropriation from Councils, I remain,

Very respectfully yours,

J. S. NEFF,
Director.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH AND CHARITIES.

Philadelphia, January 19, 1912.

DR. JOSEPH S. NEFF,

Director, Department of Public Health and Charities,

DEAR DIRECTOR:—The following is some of the work which I performed for the Bureau of Health since the date of my appointment to the position of Assistant Medical Inspector, in May, 1903.

Organized the first system of medical inspection in the public schools of Philadelphia. On the results ob-

tained by this experiment, Councils appropriated a sum of money to establish, in 1904, a corps of school inspectors.

Organized a system of school nursing, the same system still in use in our schools.

Performed special work on defects and diseases of the eyes of school children, including a study of cases of trachoma.

A special study of the backward and mentally defective child, aiding in establishing one of the first classes for these pupils.

Assigned, May, 1910, to take charge of the visiting nurses and Division of Child Hygiene. This included the examination and licensing of all midwives of Philadelphia; the licensing and supervision of maternities and boarding houses for infants, in accordance with Acts of Legislature; the establishing and supervision of baby tents on the recreation piers; teaching the pupils of the schools the hygiene and care of infants—a large number of exhibits on the care of the baby and child welfare were prepared and utilized to great advantage in this and other cities; established milk stations for the distribution of pasteurized milk and teaching mothers the care of their babies.

Very sincerely yours,

S. W. NEWMAYER, M. D.,

In charge of Division of Child Hygiene.

APPENDIX No. 39.

Philadelphia, February 1, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Mayor to enter into a lease with the Board of Man-

agers of the Pennsylvania Museum and School of Industrial Art for plot of ground at the northeast corner of Broad street and Allegheny avenue, and to make an appropriation to pay the rental of said lot for the year 1912," respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

John P. Connelly (*Ch'n*), H. J. Trainer, Robert S. McElroy, John H. Hahn, W. E. Bonnick, George D'Autreehy, Geo. P. Darrow, Chas. A. Gillingham, John H. Baizley, Chas. Seger, Edw. W. Patton, E. Buchholz, Richard Weglein, Thomas J. Morton, E. B. Gleason, Watson D. Upperman, Thomas J. Ryan.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the Mayor to enter into a lease with the Board of Managers of the Pennsylvania Museum and School of Industrial Art for plot of ground at the northeast corner of Broad street and Allegheny avenue, and to make an appropriation to pay the rental of said lot for the year 1912.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Mayor be authorized to enter into a lease with the Board of Managers of the Pennsylvania Museum and School of Industrial Art for plot of ground at the northeast corner of Broad street and Allegheny avenue, with a frontage on Broad street of four hundred and nine (409) feet, more or less, and a frontage on Allegheny avenue of two hundred and sixty-five (265) feet, more or less, for a period of five years, at an annual rental equal to the taxes which may be from time to time assessed thereon during said term. The said lot of ground to be used for the erection of a temporary Convention Hall.

SECT. 2. That the sum of two thousand one hundred (2,100) dollars be, and the same is hereby appropriated to Item 46 in the annual appropriation to the Mayor, for the year 1912, to pay the rental of said lot of ground for the year 1912.

APPENDIX No. 40.

Philadelphia, February 1, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred an ordinance entitled “An Ordinance to repeal an ordinance entitled ‘An Ordinance making it the duty of the Mayor to supervise and carry into effect Comprehensive Plans for the future development of the City of Philadelphia; providing for the appointment and regulating the powers, duties and procedure of a Permanent Committee to advise, assist and co-operate with him therein, and making an appropriation therefor,’ approved July 11, 1911,” respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

John P. Connelly (*Ch’n*), H. J. Trainer, Robert S. McElroy, John H. Hahn, W. E. Bonnick, George D’Autrechy, Geo. P. Darrow, Chas. A. Gillingham, John H. Baizley, Chas. Seger, Edw. W. Patton, E. Buchholz, Richard Weglein, Thomas J. Morton, E. B. Gleason, Watson D. Upperman, Thomas J. Ryan.

AN ORDINANCE

To repeal an ordinance entitled “An Ordinance making it the duty of the Mayor to supervise and carry into effect Comprehensive Plans for the future development of the City of Philadelphia; providing for the appointment and regulating the powers, duties and procedure of a Permanent Committee to advise, assist and co-operate with him therein, and making an appropriation therefor,” approved July 11, 1911.

WHEREAS, The said ordinance created a Permanent Committee to advise, assist and co-operate with the Mayor in carrying into effect the Comprehensive Plans for the future development of the City of Philadelphia, specified

the organization of the Committee, and set forth its powers and duties;

AND WHEREAS, The Law Department of the City has advised that the Committee as at present created, by ordinance of July 11, 1911, is an illegal body, possessing powers conflicting with existing Departments of the City government:

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That said ordinance entitled "An Ordinance making it the duty of the Mayor to supervise and carry into effect Comprehensive Plans for the future development of the City of Philadelphia; providing for the appointment and regulating the powers, duties and procedure of a Permanent Committee to advise, assist and co-operate with him therein, and making an appropriation therefor," approved the eleventh day of July, 1911, be, and the same is hereby repealed.

APPENDIX No. 41.

Philadelphia, February 1, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance making it the duty of the Director of the Department of Public Works to study and develop Comprehensive Plans for the future development of the City of Philadelphia; providing for the appointment and regulating the powers, duties and procedure of a Permanent Committee on Comprehensive Plans to advise, assist and co-operate with the Director of the said Department, and making an appropriation for the payment of the salaries of the employees and the maintenance of the said Committee," respectfully report that they have carefully considered the

same, and return the annexed ordinance and ask its passage.

John P. Connelly (*Ch'n*), H. J. Trainer, Robert S. McElroy, John H. Hahn, W. E. Bonnick, George D'Autrechy, Geo. P. Darrow, Chas. A. Gillingham, John H. Baizley, Chas. Seger, Edw. W. Patton, E. Buchholz, Richard Weglein, Thomas J. Morton, E. B. Gleason, Watson D. Upperman, Thomas J. Ryan.

AN ORDINANCE

Making it the duty of the Director of the Department of Public Works to study and develop Comprehensive Plans for the future development of the City of Philadelphia; providing for the appointment and regulating the powers, duties and procedure of a Permanent Committee on Comprehensive Plans to advise, assist and co-operate with the Director of the said Department, and making an appropriation for the payment of the salaries of the employees and the maintenance of the said Committee.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That it shall be the duty of the Director of the Department of Public Works to study, plan, suggest and develop Comprehensive Plans for the future development of the City of Philadelphia.

SECT. 2. A Permanent Committee on Comprehensive Plans to advise, assist and co-operate therein with the Director of the Department of Public Works shall be created. The Mayor shall be *ex-officio* a member of the said Committee, which shall in addition consist of the Director of the Department of Public Works, *ex-officio*, the Chief of the Bureau of Surveys, *ex-officio*, the Presidents of the Select and Common Councils, *ex-officio*, the President of the Fairmount Park Commission, *ex-officio*, the Chairman of the Finance Committee of Councils, *ex-officio*, and of ten citizens who shall be appointed by the Mayor. The terms of the ten citizens first appointed shall end on the first Monday in December, 1913, and thereafter the term

of the appointive members of the said Committee shall be for two years. The Committee shall organize immediately upon the appointment of its members; it shall make such rules and regulations as may be deemed necessary for the purposes for which it is appointed and shall hold stated or special meetings at such times or on such notice as it may by resolution provide. The Mayor shall be the Chairman of the said Committee and preside at all meetings. Minutes of the meetings of the Committee shall be kept and permanently recorded.

SECT. 3. The duties of the said Committee are to act as an Advisory Board to the Director of the Department of Public Works, and to advise and suggest to the Mayor and the Director such plans or suggestions for the physical and material improvement of the City as may seem to the said Committee proper and best adapted for the future development of the City along comprehensive lines. The said Committee for this purpose shall have power to suggest changes in existing plans, and from time to time suggest the adoption or develop further plans for suggestion. No rule, regulation, power or act of the Committee shall in any wise conflict with or usurp the powers or duties vested by law in any Department or Bureau of the City Government as at present established, but the said Committee is solely empowered to act as an Advisory Committee, offering suggestions for consideration by the proper executive officials whose duty it would be to carry out such suggestions if deemed advisable and legally authorized.

SECT. 4. The Director of the Department of Public Works is empowered to appoint a secretary of the Committee on Comprehensive Plans at a salary of two thousand five hundred (2,500) dollars per annum, said appointment to date from January 1, 1912, and to appoint civil, mechanical, hydraulic, sanitary, landscape, architectural and consulting engineers, gardeners, architects, experts, advisers, assistants and such other employees as may be necessary to further the object for which the said Committee is created.

SECT. 5. There is hereby appropriated to the Department of Public Works (Director's Office): To Item 6,

for the Committee on Comprehensive Plans, for the year 1912, for the salary of the secretary, two thousand five hundred (2,500) dollars; for salaries of engineers, experts, and other employees, as above enumerated, six thousand five hundred (6,500) dollars; and for postage, transportation, hire of vehicles, cleaning offices, telephone, telegraph and messenger service, books, periodicals, stationery and other incidental expenses, one thousand (1,000) dollars; total, ten thousand (10,000) dollars.

SECT. 6. All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith be, and the same are hereby repealed.

APPENDIX No. 42.

Philadelphia, February 1, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance to make additional appropriations to the various Bureaus in the Departments of Public Safety, Public Health and Charities, Mayor, City Controller, Inspectors of County Prisons, Recorder of Deeds and City Treasurer, for the year 1912," respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

John P. Connelly (*Ch'n*), John H. Hahn, W. E. Bonnick, George D'Autrechy, Geo. P. Darrow, Chas. A. Gillingham, John H. Baizley, Chas. Seger, Edw. W. Patton, E. Buchholz, Richard Weglein, Thomas J. Mor-ton, E. B. Gleason, Watson D. Upperman, Thomas J. Ryan.

AN ORDINANCE

To make additional appropriations to the various Bureaus in the Departments of Public Safety, Public Health and Charities, Mayor, City Controller, Inspectors of County Prisons, Recorder of Deeds and City Treasurer, for the year 1912.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the sum of one hundred and ninety-two thousand two hundred and fifty-five (192,255) dollars be, and the same is hereby appropriated to the various Bureaus in the Departments of Public Safety, Public Health and Charities, Mayor, City Controller, Inspectors of County Prisons, Recorder of Deeds and City Treasurer, for the year 1912, viz.: Department of Public Safety (Bureau of Police): To Item 29 (new), for repairs to the police and fire boats, fifteen thousand five hundred (15,500) dollars; to Item 30 (new), for installation and maintenance of a plant for printing circulars, etc., one thousand five hundred (1,500) dollars. (Bureau of Fire): To Item 1, so as to provide for a stenographer and typewriter, at rate of nine hundred (900) dollars per annum, said appointment to date from February 1, eight hundred and twenty-five (825) dollars. (Electrical Bureau): To Item 22 (new), for renewal of police and fire alarm cable, etc., from Broad street and Germantown avenue to Haines street and Germantown avenue, four thousand five hundred (4,500) dollars. (Bureau of City Property): To Item 1, so as to provide for two superintendents of public baths, at six hundred (600) dollars per annum each, one thousand two hundred (1,200) dollars; to Item 68 (new), for completing the erection and equipment of a Crematorium, four thousand (4,000) dollars; to Item 69 (new), for rental of property on the west side of Second street, 278 feet north of Lehigh avenue, one thousand three hundred and fifty (1,350) dollars: *Provided*, That upon payment of said sum, the City be given a release from all obligations in connection with said premises; to Item 70 (new), for renewing roof of City Hall, thirty-five thousand (35,000) dollars. De-

partment of Public Health and Charities (Bureau of Charities): To Item 39, so as to provide for salary of chauffeur, from January 1, 1912, nine hundred (900) dollars. Mayor: To Item 44 (new), toward the purchase of an automobile, three thousand (3,000) dollars; to Item 45 (new), for expenses of the Art Jury, for salaries: assistant secretary, one thousand (1,000) dollars per annum; stenographer and typewriter, seven hundred and twenty (720) dollars per annum; total, one thousand seven hundred and twenty (1,720) dollars; for stationery, printing, postage, transportation, hire of vehicles, traveling and hotel expenses and incidentals, two thousand (2,000) dollars; total, three thousand seven hundred and twenty (3,720) dollars: *Provided*, That no salaries or wages shall be paid except as provided for in this appropriation. City Controller: To Item 7 (new), for alterations, repairs and equipment of offices, fifty thousand (50,000) dollars. Inspectors of County Prisons (Reed Street Prison): To Item 1, for flour, one thousand (1,000) dollars; to Item 2, for beef, mutton and pork, one thousand five hundred (1,500) dollars; to Item 3, for groceries and provisions, five hundred (500) dollars; to Item 4, for vegetables, one thousand (1,000) dollars; to Item 10, for stationery and printing, fifty (50) dollars; to Item 11, for combs, brooms and brush material, two hundred (200) dollars; to Item 14, for miscellaneous expenses, five hundred (500) dollars; to Item 15, for fuel, one thousand (1,000) dollars; to Item 16, for clothing and bedding, five hundred (500) dollars; to Item 17, for repairs and improvements, five hundred (500) dollars; to Item 18, for salaries, so that the salary of the keeper in charge of the Court calendar may be at the rate of one thousand two hundred (1,200) dollars per annum from April 1, 1912, two hundred and twenty-five (225) dollars; to Item 19, for electric lighting plant, five hundred (500) dollars; to Item 23, for advertising, fifty (50) dollars; to Item 26 (new), for renewal of machinery in electric light plant, five thousand (5,000) dollars. (Holmesburg Prison): To Item 1, for flour, two thousand (2,000) dollars; to Item 2, for beef, mutton and pork, two thousand five hundred (2,500) dollars; to Item 3, for gro-

ceries and provisions, one thousand (1,000) dollars; to Item 4, for vegetables, one thousand five hundred (1,500) dollars; to Item 5, for milk and ice, four hundred (400) dollars; to Item 6, for compressed yeast, one hundred and twenty-five (125) dollars; to Item 8, for drugs and hospital supplies, two hundred (200) dollars; to Item 9, for hay, feed and straw, fifty (50) dollars; to Item 10, for stationery and printing, one hundred and fifty (150) dollars; to Item 11, for brooms, combs and brush material, two hundred (200) dollars; to Item 14, for miscellaneous expenses, five hundred (500) dollars; to Item 15, for fuel, two thousand (2,000) dollars; to Item 16, for clothing and bedding, one thousand five hundred (1,500) dollars; to Item 17, for repairs and improvements, including new roof on enclosure wall, three thousand (3,000) dollars; to Item 18, for salaries, so that the salary of the clerk may be at the rate of one thousand five hundred (1,500) dollars per annum, and the salary of the keeper who acts as registrar may be at the rate of one thousand two hundred (1,200) dollars per annum, from April 1, 1912, six hundred (600) dollars; to Item 19, for electric light plant, three hundred (300) dollars; to Item 24, for advertising, one hundred (100) dollars; to Item 26 (new), for hospital for prisoners afflicted with tuberculosis, five thousand (5,000) dollars. Recorder of Deeds: To Item 1, so as to provide for three assistant custodians of records, at the rate of nine hundred (900) dollars each per annum, from March 1, two thousand two hundred and fifty (2,250) dollars; to Item 3, for blank books, etc., five thousand (5,000) dollars; to Item 4, for incidentals, seven hundred (700) dollars; to Item 6 (new), for alteration, repairs and equipment of record rooms, twenty-four thousand nine hundred (24,900) dollars; to Item 7 (new), for painting and finishing, three thousand (3,000) dollars. City Treasurer: To Item 21 (new), for repairs to vault doors and bronze grille work and office furnishing, one thousand two hundred and sixty (1,260) dollars.

APPENDIX No. 43.

Philadelphia, February 1, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred an ordinance entitled “An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Commissioners of Fairmount Park for the construction and maintenance of a Public Aquarium in Fairmount Park, for the year 1912,” respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

John P. Connelly (*Ch'n*), John H. Hahn, George D'Antrechy, W. E. Bonnick, Geo. P. Darrow, Chas. A. Gillingham, John H. Baizley, Chas. Seger, Edw. W. Patton, E. Buchholz, Richard Weglein, Thomas J. Mor-ton, E. B. Gleason, Watson D. Upperman, Thomas J. Ryan.

AN ORDINANCE

To make an appropriation to the Commissioners of Fairmount Park, for the construction and maintenance of a Public Aquarium in Fairmount Park, for the year 1912.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the sum of twenty-three thousand seven hundred (23,700) dollars is hereby appropriated to the Commissioners of Fairmount Park, for the year 1912.

To Item 21 (new), for the construction, equipment and maintenance of a Public Aquarium in Fairmount Park: For salaries, viz.: Director, three thousand (3,000) dollars per annum; office assistant and stenographer, one thousand (1,000) dollars per annum; ten attendants (six day and four night), eight hundred (800) dollars each per annum; pumpman, nine hundred (900) dollars per annum; two lavatory attendants, seven hundred and twenty

(720) dollars each per annum; total, ten thousand four hundred and fifty (10,450) dollars; said appointments to date from January 15, 1912.

For construction, viz.: Filling and raising the present floor in one pumping house with cinders, laying cement floor and building a filter bed for salt water, two thousand five hundred (2,500) dollars; gasoline engine, salt and fresh water pumps and refrigerating plant, two thousand five hundred (2,500) dollars; tanks for salt water fish and seal pool, two thousand five hundred (2,500) dollars; partition walls, five hundred (500) dollars; supply pipes for salt and fresh water, one thousand (1,000) dollars; skylights, one thousand (1,000) dollars.

For maintenance, viz.: Purchase of fish, supplies, transportation, incidentals, etc., three thousand two hundred and fifty (3,250) dollars.

All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith be, and the same are hereby repealed.

APPENDIX No. 44.

Philadelphia, February 1, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to authorize the Mayor to enter into a contract for the erection of a temporary frame Convention Hall on the lot of ground at the northeast corner of Broad street and Allegheny avenue, making an additional appropriation for the erection of said hall, and authorizing the leasing thereof when completed,” respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

John P. Connelly (*Ch’n*), H. J. Trainer, John H. Hahn, Robert S. McElroy, W. E. Bonnick, George D’Autrechy, Geo. P. Darrow, Chas. A. Gillingham, John

H. Baizley, Chas. Seger, Edw. W. Patton, E. Buchholz, Richard Weglein, Thomas J. Morton, E. B. Gleason, Watson D. Upperman, Thomas J. Ryan.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the Mayor to enter into a contract for the erection of a temporary frame Convention Hall on the lot of ground at the Northeast corner of Broad street and Allegheny avenue, making an additional appropriation for the erection of said hall, and authorizing the leasing thereof when completed.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Mayor be authorized to enter into a contract for the construction, under the supervision of the Department of Public Works, of a temporary frame Convention Hall on ground owned by the Pennsylvania Museum and School of Industrial Art, at the northeast corner of Broad street and Allegheny avenue; the said construction to be of such a character that it may be used for the purposes of a convention hall, for the assembly of large gatherings, expositions, and like purposes.

SECT. 2. That the additional sum of fifty thousand (50,000) dollars be, and the same is hereby appropriated to Item 20, in the annual appropriation to the Mayor, for the year 1912, for the erection of the said temporary frame Convention Hall.

SECT. 3. That the Mayor be authorized to enter into a lease for said Convention Hall with the Northeast Saengerbund in which to hold its Twenty-third National Saengerfest, from June 29 to July 4, 1912, under the auspices of the United Singers of Philadelphia, and to such other persons or organizations as desire to lease the same from time to time, at such rentals and upon such terms as may be agreed upon.

SECT. 4. That so much of all ordinances or parts of ordinances as prohibit the erection of frame buildings on

said plot of ground at Broad street and Allegheny avenue be, and the same are hereby rescinded in so far as they may apply to the erection of said temporary Convention Hall.

APPENDIX No. 45.

Philadelphia, February 1, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Surveys, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to place on the City plan Delaware avenue, from Washington avenue to Snyder avenue, of the width of one hundred and fifty feet,” respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed ordinance and ask its passage.

Chas. A. Gillingham (*Ch’n*), Daniel Cahill, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., W. W. Trinkle, Edward B. Howard, George H. Kelly, John P. Connelly, Stacy H. White, James M. Neely, Henry R. Shoch, Albert De Prefontaine, Wm. J. Harrington, J. E. Lennon, W. E. Bonnick.

AN ORDINANCE

To place on the City plan Delaware avenue, from Washington avenue to Snyder avenue, of the width of one hundred and fifty feet.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain.* That the Department of Public Works (Board of Surveyors) be authorized and directed to place on the City plan Delaware avenue, from Washington avenue to Snyder avenue, to the width of one hundred and fifty feet.

APPENDIX No. 46.

Philadelphia, February 1, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Surveys, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to authorize the construction of a new footbridge on the line of Montgomery street, west of Second street, over American street and the tracks of the North Pennsylvania Railroad, and the work appurtenant thereto, setting aside money to pay the cost thereof and providing for carrying into effect such authority,” respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed ordinance and ask its passage.

Chas. A. Gillingham (*Ch’n*), Daniel Cahill, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., W. W. Trinkle, Edward B. Howard, George H. Kelley, John P. Connelly, Stacy H. White, James M. Neely, Henry R. Shoch, Albert De Prefontaine, Geo. D’Autrechy, Wm. J. Harrington, J. E. Lennon, W. E. Bonnick.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the construction of a new footbridge on the line of Montgomery street, west of Second street, over American street and the tracks of the North Pennsylvania Railroad, and the work appurtenant thereto, setting aside money to pay the cost thereof and providing for carrying into effect such authority.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Director of the Department of Public Works be, and is hereby authorized and directed to advertise for proposals and to award contract, as provided in existing ordinances and laws, for the construction of a new footbridge on the line of Montgomery street over American street and the tracks of the North Pennsylvania Railroad, including the work ap-

purtenant thereto, in accordance with plans and specifications to be prepared by the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Surveys), and he is also authorized to appoint assistants and inspectors as may be requisite and to pay all expenses for salaries, soundings, inspection, tests, transportation and incidental expenses not otherwise provided for out of the amount appropriated for the cost of said work.

SECT. 2. That the sum of fifteen thousand (15,000) dollars be, and is hereby set aside from the unexpended balances remaining in Item 16 of appropriation to the Bureau of Surveys, for the year 1912, to pay the cost of constructing said bridge and the work appurtenant thereto.

APPENDIX No. 47.

Philadelphia, February 1, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Surveys, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An Ordinance to strike from the City plan Rhawn street, from State Road to Delaware river, and Wissinoming, Milnor and Eugene streets, from Holmesburg avenue southward," respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed ordinance and ask its passage.

Chas A. Gillingham (*Ch'n*), Daniel Cahill, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., W. W. Trinkle, Edward B. Howard, George H. Kelley, John P. Connelly, Stacy H. White, James M. Neely, Henry R. Shoch, Albert De Prefontaine, Wm. J. Harrington, J. E. Lennon, W. E. Bonnick.

AN ORDINANCE

To strike from the City plan Rhawn street, from State road to Delaware river, and Wissinoming, Milnor and Eugene streets, from Holmesburg avenue southward.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works (Board of Surveyors) be authorized and directed to strike from the City plan Rhawn street, from State road to Delaware river; Wissinoming, Milnor and Eugene streets, from Holmesburg avenue southward.

APPENDIX No. 48.

RESOLUTION

Granting permission to The Philadelphia Society for Promoting Agriculture to use Common Council Chamber for the meetings of their Conference on March 14, 15 and 16, 1912.

Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of Philadelphia. That permission be, and is hereby granted to The Philadelphia Society for Promoting Agriculture to use Common Council Chamber for the meetings of their Conference on March 14, 15 and 16, 1912.

APPENDIX No. 49.

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR.

Philadelphia, February 15, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Act of June 1, 1885, in Article 1, Section 1, contains the following provision:

“The Mayor shall, as often as he may think proper, appoint three competent persons to examine, without notice, the accounts of any Department, trust, officer or employee, and the money, securities and property belonging to the City in the possession or charge of such Department, trustees, officer, or employee, and report the result of such investigation.”

While this provision of the law authorizes the Mayor to make investigations through suitable persons, it is doubtful whether he can exercise this authority effectively in the absence of an appropriation of Councils to meet the expense of their employment. It can never be foreseen, of course, just when it may be necessary to institute such an inquiry as the law contemplates, and it would be, manifestly, impracticable to seek a special appropriation from Councils on each occasion that might arise.

I therefore beg to call your attention to the ordinance hereto attached, providing an appropriation of ten thousand dollars to the Office of the Mayor, for the purpose of employing such persons whenever the necessity for such action may arise, and to ask for it your favorable consideration.

Respectfully yours,

RUDOLPH BLANKENBURG,

Mayor.

AN ORDINANCE

To make an appropriation to the Mayor, for the employment of expert accountants and other competent persons to examine the books, accounts, etc., belonging to the City of Philadelphia, and to make investigations relating thereto.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the sum of ten thousand (10,000) dollars be, and the same is hereby appropriated to the Mayor, Item 26 (new), to enable the Mayor to employ expert accountants and other competent persons to examine the books, accounts, money, securities and property belonging to the City, and to make such investigations relating thereto as may be necessary, at such times as he may deem best for the interests of the City.

APPENDIX No. 50.

Philadelphia, February 15, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Surveys, to whom was referred the bills to place upon the City plan Benczet, Blair, Carpenter, Webster, Lambert, Hanson and Upshur streets and Windrim avenue, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed ordinance and ask its passage.

Chas. A. Gillingham (*Ch'n*), Edward B. Howard, J. E. Lennon, W. E. Bonnick, Stacy H. White, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., James H. McGurk, George H. Kelley, Geo. W. Spielberger, Albert De Prefontaine, Henry R. Shoch, H. J. Trainer, George D'Autrechy, John P. Connelly.

AN ORDINANCE

To place on the City plan Benezet, Blair, Carpenter, Webster, Lambert, Hanson and Upshur streets and Windrim avenue.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works (Board of Surveyors) be authorized and directed to place on the City plan Benezet street, of the width of forty feet, from Ardleigh street to Cresheim Valley Drive; Blair street, of the width of thirty-four feet, from Montgomery street southwest to the line of property of the Philadelphia and Trenton Railroad Company; Carpenter and Webster streets, each of the width of sixty feet, from Sixty-second street to Cobbs Creek Parkway; Lambert street, of the width of fifty feet, from Porter to Shunk street; Hanson street, of the width of fifty feet, from Walnut to Locust street; Upshur street, as now opened and built upon, from New Market street eastward to the dead end; Windrim avenue, of the width of sixty feet, from Twentieth street to Wayne avenue: *Provided*, That before the said Blair and Upshur streets shall be placed on the plan, satisfactory evidence shall be furnished, within one year from the approval of this ordinance, that said streets have been opened and used for a period of at least twenty-one years prior to May 3, 1909; and before said Carpenter, Lambert and Hanson streets shall be placed on the plan, the owners of property within the lines thereof shall, within one year from the approval of this ordinance, dedicate the beds of the same to the City on the lines and grades as confirmed by the Board of Surveyors; and before said Webster street shall be placed on the plan, the owners of at least nine-tenths of the bed of the street shall, within one year from the approval of this ordinance, dedicate the same to the City on the lines and grades as confirmed by the Board of Surveyors.

APPENDIX No. 51.

Philadelphia, February 1, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Surveys, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An Ordinance for the revision of grade of City avenue, from Lancaster avenue to Haverford street," respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed ordinance and ask its passage.

Chas. A. Gillingham (*Ch'n*), Edward B. Howard, J. E. Lemon, W. E. Bonnick, Stacy H. White, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., James H. McGurk, George H. Kelley, Geo. W. Spielberger, Albert De Prefontaine, Henry R. Shoch, H. J. Trainer, George D'Autrechy, John P. Connelly.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the revision of the grade of City avenue, from Lancaster avenue to Haverford street, and of the streets adjacent thereto.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works (Board of Surveyors) be authorized to revise the grade of City avenue, from Lancaster avenue to Haverford street, and of the streets adjacent thereto, in conformity with the terms and conditions of an ordinance, approved the second day of December, 1911, entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the acceptance of an offer made by the Girard Trust Company et al., Trustees, to dedicate and convey to the City of Philadelphia land contained within the boundaries of Morris Park and streets and avenues in the Thirty-fourth Ward in the neighborhood thereof, upon the terms and conditions contained in said offer; and directing the City Solicitor to prepare and have executed the necessary deeds and other instruments, in writing, to carry such offer into effect."

APPENDIX No. 52.

Philadelphia, February 1, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Surveys, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the revision of the lines and grades of Huron and Telner streets and the intersection of Huron street, Telner street and St. Martins lane," respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed ordinance and ask its passage.

Chas. A. Gillingham (*Ch'n*), Edward B. Howard, J. E. Lennon, W. E. Bonnick, Stacy H. White, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., James H. McGurk, George H. Kelley, Geo. W. Spielberger, Albert De Prefontaine, Henry R. Shoch, H. J. Trainer, George D'Autrechy, John P. Connelly.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the revision of the lines and grades of Huron and Telner streets and the intersection of Huron street, Telner street and St. Martins lane.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works (Board of Surveyors) be authorized to revise the lines and grades of Huron street, between Mermaid lane and St. Martins lane; Telner street, between Emlen street and Huron street; and the intersection of St. Martins lane, Huron street and Telner street: *Provided*, That within one year from the approval of this ordinance the beds of Huron street, from Mermaid lane to St. Martins lane, and Telner street, from Emlen street to Huron street, be dedicated to the City.

All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith be, and the same are hereby repealed.

APPENDIX No. 53.

Philadelphia, February 1, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Surveys, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to authorize the revision of the lines and grades of a portion of City plan No. 214, bounded by Greene street, Carpenter street, Wissahickon avenue and Allens lane,” respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed ordinance and ask its passage.

Chas. A. Gillingham (*Ch’n*), Edward B. Howard, J. E. Lemmon, W. E. Bonnick, Stacy H. White, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., James H. McGurk, George H. Kelley, Geo. W. Spielberger, Albert De Prefontaine, Henry R. Shoch, H. J. Trainer, George D’Autrechy, John P. Connelly.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the revision of the lines and grades of a portion of City plan No. 214, bounded by Greene street, Carpenter street, Wissahickon avenue and Allens lane.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works (Board of Surveyors) be authorized and directed to revise the lines and grades of that portion of City plan No. 214, bounded by Greene street, Carpenter street, Wissahickon avenue and Allens lane.

APPENDIX No. 54.

Philadelphia, February 1, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Surveys, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to

repeal portion of ordinance approved December 2, 1911, entitled 'An Ordinance to place on the City plan as a public park certain tracts of land in the Thirty-fourth Ward, as additions to Cobbs Creek Park and Morris Park, and to make the necessary revision of lines and grades of streets,'” respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed ordinance and ask its passage.

Chas. A. Gillingham (*Ch'n*), Edward B. Howard, J. E. Lennon, W. E. Bonnick, Stacy H. White, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., James H. McGurk, George H. Kelley, Geo. W. Spielberger, Albert De Prefontaine, Henry R. Shoch, H. J. Trainer, George D'Autrechy, John P. Connelly.

AN ORDINANCE

To repeal portion of ordinance approved December 2, 1911, entitled “An Ordinance to place on the City plan as a public park certain tracts of land in the Thirty-fourth Ward, as additions to Cobbs Creek Park and Morris Park, and to make the necessary revision of lines and grades of streets.”

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That so much of the ordinance approved December 2, 1911, entitled “An Ordinance to place on the City plan as a public park certain tracts of land in the Thirty-fourth Ward, as additions to Cobbs Creek Park and Morris Park, and to make the necessary revision of lines and grades of streets,” as reads as follows: “Also, beginning at the north corner of Lansdowne avenue and Race street; thence northward along the northeast side of Race street to City avenue; thence southwestward along City avenue to the northeast line of Arch street; thence southeastward along the northeast line of Arch street to the northwest side of Lansdowne avenue; thence northeastward along the northwest side of Lansdowne avenue to the place of beginning,” be, and the same is hereby repealed.

APPENDIX No. 55.

Philadelphia, February 1, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Surveys, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to extend the time within which the beds of Prentice, Daggett, Sixty-fifth, Simpson, Haddington and Jefferson streets may be dedicated to the City,” respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed ordinance and ask its passage.

Chas. A. Gillingham (*Ch’n*), Edward B. Howard, J. E. Lennon, W. E. Bonnick, Stacy H. White, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., James H. McGurk, George H. Kelley, Geo. W. Spielberger, Albert De Prefontaine, Henry R. Shoch, H. J. Trainer, George D’Autrechy, John P. Connelly.

AN ORDINANCE

To extend the time within which the beds of Prentice, Daggett, Sixty-fifth, Simpson, Haddington and Jefferson streets may be dedicated to the City.

WHEREAS: By ordinance approved the tenth day of August, A. D. 1910, the Department of Public Works (Board of Surveyors) was authorized and directed to place on the City plan the following streets, to wit: Prentice, Daggett, Sixty-fifth, Simpson, Haddington and Jefferson: *Provided*, That before said streets should be placed on said plan, the owners of property within the lines thereof should within one year from the approval of the ordinance dedicate the beds of the same to the City on the lines and grades as confirmed by the Board of Surveyors, or should indemnify the City against all damages or claims for damages which might arise from placing said streets on the plan and their subsequent opening to confirmed lines and grades;

AND WHEREAS, By ordinance approved the tenth day of November, A. D. 1910, the former ordinance with respect to the width of Daggett street was amended;

AND WHEREAS, It was found impossible, on account of the absence of Frederic Courtland Penfield and of Anne W. Penfield from the country, to dedicate said streets to the City within the time limits set by the aforesaid ordinance; therefore,

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the time within which dedication to the City of Philadelphia of the beds of Prentice street, between Lansdowne and Lebanon avenues; of Daggett street, between Lansdowne and Lebanon avenues; of Daggett street, between Lebanon and Malvern avenues; of Sixty-fifth street, between Lansdowne and Lebanon avenues; of Sixty-fifth street, between Lebanon and Malvern avenues; of Simpson street, between Lansdowne and Lebanon avenues; of Simpson street, between Lebanon and Malvern avenues; of Haddington street, between Sixty-fourth and Prentice streets; and of Jefferson street, between Sixty-fourth and Daggett streets, was to have been made in accordance with the ordinances approved August 10, 1910, and November 10, 1910, respectively, be, and the same is hereby extended for a further period not to exceed sixty days from the official approval of this ordinance, so as to enable the Board of Surveyors to approve said deed of dedication within said sixty days.

APPENDIX No. 56.

Philadelphia, February 1, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Surveys, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An Ordinance to revise the boundaries of Morris Park," respectfully report

that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed ordinance and ask its passage.

Chas. A. Gillingham (*Ch'n*), Edward B. Howard, J. E. Lennon, W. E. Bonnick, Stacy H. White, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., James H. McGurk, George H. Kelley, Geo. W. Spielberger, Albert De Prefontaine, Henry R. Shoch, H. J. Trainer, George D'Autrechy, John P. Connelly.

AN ORDINANCE

To revise the boundaries of Morris Park.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works (Board of Surveyors) be authorized to revise the boundaries of Morris Park in conformity with the terms and conditions of an ordinance, approved the second day of December, 1911, entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the acceptance of an offer made by the Girard Trust Company et al., Trustees, to dedicate and convey to the City of Philadelphia land contained within the boundaries of Morris Park and streets and avenues in the Thirty-fourth Ward in the neighborhood thereof, upon terms and conditions contained in said offer; and directing the City Solicitor to prepare and have executed the necessary deeds and other instruments, in writing, to carry such offer into effect."

APPENDIX No. 57.

RESOLUTION

Appointing a committee of three members of Common Council to investigate the reasonableness of all license fees and other charges now imposed by ordinance; also to investigate the exemption from taxation for municipal purposes of the real estate of public service corporations.

WHEREAS, The current expenses of the City of Philadelphia are in excess of its income;

AND WHEREAS, Owners of real estate are now taxed approximately fifteen per cent. of gross rentals; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That a Special Committee of three members of Common Council be appointed to make a thorough investigation of the reasonableness of all license fees and other charges now imposed by ordinance and paid into the City Treasury. Said committee to report to this body within three months, making such recommendations as to them may seem proper; and be it

Further Resolved, That the said committee also investigate the matter of exemption from taxation for municipal purposes of the real estate of public service corporations.

APPENDIX No. 58.

RESOLUTION

Of request to the Board of Public Education to vacate its rooms in City Hall.

Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the Board of Public Education be, and is hereby requested to vacate the rooms now occupied by it in City Hall on or before July 15, 1912.

APPENDIX No. 59.

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR.

Philadelphia, February 29, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—I have the honor to send you herewith an ordinance to make an appropriation incident to the meeting of the Twelfth International Congress of Navigation, to be held in Philadelphia, commencing May 23, 1912.

This ordinance was originally introduced by Hon. John E. Reyburn on November 2, 1911.

I would strongly urge the earliest possible passage of this ordinance. It will mean much for Philadelphia to have the representatives of nearly forty different nations come to our City and acquaint themselves with the natural advantages we have as a seaport and manufacturing and distributing center. The proposed expenditure for the improvement and deepening of our harbor, authorized by Congress, should be an additional incentive for us to show that we are wide awake to the possibilities of Philadelphia as an important seaport.

Bespeaking for this ordinance your immediate and favorable action, I am,

Respectfully yours,

RUDOLPH BLANKENBURG,

Mayor.

AN ORDINANCE

Making an appropriation to the Finance Committee of the Organizing Commission of the Twelfth International Congress of Navigation, to help defray the expenses incident to the meeting of said Congress, to be held in Philadelphia during the year 1912.

WHEREAS, The Permanent International Association of Navigation Congresses, acting upon the invitation of the Secretary of State of the United States and the Mayor of the City of Philadelphia, will hold its next session in the City of Philadelphia during the year 1912;

AND WHEREAS, The object of the Permanent International Association of Navigation Congresses is to promote the progress of inland and maritime navigation, continuing the work of the Eleven International Congresses, the last of which was held in St. Petersburg, Russia, in the year 1908;

AND WHEREAS, There will be delegates from approximately forty different nations attending this Congress, as well, it is hoped, as a considerable part of the two thousand members of the Association;

AND WHEREAS, It has always been customary in connection with these Congresses to organize visits of inspection to leading points of river and harbor, engineering and industrial interests in the country in which each Congress is held, the expenses of these being paid by the country or locality visited, and as it is regarded as very desirable that many such points in the City of Philadelphia and vicinity be visited by the distinguished members and delegates attending;

AND WHEREAS, The City of Philadelphia will be materially benefited and widely advertised by the inspection of her leading industries and her waterway and other public improvements, in progress and proposed;

AND WHEREAS, The United States Government appropriated fifty thousand (50,000) dollars and the State of Pennsylvania, by an Act of Assembly approved the fourteenth day of June, 1911, twenty-five thousand (25,000) dollars with which to defray part of the expenses of this Congress; therefore,

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the sum of fifty thousand (50,000) dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, be, and the same is hereby appropriated to

the Finance Committee of the Organizing Commission of the Twelfth International Congress of Navigation (which Commission was appointed by his Honor, the Mayor), to supplement the Federal appropriation of fifty thousand (50,000) dollars and the State appropriation of twenty-five thousand (25,000) dollars, in defraying the proper and necessary expenses of the forthcoming Twelfth International Congress of Navigation, to be held in the City of Philadelphia during the year 1912.

APPENDIX No. 60.

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR.

Philadelphia, February 29, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—I have the honor of transmitting to you herewith an ordinance, prepared by the Department of Supplies, for additional appropriations for the year 1912; these appropriations to be taken out of the two million dollars and upwards brought forward from 1911, as reported by City Controller Walton.

I also enclose a letter received from Director Loeb, of the Department of Supplies.

Will you kindly give this request due consideration, as there is an urgent necessity for many of the items.

Very respectfully yours,

RUDOLPH BLANKENBURG,

Mayor.

Philadelphia, February 29, 1912.

HON. RUDOLPH BLANKENBURG,

Mayor of the City of Philadelphia.

MY DEAR MAYOR:—I send you herewith an ordinance for an additional appropriation to this Department for the

balance of the year 1912. This is to be taken out of the two million and odd dollars brought forward from 1911, as reported by City Controller Walton.

I would also call your attention to the new form of the ordinance, as it provides for Department Items of appropriation instead of, as heretofore, by Bureau Items of appropriation. This is in accordance with the suggestion which I have made to you in my previous reports.

Very truly yours,

HERMAN LOEB,

Director.

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AN ORDINANCE

To make an additional appropriation to the Department of Supplies, for the year 1912.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the sum of one million one hundred thousand (1,100,000) dollars be, and the same is hereby appropriated to the Department of Supplies, for the year 1912.

Director's Office.

Of the amount appropriated to this Department, the sum of seven thousand five hundred (7,500) dollars is for the expenses of the Director's Office, as follows:

Item 1. For stationery, postage, printing, advertising, meals for regular employees on extra or night work, keep of horse and vehicle, not exceeding four hundred (400) dollars, seven thousand five hundred (7,500) dollars.

SECT. 2. Of the amount appropriated to this Department, the sum of twenty-four thousand (24,000) dollars is for the expenses of the Mayor, Civil Service Commission, Law Department and Receiver of Taxes, as follows:

Mayor's Office.

Item 1. For printing the Mayor's Annual Message and accompanying documents, and stationery, printing and supplies, seven thousand (7,000) dollars.

Item 2. To the Board of Trustees for the promotion and maintenance of a Free Library, for general supplies and materials for maintenance, two thousand five hundred (2,500) dollars.

Item 3. To the Board of Trustees of the Philadelphia Museums, for general supplies and materials for maintenance, four thousand (4,000) dollars.

Item 4. For coal, five hundred (500) dollars.

Item 4½. For coal used in the Philadelphia Museums on account of the Department of Public Health and Charities, one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Civil Service Commission.

Item 5. For stationery, printing and supplies, one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Law.

Item 6. For blank books, stationery, printing and supplies, three thousand (3,000) dollars.

Receiver of Taxes.

Item 7. For blank books, stationery, printing, rebinding books, and supplies for main and branch offices, five thousand (5,000) dollars.

Public Health and Charities.

SECT. 3. Of the amount appropriated to this Department, the sum of two hundred and eighty-five thousand (285,000) dollars is for the expenses of the Department of Public Health and Charities, as follows:

Item 1. For edibles, one hundred thousand (100,000) dollars.

Item 2. For general supplies and materials for maintenance, one hundred and three thousand (103,000) dollars.

Item 3. For forage and live stock, ten thousand (10,000) dollars.

Item 4. For coal, fifty thousand (50,000) dollars.

Item 5. For flour, five thousand (5,000) dollars.

Item 6. For milk and cream, seventeen thousand (17,000) dollars.

Public Safety.

SECT. 4. Of the amount appropriated to this Department, the sum of one hundred and seventy-five thousand nine hundred (175,900) dollars is for the expenses of the Department of Public Safety, as follows:

Item 1. For edibles, seven thousand five hundred (7,500) dollars.

Item 2. For general supplies and materials for maintenance, one hundred and seven thousand four hundred (107,400) dollars.

Item 3. For forage and live stock, thirty thousand (30,000) dollars.

Item 4. For coal, thirty thousand (30,000) dollars.

Item 5. For flour, one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Public Works.

SECT. 5. Of the amount appropriated to this Department, the sum of five hundred and ninety-four thousand (594,000) dollars is for the expenses of the Department of Public Works, as follows:

Item 1. For general supplies and materials for maintenance, one hundred and thirteen thousand (113,000) dollars.

Item 2. For forage and live stock, six thousand (6,000) dollars.

Item 3. For coal, three hundred and fifty thousand (350,000) dollars.

Item 4. For oils and bi-products, fifteen thousand (15,000) dollars.

Item 5. For gum goods and packing, ten thousand (10,000) dollars.

Item 6. For iron water pipe and pig lead, one hundred thousand (100,000) dollars.

Wharves, Docks and Ferries.

SECT. 6. Of the amount appropriated to this Department, the sum of thirteen thousand six hundred (13,600) dollars is for the expenses of the Department of Wharves, Docks and Ferries, as follows:

Item 1. For edibles, three thousand four hundred (3,400) dollars.

Item 2. For general supplies and materials for maintenance, four thousand two hundred (4,200) dollars.

Item 3. For coal, six thousand (6,000) dollars.

SECT. 7. That the Director of the Department of Supplies shall be allowed, when it is in his judgment for the best interests of the City, to purchase or contract, without advertising, bills for the various Departments, not exceeding one hundred (100) dollars.

All bids shall be opened and all contracts awarded in the presence of the Committee on Printing and Supplies of Councils.

Provided, All employees in this Department now or hereafter employed shall be citizens of the United States and bona fide residents of this City at least one year prior to their employment, and shall remain said bona fide residents during such employment.

APPENDIX No. 61.

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR.

Philadelphia, February 29, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—I have the honor of enclosing herewith a letter from Morris L. Cooke, Esq., Director of the Department of Public Works, asking for an appropriation of two hundred and two thousand four hundred (202,400) dollars for the maintenance of macadam and country roads.

The letter explains itself. I would request your prompt consideration of this request.

Respectfully yours,

RUDOLPH BLANKENBURG,

Mayor.

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DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

Philadelphia, February 29, 1912.

HON. RUDOLPH BLANKENBURG,

Mayor of the City of Philadelphia.

MY DEAR SIR:—There is an urgent necessity that the ordinance introduced at the last session of Councils, appropriating \$202,400 for the maintenance of macadam and country roads, should be passed at the first possible opportunity. There is no other object of expenditure under the direction of this Department that is more pressing.

I need not remind you of the present condition of our unpaved streets and roads. Repairs to them can best be made in the spring of the year. Many of these roads are in such condition that accidents may at any time occur,

and owing to the lack of care they have received in the immediate past, they are at a point where it is absolutely necessary to spend money on them at once, in order to keep them from falling much below their present level.

Mr. Connell, who is one of the country's experts on the building and maintenance of thoroughfares of this class, takes up his work to-morrow as Chief of the Bureau of Highways, and it is important that funds be immediately placed at the disposal of the Department for making a beginning on this work. I feel warranted in assuring you that if City Councils will pass this ordinance at once, in expending the funds appropriated the Department will obtain as fair value as is obtained for this kind of work in any city in this country.

At a time when the improvement of roads of this class has been a matter of international interest, and while our mileage has grown very rapidly, our appropriations have as steadily dwindled.

A tabulation of all the moneys expended on country roads for maintenance, resurfacing, new surfacing and sprinkling, shows that the average prior to 1905 was \$475,000 per annum; between 1905-1909 it was \$265,000, and since then \$170,000 annually. Even this poor showing is misleading, because, on the item of maintenance alone, the appropriations prior to 1905 were \$245,000 per annum; from 1905-1909 it was \$130,000, and in the last two years \$45,000. I think it safe to say that no other municipality in this country has spent proportionately less for this object in the last few years than has Philadelphia.

From the correspondence in this Department, I am led to believe that there is no other single object of expenditure that appeals more strongly to our citizens than this ordinance appropriating approximately \$200,000, which can be immediately spent under favorable auspices for starting the campaign for better macadam and country roads, and keep Philadelphia abreast with the best thought in all up-to-date modern communities.

Moneys for this purpose should obviously not come

out of a loan, and as funds are now available for the purpose, there seems to be every reason for urging Councils to act favorably on this much needed improvement.

Yours very sincerely,

M. L. COOKE,

Director.

APPENDIX No. 62.

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR.

Philadelphia, February 29, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—I have the honor of transmitting herewith a letter received from Alba B. Johnson, Esq., in *re* the Lemon Hill Association, regarding a pavilion which they have occupied for a number of years. Will you kindly give his recommendation due consideration? The work done by this non-sectarian organization is excellent and should have all the support possible.

Respectfully yours,

RUDOLPH BLANKENBURG,

Mayor.

Philadelphia, January 23, 1912,

HON. RUDOLPH BLANKENBURG,
Mayor of the City of Philadelphia.

DEAR SIR:—I write to confirm the interview which the Rev. James B. Ely and I had with you yesterday.

The non-sectarian Christian work of the Lemon Hill Association began ten years ago, and since then religious services have been conducted at Lemon Hill during the summer months of each year. The Sunday meetings

have grown to an average attendance of 5,000 per week. For the past seven years the poor children of the City have been conducted to Lemon Hill in special trolley cars on Saturday afternoons during the summer months, provided with ice cream and cake, and led in a patriotic Christian service. About 300 volunteer workers participate in this work.

The Fairmount Park Commission has generously permitted us to utilize the music pavilion for these meetings. The pavilion is without covering to protect audiences from the heat of the sun and from storms. At our own expense we have, as often as necessary, erected a canvas covering over the pavilion, the benefit of which not only accrues to us, but to those who attend the concerts given in the pavilion during the week. The pavilion, however, is unfortunately situated for musical concerts, or for any other purpose, because it is close to the tracks of the Philadelphia and Reading and Baltimore and Ohio Railroads, whose locomotives are constantly passing, when it is impossible to hear either music or the sound of a speaker's voice.

I realize that it is no part of the duty of the City to provide places of worship for the people, and I do not suggest any expenditure for this object alone. The construction of a music pavilion at Lemon Hill was proper, to enable the people to secure the maximum benefit from Fairmount Park, and if this expenditure was a proper one, it is also proper that the pavilion should be provided with a roof to shelter those using it from sun and storm.

I therefore take the liberty of requesting that due consideration should be given to providing, at the cost of the City, a suitable roof for the Lemon Hill pavilion. If this should lead to the conclusion that the present position of the pavilion is unsuitable, and that a new pavilion could be constructed at very little increased cost over that for providing a roof for the present pavilion, then I suggest that consideration should be given to a site further to the west, on that part of Lemon Hill overlooking the river, and away from the noises of the railroads.

The continued use of this pavilion for the services of the Lemon Hill Association is of untold benefit to great numbers of people, as it is estimated that one hundred thousand persons gather each season at Lemon Hill, both for the non-sectarian services and for the musical concerts given during the week. Should it appear to be desirable to erect a new structure, I recommend that such building should be of sufficient size to accommodate at least four thousand people.

If I have not fully covered the matter, I shall be glad to supplement the above with any further information desired.

Thanking you in advance for your kind consideration of the subject, I remain,

Very truly yours,

ALBA B. JOHNSON,

Chairman, Lemon Hill Committee.

APPENDIX No. 63.

RESOLUTION

To appoint a Special Committee of five members of Select and Common Councils to consider the wisdom of changing the form in which ordinances, and especially those embodying appropriations of the public moneys, are now printed and presented to Councils.

Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That a Special Committee of five members of said Select and Common Councils shall be appointed by the Presidents to consider the wisdom of changing the form in which ordinances, and especially those embodying appropriations of the public moneys, are now printed and presented to Councils, and to report at the earliest practical moment.

APPENDIX No. 64.

RESOLUTION

Of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to consider the advisability and cost of installing a high pressure fire main system in the mill district of the Twenty-first Ward.

Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the Director of the Department of Public Works be requested to consider the advisability and cost of installing a high pressure fire main system in the mill district of the Twenty-first Ward, and report to these Councils the result of such investigation.

APPENDIX No. 65.

RESOLUTION

Of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to consider the advisability and cost of installing a high pressure fire main system in the mill district of the Thirty-eighth Ward.

Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the Director of the Department of Public Works be requested to consider the advisability and cost of installing a high pressure fire main system in the mill district of the Thirty-eighth Ward, and report to these Councils the result of such investigation.

APPENDIX No. 66.

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR.

Philadelphia, March 7, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—I herewith transmit to you a letter and ordinance, prepared by the Department of Supplies, for your consideration.

I trust that you will see your way clear to grant the request of the Director of the Department of Supplies.

Yours respectfully,
RUDOLPH BLANKENBURG,
Mayor.

DEPARTMENT OF SUPPLIES.

Philadelphia, February 19, 1912.

HON. RUDOLPH BLANKENBURG,
Mayor of the City of Philadelphia.

DEAR MAYOR:—I herewith forward an ordinance to make an additional appropriation of \$600 to the Department of Supplies, for the year 1912, and ask that you kindly urge Councils of the necessity for immediate action upon the same, as it is to be used in purchasing apparatus, chemicals and materials incident to the tests in the laboratory of the Bureau of Surveys, the use of which has been very kindly tendered to this Department.

Very truly yours,
HERMAN LOEB,
Director.

AN ORDINANCE

To make an additional appropriation to the Department of Supplies, for the year 1912.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the sum of six hundred (600) dollars be and the same is hereby appropriated to the Department of Supplies, for the year 1912, viz.: Department of Public Works (Bureau of Surveys): To Item 13½ (new), for chemicals, apparatus, and supplies for the Testing Laboratory, six hundred (600) dollars.

APPENDIX No. 67.

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR.

Philadelphia, March 7, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—I have the honor to present to you herewith “An Ordinance to make an additional appropriation to the Civil Service Commission, for the year 1912,” having carefully examined their request.

I recommend an early passage of this ordinance. The Board has already exhausted the item of \$500 for stamps and incidentals, and has no money to buy postage stamps at the present time.

I would ask your Honorable Bodies to give a hearing to Frank M. Riter, Esq., President of the Board, who will explain to you in detail the urgent necessity of passing this ordinance.

Respectfully yours,

RUDOLPH BLANKENBURG,

Mayor.

AN ORDINANCE

To make an additional appropriation to the Civil Service Commission, for the year 1912.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the sum of eleven thousand one hundred and forty-five (11,145) dollars be, and the same is hereby appropriated to the Civil Service Commission, for the balance of the year 1912.

Item 2. For salaries: Two assistant examiners, at the rate of one thousand eight hundred (1,800) dollars each per annum, from April 1, 1912, two thousand seven hundred (2,700) dollars; two clerks or stenographers, at the rate of one thousand (1,000) dollars each per annum, from April 1, 1912, one thousand five hundred (1,500) dollars; three clerks or stenographers, at the rate of seven hundred and twenty (720) dollars each per annum, from April 1, 1912, one thousand six hundred and twenty (1,620) dollars; one medical examiner, at the rate of one thousand six hundred (1,600) dollars per annum, from April 1, 1912, one thousand two hundred (1,200) dollars; one assistant to the medical examiner, at the rate of nine hundred (900) dollars per annum, from April 1, 1912, six hundred and seventy-five (675) dollars; one investigator, at the rate of one thousand two hundred (1,200) dollars per annum, from April 1, 1912, nine hundred (900) dollars.

Item 3. Advertising, extra clerk hire, repairs, alterations, postage, experts' services, incidentals and apparatus, two thousand five hundred and fifty (2,550) dollars.

And warrants to be drawn by the President of the Civil Service Commission in conformity with existing ordinances.

All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith be, and the same are hereby repealed.

APPENDIX No. 68.

Philadelphia, March 7, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which were referred sundry bills and communications, relative to additional appropriations to the various Bureaus in the Departments of Public Safety, Public Works, Supplies, Mayor, Clerks of Councils, Coroner and Register of Wills, for the year 1912, respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

John P. Connelly (*Ch'n*), Robt. S. McElroy, William J. McCloskey, John H. Baizley, John H. Hahn, Thos. J. Morton, G. P. Darrow, E. B. Gleason, Chas. A. Gillingham, E. Buchholz, George D'Autrechy, Louis Hutt, G. W. Kucker, John F. Flaherty, Watson D. Upperman.

AN ORDINANCE

To make additional appropriations to the various Bureaus in the Departments of Public Safety, Public Works, Supplies, Mayor, Clerks of Councils, Coroner, Receiver of Taxes and Register of Wills, for the year 1912.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the sum of one hundred and forty-one thousand seven hundred and fifteen (141,715) dollars and ninty-five (95) cents be, and the same is hereby appropriated to the various Bureaus in the Departments of Public Safety, Public Works, Supplies, Mayor, Clerks of Councils, Coroner, Receiver of Taxes and Register of Wills, for the year 1912, viz.:

Department of Public Safety (Bureau of Police):
To Item 2, for removal of ashes and rubbish, one thou-

sand five hundred (1,500) dollars; Bureau of Fire: To Item 6, for removal of ashes and rubbish, one thousand (1,000) dollars; Bureau of City Property: To Item 13, for labor and other expenses in squares, etc., to be used for removal of ashes and rubbish, five thousand (5,000) dollars; to Item 17, for removing ice and snow from pavements in front of State House Row, public halls and squares, one thousand two hundred (1,200) dollars; to Item 26, for maintenance of City Hall, etc., to be used for removal of ashes and rubbish, seven thousand five hundred (7,500) dollars; to Item 26½ (new), to pay bills of Chas. T. Groswith, for the removal of ashes, rubbish and snow from City Hall, public squares, Morgue and other City property, two thousand six hundred and eighteen (2,618) dollars, and to pay bills of superintendents of public squares for the removal of snow, representing money actually already paid out by said superintendents, two thousand four hundred (2,400) dollars; total, five thousand and eighteen (5,018) dollars.

Department of Public Works (Bureau of Highways): To Item 61, to pay bills of Cunningham Paving and Construction Company, for paving Fountain street, between Ridge avenue and Sheldon street, in names of Frederick Fox, Charles Schaffer, J. Dobson Hagy and William J. Hendren, one thousand three hundred and twenty-nine (1,329) dollars and forty-two (42) cents; to pay bill of Cunningham Paving and Construction Company, for paving Trenton avenue, between Somerset and Cambria streets (right-of-way of the Pennsylvania Railroad), six thousand three hundred and fifteen (6,315) dollars and twenty (20) cents; total, seven thousand six hundred and forty-four (7,644) dollars and sixty-two (62) cents; to Item 16, for improving the water courses in the Twenty-sixth, Thirty-sixth, Thirty-ninth and Fortieth Wards, two thousand five hundred (2,500) dollars. Bureau of Surveys: To Item 13, for construction of branch sewers, etc., eight hundred (800) dollars. Bureau of Water: To Item 25, for extending water main on Penrose Ferry road, from Twentieth street, southwestward, thirteen thousand

(13,000) dollars; and for the purchase of water pipe and accessories, to be laid in Tinicum Island road, from Buist street to south of Ninetieth street, Fortieth Ward, fifteen thousand (15,000) dollars.

Department of Supplies: To Item 1, so as to provide for the salaries of four inspectors, at the rate of one thousand two hundred (1,200) dollars each per annum; confidential clerk, who must be a stenographer and typewriter, at the rate of one thousand two hundred (1,200) dollars per annum; and bookkeeper, at the rate of one thousand (1,000) dollars per annum, said appointments to date from March 1, five thousand eight hundred and thirty-three (5,833) dollars and thirty-three (33) cents. (Mayor): To Item 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ (new), for purchase of chairs for Convention Hall, fifteen thousand (15,000) dollars.

Mayor: To Item 45, to pay commission of Carl P. Berger, architect of temporary Convention Hall, seven thousand three hundred and twenty (7,320) dollars.

Clerks of Councils: To Item 4, for advertising, etc., five hundred (500) dollars; to Item 8, to pay salaries of three office boys, one for Select Council and two for Common Council, one thousand two hundred (1,200) dollars.

Coroner: To Item 2, for stationery, transportation, printing and supplies, three hundred (300) dollars; to Item 5, for witnesses, jury fees and burials, two thousand (2,000) dollars; to Item 7, for keep of horses, etc., four hundred (400) dollars.

Receiver of Taxes: To Item 5, for advertising, etc., four thousand (4,000) dollars; to Item 7, for fuel and lighting, etc., one thousand (1,000) dollars; to Item 9, for salaries of extra clerks, etc., fifteen thousand (15,000) dollars; to Item 13 (new), for transportation, to visit and inspect eight branch offices and thirty-seven deputy collectors' offices, one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Register of Wills: To Item 6 (new), to pay for extensions, alterations, steel cases, office fixtures, electric light fixtures, twenty-eight thousand (28,000) dollars.

APPENDIX No. 69.

Philadelphia, March 7, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which were referred sundry bills and communications, relative to additional appropriations to the various Bureaus in the Department of Public Safety, Public Works, Public Health and Charities, Supplies, City Commissioners, City Controller, Clerks of Councils, Law and Prothonotary, to pay bills for materials and supplies furnished and incurred prior to January 1, 1912," respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

John P. Connelly (*Ch'n*), Robt. S. McElroy, William J. McCloskey, John H. Baizley, John H. Hahn, Thos. J. Morton, G. P. Darrow, E. B. Gleason, Chas. A. Gillingham, E. Buchholz, George D'Autrechy, Louis Hutt, G. W. Kucker, John F. Flaherty, H. J. Trainer, Watson D. Upperman.

AN ORDINANCE

To make additional appropriations to the various Bureaus in the Departments of Public Works, Public Safety, Public Health and Charities, Supplies, City Commissioners, City Controller, Clerks of Councils, Law and Prothonotary, to pay bills for supplies and materials furnished and incurred, prior to January 1, 1912.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the sum of seven hundred and sixty-three thousand seven hundred and fifty-one (763,751) dollars and seventy-four (74) cents be, and the same is hereby appropriated to the various Bureaus in the Departments of Public Works, Public Safety, Public Health and Charities, Supplies, City Commis-

sioners, City Controller, Clerks of Councils, Law and Prothonotary, to pay bills for supplies and materials furnished and incurred prior to January 1, 1912, viz.:

Department of Public Works (Director's Office): To Item 1½ (new), to pay bills as follows: North Philadelphia Auto Station, maintenance and repair of automobiles, one hundred and fifty-three (153) dollars and thirty-seven (37) cents; Willard F. Kerr, automobile supplies, fifty-nine (59) dollars and seventy-one (71) cents; Consolidated Rubber Tire Company, tire, sixty-four (64) dollars and twenty-five (25) cents; McKeever Bros., maintenance and repairs to automobiles, two hundred and six (206) dollars and thirty-one (31) cents; American Garage and Machine Shop, repairs to automobiles, two hundred and seventy-eight (278) dollars and sixty (60) cents; total, seven hundred and sixty-two (762) dollars and twenty-four (24) cents. Bureau of Highways: To Item 1½ (new), to pay bills as follows: Vulcanite Paving Company, for repairs to Broad street, from Columbia avenue to Diamond street, eight hundred and sixty-one (861) dollars and thirty-two (32) cents; E. H. Vare, repaving ditches on Market street, three hundred and seventy-two (372) dollars and ninety-five (95) cents; George W. Shisler, repairing ditches, thirty-two (32) dollars and thirty-seven (37) cents; American Paving and Construction Co., repaving ditches, twenty-one (21) dollars and sixty-four (64) cents; Harry Brocklehurst, repaving ditches, three (3) dollars and seventy-seven (77) cents; J. J. McHugh, removing obstructions, fourteen (14) dollars; North Philadelphia Auto Station, repairing automobile, one hundred and eighty-one (181) dollars and twenty-five (25) cents; Philadelphia Item, advertising, thirty-five (35) dollars and twenty-five (25) cents; Philadelphia Inquirer, advertising, one hundred and seventy-nine (179) dollars and twenty-five (25) cents; Barber Asphalt Paving Co., resurfacing Broad street, from South Penn Square to Chestnut street, seven hundred and eighty-nine (789) dollars and seventy-seven (77) cents; J. T. Wood & Son, repairs to bridge, Frankford, four hundred and seventy-nine (479) dollars and fifty-seven (57) cents;

George F. Snyder & Co., repaving adjacent to curved curbing, eleven (11) dollars and seventy-one (71) cents; C. P. O'Connor, repaving ditches, four (4) dollars and fifty-four (54) cents; Cunningham Paving and Construction Co., repaving ditches, four (4) dollars and thirty-two (32) cents; McNichol Paving and Construction Co., repaving ditches, five (5) dollars and forty-six (46) cents; Arthur McGinn, repairs to footways, twenty (20) dollars and twenty-three (23) cents; R. P. Bennis, repairs to roads, eight hundred and fifty-seven (857) dollars and forty-four (44) cents; James Irvin, stoning River road, five hundred and twenty-one (521) dollars and eighty-one (81) cents; Pennsylvania Railroad, repairs to bridge at Seventy-first street, one hundred and ninety-one (191) dollars; Barber Asphalt Paving Co., resurfacing asphalt, fifty-five (55) dollars and ten (10) cents; American Paving and Construction Co., setting curved curb, two (2) dollars and three (3) cents; Deemer & Jaisohn, paper, nine (9) dollars; total, four thousand six hundred and fifty-three (4,653) dollars and seventy-eight (78) cents. Bureau of Water: To Item 11½ (new), to pay bills as follows: Wetzel Mechanical Stoker Co., repair parts and freight for stokers at Lardners Point, two thousand five hundred and thirty-one (2,531) dollars and thirty-one (31) cents; Costello & Seaman, lumber for repairs to Eva street break, three hundred and forty-three (343) dollars and ninety-six (96) cents; I. P. Morris Co., repairs to No. 7 engine at Belmont Pumping Station, six hundred and fifteen (615) dollars and seventy-eight (78) cents; total, three thousand four hundred and ninety-one (3,491) dollars and five (5) cents.

Department of Public Safety (Director's Office): To Item 11½ (new), to pay bills as follows: The Evening Bulletin, advertising, fifty-two (52) dollars and fifty (50) cents; The Philadelphia Inquirer, advertising, one hundred and thirty-two (132) dollars; Deemer & Jaisohn, stationery, forty-four (44) dollars and twenty-five (25) cents; Stephen Green Co., engraving and printing, four hundred and two (402) dollars; Sidney J. Burgoyne, stationery, twenty-two (22) dollars and ninety (90) cents;

Standard Tire Protector Co., tire protectors, eighty-one (81) dollars and fifty-one (51) cents; Dunlap Printing Co., printing postal cards, etc., three hundred and twenty-five (325) dollars; Gans Bros., stationery, forty (40) dollars; Automobile Sales Corporation, repairs to automobile, one hundred and twenty (120) dollars and twenty-five (25) cents; North Philadelphia Automobile Station, repairs to automobile and storage, one hundred and fifty-two (152) dollars and ninety-eight (98) cents; Pennsylvania Taximeter Cab Co., automobile hire, thirty-four (34) dollars and fifty (50) cents; Bergdoll Motor Car Co., automobile hire, five (5) dollars and seventy (70) cents; total, one thousand four hundred and thirteen (1,413) dollars and fifty-nine (59) cents. (Bureau of Fire); To Item 1½ (new), to pay bills as follows: Charles T. Groswith, removing ashes, two hundred and sixty-two (262) dollars and eighty (80) cents; Philadelphia Electric Co., wire and cable, three hundred and twenty-nine (329) dollars and seventy-eight (78) cents; Albert Murphy, horseshoeing, forty-eight (48) dollars and eighty-one (81) cents; total, six hundred and forty-one (641) dollars and thirty-nine (39) cents. (Electrical Bureau); To Item 1½ (new), to pay bills as follows: W. C. Kirk & Co., coal, three (3) dollars and forty (40) cents; Chas. M. Sheldrake, disks for Jenkkin valves and water gauge glasses, four (4) dollars and twenty-six (26) cents; Keystone Telephone Co., telephone service, eighty-four (84) dollars and sixty-seven (67) cents; Western Electric Co., switching keys and transmitters, ten (10) dollars and fifteen (15) cents; Richard Levick's Sons & Co., valves, nine (9) dollars and seventy-three (73) cents; The Babcock & Wilcox Company, tubes and cartage, twenty-seven (27) dollars and thirty-five (35) cents; American Gas Fixture Works, portable fixtures, twenty-nine (29) dollars and ten (10) cents; Patrick Carter and Wilkins Co., elevator pushes, one hundred and thirty-seven (137) dollars and twenty-four (24) cents; J. S. Borgenski, holly shades, etc., three (3) dollars and forty-five (45) cents; Philadelphia Electric Co., cable, one hundred and forty-four (144) dollars; Walker

& Kepler, electrical supplies furnished in 1910 and 1911; and wire and fuses, four hundred and thirty-five (435) dollars and fifty-one (51) cents; total, eight hundred and eighty-eight (888) dollars and eighty-six (86) cents. (Bureau of City Property): To Item 1½ (new), to pay bills as follows: A. Hayes & Co., plumbing repairs to Thirty-seventh District Police Station, seventeen (17) dollars and twenty (20) cents; Peter Finn, repairs to stove, and headlight oil, Otis Street Recreation Pier, two (2) dollars and five (5) cents; Samuel Dudgeon, repairs to clocks: Town Hall, City Hall, Independence Hall and South Second Street Market, three hundred and twenty-nine (329) dollars; Chas. M. Sheldrake, plumbing repairs, Twenty-first District Police Station, plumbing materials, City Hall, steam heating plants and repairs thereto in Thirty-fourth, Thirty-second, Twenty-second, Fifth, Sixth, Twenty-seventh, Thirty-eighth, Twenty-sixth, Thirteenth, Eighth and Fourteenth District Police Stations and City Hall, twelve thousand and twenty-seven (12,027) dollars and eighty-one (81) cents; Chas. T. Groswith, hauling ashes and rubbish from City Hall, eight hundred and eleven (811) dollars and eighty (80) cents; John C. Lewis, car fare of workmen, fifty-three (53) dollars and sixty-five (65) cents; Bureau of Correction, gas—police and fire stations, ninety-nine (99) dollars and sixty (60) cents; Sonntags Journal, advertising, eight (8) dollars and ten (10) cents; Philadelphia Tageblatt, advertising, eight (8) dollars and sixty (60) cents; Evening Telegraph, advertising, thirty-six (36) dollars; The Press Company, advertising, twenty-two (22) dollars and eighty (80) cents; The North American, advertising, thirty-nine (39) dollars; Philadelphia Inquirer, advertising, thirty-seven (37) dollars; German Daily Gazette, advertising, thirty-one (31) dollars and twenty-five (25) cents; Andrew F. O'Connell, trap rock screenings, Clark Park, four hundred and twenty-four (424) dollars and sixty (60) cents; George Harbison, services from December 4 to December 30, 1911, inclusive, carpenter, City Hall, eighty-six (86) dollars and forty (40) cents; Andrew R. Snyder, rent of

Twenty-third District Police Station, Twentieth and Nicholas streets, for the year 1911, seven hundred (700) dollars; Philadelphia Electric Co., lighting the armories of Second Regiment, Troop G, Troop A and headquarters of Cavalry Battalion, from January 1, to January 11, 1912, inclusive, forty-nine (49) dollars and sixty-six (66) cents; total, fourteen thousand seven hundred and eighty-four (14,784) dollars and fifty-two (52) cents. (Bureau of Police); To Item 1½ (new), to pay bills as follows: Goodyear Tire and Rubber Co., tires for Eighth District patrol wagon, seventy-six (76) dollars and sixteen (16) cents; Philadelphia Air Brake and Machine Co., labor and repairs to automobile for Chief Surgeon, seventeen (17) dollars and fifty-four (54) cents; Charles T. Groswith, removing ashes, one hundred and eighty-one (181) dollars and eighty (80) cents; Chas. Lentz Sons, medical instruments, seventy-two (72) dollars and fifty-five (55) cents; The Bingham Co., printing and stationery, two hundred and sixty-four (264) dollars and twenty-five (25) cents; A. & J. Contole Bros., newspapers, twenty-seven (27) dollars and eighty-eight (88) cents; The Detective Publishing Co., subscription to "The Detective," six copies, one year, six (6) dollars; G. D. Comly laundry (detectives), two (2) dollars and ninety-one (91) cents; J. R. Hathaway, newspapers, thirty-nine (39) dollars and seventy-two (72) cents; Red Cross Antiseptic Telephone Mouthpiece Company, rental of mouthpieces for telephones, one (1) dollar and eighty (80) cents; Anderson Mfg. Co., fuel economizers, eighty-two (82) dollars and fifty (50) cents; Monarch Typewriter Co., repairs to typewriters, three (3) dollars and twenty-five (25) cents; Scott Bros., hauling, thirty (30) dollars; Dr. Hubley R. Owen, postage stamps, ten (10) dollars; J. B. Shannon Hardware Co., hardware and repairs, three hundred and fifty-two (352) dollars and two (2) cents; Brilliant Mfg. Co., street signs, forty-four (44) dollars and eighty (80) cents; Philadelphia Towel Supply and Laundry Co., laundry, tug "Ashbridge," one (1) dollar and seven (7) cents; Rachel Williams, cleaning Nineteenth District Station

House, six (6) dollars and sixty-seven (67) cents; Bernard McCurdy, duck for stretchers, thirty-four (34) dollars; H. Gilbert Cassidy, horseshoeing, thirty-seven (37) dollars and twenty-five (25) cents; H. Gilbert Cassidy, pasturing and horseshoeing, one hundred and eleven (111) dollars and forty-five (45) cents; Fred. White, ambulance service, five (5) dollars; James Gray, horseshoeing twenty (20) dollars and seventy (70) cents; J. L. Wildey, keep of horses, one hundred and ninety-eight (198) dollars; Keim Supply Company, repairs to harness, two hundred and twenty-one (221) dollars and eighty-eight (88) cents; J. C. Clemens, repairs to harness, twenty-six (26) dollars and eighty-five (85) cents; C. N. Hassinger, repairs to harness, one (1) dollar and eighty-five (85) cents; J. D. Conner, repairs to harness, seven (7) dollars and sixty (60) cents; M. J. Heavey, repairs to mattresses, one hundred and seventy (170) dollars; Anthony Quigley, storage of automobile and materials, fifty (50) dollars and seventy-five (75) cents; Henry Petri, storage of automobile and materials, one hundred and ninety-four (194) dollars and three (3) cents; W. W. Hodgson, gasoline, one hundred and three (103) dollars and ninety-six (96) cents; Chas. K. Smith, lubricating oil, fifteen (15) dollars and sixty (60) cents; The Lyman Tire and Rubber Co., tires and repairs, seventy-eight (78) dollars and seventy (70) cents; Park Garage, towing automobile, six (6) dollars; Colonial Automobile Co., storage of automobile and materials, thirty-six (36) dollars and thirty-five (35) cents; Firestone Tire and Rubber Co., repairs to tires, four (4) dollars and seventy-five (75) cents; Liberty Motor Car Co., repairs to automobile, one (1) dollar and sixty (60) cents; Keim Supply Co., automobile materials, thirty-six (36) dollars and fifty-four (54) cents; Bell Telephone Co., telephone service, forty-six (46) dollars and five (5) cents; Keystone Co., telephone service two (2) dollars and ninety-five (95) cents; American Telephone and Telegraph Co., telephone service, eight (8) dollars and twenty-five (25) cents; Auto Equipment Co., repairs to automobile, forty (40) dollars and fifty-seven (57) cents; Dr. C. S. Potts,

examination of patrolmen, three (3) dollars; United Gas Improvement Co., gas for fuel purposes, fifty-two (52) dollars; Walter Gilbert, incidentals, five (5) dollars and sixty (60) cents; Philadelphia Electric Co., charging storage batteries for electric automobile patrol, one hundred and thirty-eight (138) dollars and forty-seven (47) cents; Chas A. McLaughlin, postage stamps, thirty (30) dollars; to pay bills for medical attendance at station houses: James G. Murfin, thirteen (13) dollars; M. L. Levitt, thirty-one (31) dollars; N. A. Hornstein, seventy-two (72) dollars; W. C. Ryon, four hundred and thirty-five (435) dollars; J. G. Williams, two hundred and twenty-three (223) dollars; John H. Egan, one hundred and thirty-eight (138) dollars; Wm. McIntosh, sixty (60) dollars; T. A. O'Brien, two hundred and fifty-three (253) dollars; John Wanamaker, 3d, one hundred and twenty-five (125) dollars; Harry W. Weyant, ninety-one (91) dollars; Samuel J. Ottinger, one hundred and forty (140) dollars; David Custer, four (4) dollars; Chas. A. Currie, four (4) dollars; George B. Hanna, eighty-one (81) dollars; T. J. Ellinger, twenty-two (22) dollars; A. F. Allman, thirty-eight (38) dollars; R. B. Judge, one hundred and three (103) dollars; Carl Weiland, twelve (12) dollars; Henry A. Newbold, eighteen (18) dollars; Chas. E. Bricker, ninety-three (93) dollars; W. H. Ziegler, twenty-eight (28) dollars; Geo. Sinnamen, forty-seven (47) dollars; C. J. Lewis, twenty (20) dollars; F. B. Hancock, seventy (70) dollars; S. P. Manship, seventeen (17) dollars; Chas. E. Britt, twenty-nine (29) dollars; W. W. Weaver, thirty-four (34) dollars; Wm. F. Morrison, three hundred and one (301) dollars; W. H. Good, four (4) dollars; Jos. A. Rainville, ten (10) dollars; Morgan Katz, seven (7) dollars; Benj. L. Gordon, thirty-six (36) dollars; Robert McCreight, twenty-six (26) dollars; W. T. Ellis, thirty-two (32) dollars; Max F. Herrman, twenty-five (25) dollars; to pay bills for meals served to prisoners at station houses: Mrs. Lena Eckhardt, fourteen (14) dollars and fifty (50) cents; Mrs. Gross, fourteen (14) dollars and fifty (50) cents; Mrs. Patrick Duffy,

seven (7) dollars and twenty-five (25) cents; D. Maloney, five (5) dollars; Mrs. Kate Brown, twenty-four (24) dollars; Gus. S. Schneewis, six (6) dollars and fifty (50) cents; Elizabeth Sands, fifty-seven (57) dollars and twenty-five (25) cents; Mrs. McManus, sixteen (16) dollars and twenty-five (25) cents; Mrs. Celia Wilson, seven (7) dollars and seventy-five (75) cents; Otto Wolf, seven (7) dollars and twenty-five (25) cents; Mrs. Herman Kohl, twenty-one (21) dollars; Johanna Merkle, forty (40) dollars and seventy-five (75) cents; S. W. Deal, fourteen (14) dollars; Mrs. Mary Dean, thirty-two (32) dollars and twenty-five (25) cents; Mrs. Maggie Troop, fourteen (14) dollars; John Svenson, eight (8) dollars and fifty (50) cents; Harry Myers, one (1) dollar and seventy-five (75) cents; Jos. E. Allen, thirteen (13) dollars; D. E. Horner, thirty-six (36) dollars and seventy-five (75) cents; James Brennan, nine (9) dollars; Bretton Reid, three (3) dollars and fifty (50) cents; Charles Koch, two (2) dollars and seventy-five (75) cents; Kate Paul, thirty (30) dollars and twenty-five (25) cents; Mrs. Ristine, six (6) dollars and seventy-five (75) cents; Jane Bertsch, four (4) dollars; Augustus Mungesser, ten (10) dollars and seventy-five (75) cents; Mary Heddleston, six (6) dollars; Mrs. Thos. McConnell, nineteen (19) dollars; Elwood J. Brown, forty-one (41) dollars and fifty (50) cents; Salvatore Mangione, five (5) dollars and seventy-five (75) cents; Jos. Peterkin, ten (10) dollars and fifty (50) cents; R. B. Strunk, one (1) dollar; Tillie Curran, five (5) dollars and twenty-five (25) cents; Wm. Shoemaker, eight (8) dollars and seventy-five (75) cents; Mrs. Lettie Copple, three (3) dollars and fifty (50) cents; Thomas Denton, three (3) dollars and seventy-five (75) cents; C. Leiber, two hundred and sixteen (216) dollars and seventy-five (75) cents; Western Union Telegraph Co., telegraph and messenger service, one hundred and eight (108) dollars and one (1) cent; Richard F. Taylor, medical attendance at station houses, five hundred and sixty-one (561) dollars; total, six thousand nine hundred and fifty-two (6,952) dollars and sixty-eight (68) cents.

Department of Public Health and Charities (Director's Office): To Item $1\frac{1}{2}$, to pay bill of Postal Telegraph Co., messages, one (1) dollar and sixty-nine (69) cents. (Bureau of Health): To Item $1\frac{1}{2}$, to pay bills as follows: Western Union Telegraph Co., messages, fifty (50) cents; Bell Telephone Co., calls, twelve (12) dollars and thirty (30) cents; Keystone Telephone Co., calls, two (2) dollars and nine (9) cents; Harry S. Ashton, horseshoeing, thirty-five (35) dollars; John F. Cummings, horseshoeing, five (5) dollars; James Gray, horseshoeing, ten (10) dollars and forty-five (45) cents; George Hazlett, horseshoeing, forty-five (45) dollars; W. S. Jamison, horseshoeing, twelve (12) dollars; Albert Kohler, repairs to wagons, thirty-six (36) dollars and seventy (70) cents; Keim Supply Co., repairs to autos and harness, eighty (80) dollars and eighteen (18) cents; A. Schnltz, horseshoeing, one hundred and thirty-three (133) dollars; The Fisk Rubber Co., repairs to autos, ninety-one (91) dollars and thirteen (13) cents; A. Smith & Son, seventy-two (72) dollars; Bernstein Manufacturing Co., one hundred and twelve (112) dollars; Joseph N. Snellenburg, beds, etc., three hundred and fifty-two (352) dollars and sixty (60) cents; The Autocar Co., repairs to autos, twenty-three (23) dollars and fifty-two (52) cents; total, one thousand and twenty-three (1,023) dollars and forty-seven (47) cents. (Bureau of Charities): To Item $1\frac{1}{2}$ (new), to pay bills as follows: George B. Clopp, locker, fifty (50) dollars; George B. Clopp, blue prints, one (1) dollar and eighty (80) cents; Joseph N. Snellenburg, chairs, four hundred and seventeen (417) dollars and thirteen (13) cents; Philadelphia Demokrat, advertising, one hundred and twenty-three (123) dollars; Evening Telegraph, advertising, eighty-four (84) dollars; Evening Bulletin, advertising, seventy-three (73) dollars and fifty (50) cents; Philadelphia Tageblatt, advertising, sixty-seven (67) dollars and twenty (20) cents; Public Ledger, advertising, fifty-two (52) dollars and twenty (20) cents; German Daily Gazette, advertising, fifty-one (51) dollars and one (1) cent; Philadelphia Record, advertising, forty-

two (42) dollars; Philadelphia Inquirer, advertising, thirty-five (35) dollars and twenty-five (25) cents; Sunday Dispatch, advertising, thirty-three (33) dollars and forty (40) cents; Evening Times, advertising, twenty-six (26) dollars and ten (10) cents; Schiller & Company, repairing engine, forty-five (45) dollars and sixty-one (61) cents; Babcock & Wilcox Co., repair tubes and new tubes, forty-one (41) dollars and ninety-eight (98) cents; H. R. Nolte, medicine, sixty-eight (68) dollars and eighty-one (81) cents; George T. Lambert, medicine, ten (10) dollars and nineteen (19) cents; Wills-Jones, milk, forty-eight (48) dollars; Supplee Alderney Dairy, milk, thirty-seven (37) dollars and ninety-two (92) cents; Showell, Fryer Co., marketing, eighty-nine (89) dollars and three (3) cents; H. K. Mulford, thirty-eight (38) dollars and forty-two (42) cents; Charles H. Elliott Co., four (4) dollars; Fleck Bros. Co., lavatories, sinks, two hundred and ninety-four (294) dollars; Strawbrige & Clothier, chairs, towel bar, seventeen (17) dollars and fifteen (15) cents; Baugh & Sons Co., fertilizer, eighty-four (84) dollars and sixty (60) cents; Anchor Co., hose, etc., four (4) dollars and sixty-six (66) cents; Bridgman Bros. Co., bushings, three (3) dollars and eighty-two (82) cents; total, one thousand eight hundred and forty-four (1,844) dollars and seventy-eight (78) cents.

Department of Supplies (Director's Office): To Item 11½ (new) to pay bills as follows: Philadelphia Inquirer, advertising, one hundred and eighty (180) dollars; The Bingham Co., printed blanks, etc., five hundred and thirty (530) dollars and ten (10) cents; Clean Towel Supply Co., towel service, twenty-eight (28) dollars and thirty-two (32) cents; Dunlap Printing Co., printed blanks, books, etc., five thousand four hundred and eighty-eight (5,488) dollars; Walker & Kepler, repairing fan, five (5) dollars and seventy-five (75) cents; Jos. N. Snellenburg, repairing chairs, three (3) dollars and twenty-five (25) cents; Chas. W. Neeld & Co., twine, two (2) dollars and ninety-seven (97) cents; McCann Ice Co., ice, nine (9) dollars and eleven (11) cents; (Mayor): Dunlap Print-

ing Co., furnishing Mayor's Annual Message and accompanying documents, and printing, stationery, etc., six thousand six hundred and three (6,603) dollars and forty-nine (49) cents; Albert Anderman, printed blanks, etc., two hundred and seventy (270) dollars and fifty-three (53) cents; Deemer & Jaisohn, stationery, eighty-six (86) dollars and seventy (70) cents; John Wanamaker, paper, five (5) dollars and twenty-two (22) cents; E. A. Wright Bank Note Co., steel plates, four hundred (400) dollars; Jos. N. Snellenburg, linoleum, etc., one hundred and ninety-four (194) dollars and forty-four (44) cents; Welsbach Co., gas mantels, etc., four hundred and thirty-seven (437) dollars and fifty-two (52) cents; J. Tritsch & Co., cleaning supplies, one hundred and thirty-one (131) dollars and seven (7) cents; Chas. W. Neeld & Co., hampers, etc., one hundred and fourteen (114) dollars and thirty-six (36) cents; Henry F. Michell Co., seeds, etc., one hundred and seventeen (117) dollars and thirty (30) cents; Underwood Typewriter Co., typewriters, two hundred and one (201) dollars and seventy-five (75) cents; Walker & Kepler, pneumatic cleaner, etc., one hundred and seventy-six (176) dollars and sixteen (16) cents; Clean Towel Supply Co., towel service, three hundred and fifty-four (354) dollars and seventy-two (72) cents; The Bingham Co., stationery, etc., three hundred and four (304) dollars and sixty-nine (69) cents; Smith & Holthaus, coal, one hundred and sixty-three (163) dollars and fifty (50) cents; W. C. Kirk & Co., coal, two hundred (200) dollars; Clayton L. Tunis, coal, four hundred and eight (408) dollars and one (1) cent; Robt. Henderson & Co., coal, nine hundred and two (902) dollars and seven (7) cents; Edward Connor, coal, eighty-nine (89) dollars and fifteen (15) cents; American Ice Co., ice, nine hundred and sixty-eight (968) dollars and thirty-four (34) cents; Jacob Reed's Sons, uniforms, two hundred and twenty-five (225) dollars; Walter J. Crowder, coal, one hundred and eighteen (118) dollars and seventy-five (75) cents; Peoples Bros., bricks, one hundred and sixty-one (161) dollars; Remington Typewriter Co., typewriters, three

hundred and forty-three (343) dollars and eighty (80) cents; McArdle & Cooney, cocks, etc., five (5) dollars and fifty-eight (58) cents; B. Rowland & Bro. (1910), coal, fifty (50) dollars and seventy (70) cents; Black Diamond Coal Co. (1910), coal, one thousand nine hundred and six (1,906) dollars and fifty-five (55) cents; (Civil Service Commission): T. J. Milner, printing, five (5) dollars and fifty (50) cents; The Bingham Co., stationery, etc., eighty-four (84) dollars and fifty-two (52) cents; Albert Anderman, stationery, etc., six hundred and sixty-nine (669) dollars and twenty-three (23) cents; Dunlap Printing Co., printed blanks, books, etc., eight hundred and fifty-seven (857) dollars and fifty-five (55) cents; Gans Bros., stationery, thirty (30) dollars and twenty-five (25) cents; (Law): L. M. Jones, telephone transmitters, eight (8) dollars and forty (40) cents; Deemer & Jaisohn, binding books, one hundred and eighty-six (186) dollars; E. V. Smith, atlases, one hundred (100) dollars; Munson Supply Co., typewriter keys, seven (7) dollars; Wagner & Coleman, rubber stamps, ten (10) dollars and ninety (90) cents; J. Tritsch & Co., feather dusters, etc., seventeen (17) dollars and sixty-one (61) cents; Shoemaker & Busch, soap powder, two (2) dollars and fifty-five (55) cents; KeeLox Mfg. Co., carbon paper, thirteen (13) dollars and fifty (50) cents; Frank T. Dunlap, soap, etc., two hundred and twenty (220) dollars and seventy-five (75) cents; Albert Anderman, printing, etc., twenty-one (21) dollars and five (5) cents; The Bingham Co., printed books, blanks, stationery, etc., four thousand two hundred and seven (4,207) dollars and one (1) cent; Dunlap Printing Co., paper books, printing, etc., six hundred and forty-nine (649) dollars and ten (10) cents; Chas. W. Neeld & Co., twine, two (2) dollars and ninety-seven (97) cents; John Wanamaker, diaries, etc., three (3) dollars and eighty (80) cents; Gans Bros., fasteners, one (1) dollar and sixty (60) cents; McCann Ice Co., ice, seventeen (17) dollars and twenty-seven (27) cents; (Receiver of Taxes): Geo. W. Gibbons & Sons Co., Inc., printing, fifteen (15) dollars and eighty-eight (88) cents; John S. Strafford, printing, one hundred and

seven (107) dollars and fifty (50) cents; Frank T. Dunlap, soap, etc., fifty-one (51) dollars and seventy-five (75) cents; J. Tritsch & Co., feather dusters, eighty-six (86) dollars and seventy-three (73) cents; The Bingham Co., printed books, blanks, etc., two thousand six hundred and seventy-five (2,675) dollars and thirty-five (35) cents; Albert Anderman, printed books, blanks, etc., one thousand one hundred and forty-six (1,146) dollars and twenty-five (25) cents; James Arnold, printed books, etc., three hundred and forty-seven (347) dollars and twenty (20) cents; Dunlap Printing Co., printed books, blanks, etc., four thousand five hundred and twenty-four (4,524) dollars and seventy-two (72) cents; Jos. N. Snellenburg, furniture, carpets, etc., five hundred and sixteen (516) dollars and five (5) cents; Clean Towel Supply Co., towel service, two hundred and fifty-seven (257) dollars and twenty-eight (28) cents; Anchor Packing Co., rubber mats, six (6) dollars; Smith Premier Typewriter Co., ribbons, four (4) dollars; Shoemaker & Busch, brushes, etc., twenty-eight (28) dollars and fifty-three (53) cents; Wm. H. Hoskins Co., money bands, three (3) dollars and fifty (50) cents; Wales Adding Machine Co., paper, five (5) dollars and seventy-five (75) cents; Deemer & Jaisohn, erasers, eight (8) dollars and sixteen (16) cents; McCann Ice Co., ice, fifty-seven (57) dollars and forty-nine (49) cents; (Health and Charities, Director's Office): Albert Anderman, printing, stationery, etc., two hundred and seventy-two (272) dollars and seventy (70) cents; McCann Ice Co., ice, eighteen (18) dollars and forty-eight (48) cents; Dunlap Printing Co., printed books, blanks, etc., eight hundred and sixty-seven (867) dollars and ninety-five (95) cents; (Health): Clean Towel Supply Co., towel service, four hundred and forty-eight (448) dollars and forty-four (44) cents; McCann Ice Co., ice, two (2) dollars and fifty-six (56) cents; Standard Office and Typewriter Supply Co., oil, two (2) dollars; Albert Anderman, printing, stationery, gummed strips, etc., seven hundred and fourteen (714) dollars and twenty-three (23) cents; James Arnold, books, six (6) dollars; Dunlap Printing Co.,

printed books, blanks, postal cards, etc., two thousand six hundred and thirty-four (2,634) dollars and forty-seven (47) cents; Deemer & Jaisohn, stationery, etc., two hundred and five (205) dollars and fifty (50) cents; The Bingham Co., printed books, blanks, stationery, etc., one thousand two hundred and twenty-three (1,223) dollars and fifty-nine (59) cents; Standard Index Card Co., cards, forty-three (43) dollars and seventy (70) cents; John Wanamaker, ink pads, seventy-eight (78) cents; Shoemaker & Busch, disinfectants, soap, and laboratory supplies, one thousand and forty-four (1,044) dollars and twenty-three (23) cents; Perth Amboy Chemical Co., formaldehyde, three thousand seven hundred and ninety-five (3,795) dollars; Alfred Lowry & Bro., groceries, etc., two thousand two hundred and forty-nine (2,249) dollars and seventy-nine (79) cents; Wm. H. Root, milk and cream, one thousand six hundred and forty-five (1,645) dollars and eighty-eight (88) cents; Roesch Packing Co., meats, etc., three thousand two hundred and seventy-nine (3,279) dollars and ninety-seven (97) cents; Breyer Ice Cream Co., ice cream, six hundred and seventy-four (674) dollars and twelve (12) cents; Kolb's Bakeries, bread, six hundred and eighty-one (681) dollars and one (1) cent; J. B. Leifried, vegetables, eight hundred and fifty-six (856) dollars and forty-five (45) cents; M. P. Howlett, fish and oysters, one hundred and eighty (180) dollars and seventy-nine (79) cents; Philip Hoffman, butter and eggs, seven hundred and ninety-six (796) dollars and seventy (70) cents; The Anchor Packing Co., packing, six hundred and twenty-six (626) dollars and forty-nine (49) cents; Watson & Co., dry goods, etc., one hundred and thirty-seven (137) dollars and sixty (60) cents; Vacuum Oil Co., oil, one hundred and forty-one (141) dollars and eight (8) cents; J. Alfred Clark, castings, six hundred and two (602) dollars and twenty-eight (28) cents; Proctor & Gamble Distributing Co., soap, one hundred and forty-three (143) dollars and fifty-one (51) cents; Chas. K. Smith & Co., oil, nine (9) dollars and thirty-six (36) cents; Keystone Lubricating Co., grease, seven (7) dollars; Richard Levick's Son & Co.,

belting, etc., one hundred and ten (110) dollars and seventeen (17) cents; Walker & Kepler, electrical supplies, two hundred and fourteen (214) dollars and eighty-nine (89) cents; W. J. Donahue & Co., oil, etc., one hundred and forty-eight (148) dollars and sixteen (16) cents; J. Tritsch & Co., soap, etc., two hundred and forty-four (244) dollars and eighty-five (85) cents; Textile Supply Co., dry goods, etc., seven hundred and eighty-three (783) dollars and fifteen (15) cents; Jos. N. Snellenburg, dry goods, etc., four hundred and ten (410) dollars and seventy-six (76) cents; George Oldham, burials, sixty-three (63) dollars; Johns-Hopkins Oil Co., oil, seventeen (17) dollars and seventy-six (76) cents; Edward Trainer, whiskey, one hundred and nine (109) dollars and thirty-five (35) cents; Carl F. Lauber, whiskey, seventy-five (75) dollars and forty-two (42) cents; Clement Restein Co., glasses, sixty-five (65) cents; Union Petroleum Co., gasoline, ninety-two (92) dollars and twenty-eight (28) cents; Edward Connor, coal, five thousand one hundred and twenty-eight (5,128) dollars and two (2) cents; David McMullin, Jr., forage, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-nine (1,939) dollars and twenty-seven (27) cents; (Charities): The Bingham Co., books, thirty (30) dollars; James Arnold, books, twenty-seven (27) dollars; The Fleischmann Co., yeast, five hundred and twelve (512) dollars and fifty (50) cents; Kirk, Foster & Co., groceries, etc., three thousand nine hundred and four (3,904) dollars and ninety-one (91) cents; B. S. Janney, Jr. & Co., Inc., groceries, etc., nine thousand six hundred and forty-eight (9,648) dollars and fifty-one (51) cents; A. Salus & Sons, hams, two hundred and thirty-one (231) dollars and one (1) cent; M. P. Howlett, fish and oysters, three thousand one hundred and thirty-one (3,131) dollars and ninety-one (91) cents; F. A. Maynes, mutton, one thousand four hundred and twenty-eight (1,428) dollars and seventy-two (72) cents; A. Frosch, poultry, etc., two thousand three hundred and four (2,304) dollars and ninety-two (92) cents; Consolidated Dressed Beef Co., beef, etc., nine thousand eight hundred and sixty-three (9,863) dollars and five (5) cents; Roesch Packing Co., (1910),

hams, thirty-four (34) dollars and four (4) cents; John Kienzle, onions, four hundred and twelve (412) dollars and thirteen (13) cents; Alfred Lowry & Bro., sugar, two thousand two hundred and eighty-four (2,284) dollars and ten (10) cents; Philip Hoffman, butter, six thousand two hundred and twenty-six (6,226) dollars and nineteen (19) cents; Wm. J. Sullivan, groceries, etc., nine thousand and ninety-six (9,096) dollars and twenty-three (23) cents; Simon & Dunlap, potatoes, four hundred and seventy (470) dollars and sixty-five (65) cents; Edson Bros., eggs, six thousand and fifty-one (6,051) dollars and ninety-four (94) cents; Alfred Lowry & Bro. (1909), rolled oats, six (6) dollars and fifty-four (54) cents; American Ice Co., ice, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-three (1,933) dollars and ninety (90) cents; Roesch Packing Co., lard, one hundred and fifty-nine (159) dollars and seventy-five (75) cents; Shoemaker & Busch, mops, brushes, paints, etc., nine hundred and ninety-three (993) dollars and thirty-one (31) cents; John A. Barry, milk and cream, twenty thousand three hundred and seven (20,307) dollars and seventy-nine (79) cents; Textile Supply Co., dry goods, boots, etc., one thousand and forty-one (1,041) dollars and fifty-four (54) cents; Richard Levick's Son & Co., blankets, etc., forty-seven (47) dollars and eighty (80) cents; Blum Bros., Inc., table diaper, three hundred and eighty-nine (389) dollars and forty-four (44) cents; Frank T. Dunlap, underwear, dry goods, etc., two thousand nine hundred and sixteen (2,916) dollars and thirty-one (31) cents; Jos. N. Snellenburg, gauze, dry goods, etc., two thousand three hundred and forty-four (2,344) dollars; Samuel D. Lit, shoes, bed springs, etc., two thousand five hundred and thirty-six (2,536) dollars and thirty-two (32) cents; Maddock & Co., hardware, cutlery, etc., one hundred and ninety-seven (197) dollars and fourteen (14) cents; I. H. Wisler & Son, chairs, twelve (12) dollars; Chas. W. Neeld & Co., brooms, etc., four hundred and fifteen (415) dollars and thirty-five (35) cents; Frank F. Mathers, coal, one thousand nine hundred and nine (1,909) dollars and twenty-six (26) cents; W. C. Kirk & Co., coal, twenty-one thou-

sand eight hundred and eighty-four (21,884) dollars and fifteen (15) cents; W. J. Donahue & Co., gasoline, three hundred and twenty-eight (328) dollars and sixty-eight (68) cents; Johns-Hopkins Oil Co., oil, one hundred and twenty-six (126) dollars and ninety-two (92) cents; Union Petroleum Co., oil and gasoline, four hundred and two (402) dollars and nine (9) cents; Loos & Dilworth, oils, three hundred and seven (307) dollars and seventy-six (76) cents; David McMullin, Jr., forage, six hundred and thirteen (613) dollars and twenty-six (26) cents; Keim Supply Co., harness and stable supplies, one hundred and thirty-six (136) dollars and fifty (50) cents; Frank Lambert, horses, seven hundred and sixty (760) dollars; Chas. J. Field's Sons, hardware, etc., sixty-two (62) dollars and thirty-nine (39) cents; R. A. & J. J. Williams Co., lumber, six hundred and twenty-six (626) dollars and sixty-eight (68) cents; Chas. Benton, lumber, three hundred and eighty-nine (389) dollars; Henry F. Michell Co., seeds, etc., sixty-eight (68) dollars and fifty-one (51) cents; Jas. J. Quigley & Son, tin, etc., five hundred and seventy-seven (577) dollars and twenty-four (24) cents; Geo. D. Wetherill & Co., Inc., varnish, etc., one hundred and nine (109) dollars and fifty (50) cents; McArdle & Cooney, pipe fittings, etc., two hundred and thirty-two (232) dollars and twenty-two (22) cents; Quaker City Rubber Co., packing, one hundred and ninety-nine (199) dollars and twenty-five (25) cents; M. J. Heavey, awnings, one hundred and sixty-eight (168) dollars and fifty (50) cents; Jas. Boyd & Bro., fire extinguishers, one hundred and five (105) dollars; Walter T. Bradley Co., bricks, etc., one hundred and fifteen (115) dollars; Wm. H. Ingram, rings and covers, eighteen (18) dollars; Peoples Bros., sand, fourteen (14) dollars and ninety-two (92) cents; Knickerbocker Lime Co., plaster, forty-five (45) dollars and ninety (90) cents; Geo. A. Sinn, gravel, fourteen (14) dollars and ninety (90) cents; Ford & Kindig Co., valves, etc., eight hundred and fourteen (814) dollars and thirty-two (32) cents; Walsh Packing Co., valves and packing, three hundred and twenty-one (321) dollars and forty-one (41) cents; Seltzer, Klahr Hdw. Co., hardware,

etc., twenty-one (21) dollars and twenty-one (21) cents; Merchant & Evans Co., tin, four hundred and thirty-one (431) dollars; Frank H. Stewart Electrical Co., brushes, twenty-five (25) dollars and twenty (20) cents; Harrison Bros. & Co., Inc., white lead, etc., three hundred and seventy-nine (379) dollars and ten (10) cents; N. Z. Graves Co., varnish, etc., three hundred and eighty-eight (388) dollars and thirteen (13) cents; Haines, Jones & Cadbury Co., bibbs, etc., two hundred and thirty (230) dollars and fifty-eight (58) cents; Henry J. Rife, leather and shoe findings, five hundred and forty-four (544) dollars and sixty-one (61) cents; S. S. White Dental Mfg. Co., dental supplies, fifty-one (51) dollars and forty-eight (48) cents; (Public Safety, Director's Office): Gans Bros., stationery, seventy-eight (78) dollars; Deemer & Jaisohn, stationery, etc., two hundred and fifty-one (251) dollars and twelve (12) cents; Bingham Co., pads, six (6) dollars; Wm. H. Hoskins Co., stationery, fifty (50) dollars and fifty-seven (57) cents; McCann Ice Co., ice, fourteen (14) dollars and forty (40) cents; (Police): The Bingham Co., printing, stationery, etc., five thousand three hundred and seventy (5,370) dollars and twenty (20) cents; Clean Towel Supply Co., towel service, one hundred and eighty-four (184) dollars and fifty-six (56) cents; Gans Bros., books, etc., thirty-three (33) dollars and seventy (70) cents; Dunlap Printing Co., printed books, blanks, etc., one thousand and fifty-eight (1,058) dollars and seventeen (17) cents; Albert Anderman, printed blanks, etc., four hundred and sixty (460) dollars and twenty-four (24) cents; Deemer & Jaisohn, typewriter supplies, three (3) dollars; Chas. W. Neeld & Co., brooms, etc., one hundred and seventy-nine (179) dollars and sixty-five (65) cents; John Wanamaker, pads, one (1) dollar and eight (8) cents; M. J. Bullen, disinfectant, two hundred and twenty-five (225) dollars; M. W. Bougher, soap, ninety (90) dollars; J. Tritsch & Co., brushes, soap, etc., one hundred and eighty-three (183) dollars; Chas. J. Field's Sons, lanterns, sponges, hardware, etc., six hundred and ninety (690) dollars and seventy-seven (77) cents; Keim Supply Co., harness and stable supplies, one thousand

four hundred and twenty-five (1,425) dollars and ninety-three (93) cents; Maldock & Co., hardware, tools, etc., six hundred and eighty-eight (688) dollars and seventy-seven (77) cents; Quaker City Rubber Co., hose, packing, etc., one hundred and sixty (160) dollars and forty-five (45) cents; Smith & Holthaus, coal, three thousand seven hundred and five (3,705) dollars and thirty-five (35) cents; Walter J. Crowder Co., coal, two hundred and thirty-two (232) dollars and sixty-eight (68) cents; Edward Connor, coal, five hundred and eighteen (518) dollars and twenty (20) cents; W. C. Kirk & Co., coal, two thousand and nine (2,009) dollars and sixty (60) cents; McKee & Co., coal, sixty-two (62) dollars and fifty (50) cents; Robt. Henderson & Co., coal, one hundred and forty-three (143) dollars and seventy-six (76) cents; Walter C. Shipley, coal, sixty-one (61) dollars; American Ice Co., coal, one hundred and sixty-four (164) dollars and fifty-five (55) cents; Smith & Holthaus (1910), coal, fifty-six (56) dollars and fifty (50) cents; McCann Ice Co., ice, two hundred and sixty-eight (268) dollars and four (4) cents; Shoemaker & Buseh, headlight oil, eighty-four (84) dollars and eighty-four (84) cents; Anchor Packing Co., hose, one hundred and twenty-three (123) dollars and seventy-five (75) cents; Samuel D. Lit, furniture, etc., three hundred and four (304) dollars and seventy-four (74) cents; Jos. N. Snellenburg, buckets, etc., seventy-two (72) dollars and two (2) cents; Chas. K. Smith & Co., oil, one hundred and five (105) dollars and forty (40) cents; John J. McGrath, waste, fifty-four (54) dollars and seventy-four (74) cents; Garlock Packing Co., packing, one (1) dollar and eight (8) cents; David McMullin, Jr., forage, nineteen thousand six hundred and seventy-eight (19,678) dollars and twenty-two (22) cents; Seltzer, Klahr Hdw. Co., wheelbarrow, four (4) dollars and seventy-five (75) cents; Smith, Kline & French Co., sponges, one hundred and fifty-six (156) dollars and five (5) cents; I. H. Wisler & Son, chairs, four hundred and twenty-seven (427) dollars and twenty (20) cents; M. J. Heavey, shades and awnings, sixty-eight (68) dollars and thirty-four (34) cents; Fry, Glanz & Hall, linoleum,

one hundred and eleven (111) dollars and seventy-six (76) cents; Strawbridge & Clothier, tires, thirty-nine (39) dollars; (Correction): Dunlap Printing Co., books, sixteen (16) dollars; T. J. Milner, printed blanks, sixty-one (61) dollars and ninety (90) cents; Frank X. Mathis, poultry, etc., one thousand and thirteen (1,013) dollars and twenty-four (24) cents; Ezl. Dunwoody Co., flour, one thousand three hundred and seventy-seven (1,377) dollars; Kirk, Foster & Co., groceries, etc., nine hundred and sixty-seven (967) dollars and thirty-nine (39) cents; M. P. Howlett, fish and oysters, one hundred and thirty-one (131) dollars and twenty-six (26) cents; B. S. Janney, Jr. & Co., Inc., groceries, etc., six hundred and eighty (680) dollars and ninety-nine (99) cents; Philip Hoffman, butter and eggs, one hundred and forty-five (145) dollars and twenty-one (21) cents; Shoemaker & Busch, spices, etc., ninety-one (91) dollars and twenty (20) cents; The Fleischmann Co., yeast, two hundred and ninety-two (292) dollars and fifty (50) cents; Edson Bros., butter and eggs, fifty-five (55) dollars and forty-five (45) cents; Textile Supply Co., dry goods, etc., four hundred and ninety-two (492) dollars and forty-six (46) cents; Alfred Lowry & Bro., tobacco, etc., three hundred and fifty-three (353) dollars and seven (7) cents; Geo. Ridey, meats, etc., one thousand five hundred and three (1,503) dollars and twenty-five (25) cents; John Kienzle, apples, etc., seventy-six (76) dollars and forty (40) cents; Ellis A. Gimbel, dry goods, etc., five hundred and eighteen (518) dollars and seventy-nine (79) cents; Samuel D. Lit, notions, etc., one hundred and thirty-eight (138) dollars and sixty-one (61) cents; Frank T. Dunlap, stockings, thirty-one (31) dollars; John Wanamaker, table linen, etc., one hundred and sixteen (116) dollars and forty-five (45) cents; Chas. W. Neeld & Co., brooms, etc., one hundred and fifty-four (154) dollars and eight (8) cents; Smedley Bros. Co., lumber, two hundred and thirty (230) dollars and twenty-six (26) cents; N. Z. Graves Co., white lead, etc., two hundred and eight (208) dollars and eighty (80) cents; Keim Supply Co., harness, etc., ninety-eight (98) dollars and thirty-eight (38) cents; Henry F.

Michell Co., seeds, etc., five hundred and forty-two (542) dollars and sixty-three (63) cents; Maddock & Co., hardware, tools, etc., two hundred and six (206) dollars and forty-two (42) cents; E. R. Tourison Co., powder and fuse, two hundred and fourteen (214) dollars and seventy-five (75) cents; Peale, Peacock & Kerr, Inc., coal, five thousand nine hundred and sixty-three (5,963) dollars and forty-two (42) cents; W. C. Kirk & Co., coal, three thousand three hundred and six (3,306) dollars and seventy-two (72) cents; Geo. A. Sinn, gas lime, one thousand three hundred and twenty-six (1,326) dollars and twelve (12) cents; Chas. J. Field's Sons, spectacles, etc., twenty-seven (27) dollars and twenty-seven (27) cents; Anchor Packing Co., packing, twenty-four (24) dollars and twenty-six (26) cents; Jas. J. Quigley & Sons, castings, etc., seventy-eight (78) dollars; E. A. Landell, Jr., leather, nine hundred and seventy-eight (978) dollars; Henry J. Rife, leather and findings, two hundred and ninety-three (293) dollars and sixty-one (61) cents; (Fire): The Bingham Co., books, forty-seven (47) dollars and fifty (50) cents; Dunlap Printing Co., printed blanks, five (5) dollars and fifty (50) cents; John S. Strafford, printed blanks, fifteen (15) dollars and twenty (20) cents; David McMullin, Jr., forage, twenty thousand seven hundred and twenty-six (20,726) dollars and twenty-six (26) cents; Chas. J. Field's Sons, sponges, stoves, tools, etc., one thousand two hundred and six (1,206) dollars and forty-five (45) cents; Wm. S. Hansell & Son, blankets, etc., two hundred and eighty (280) dollars and fifty-seven (57) cents; G. H. Clamer, castings, etc., nine hundred and forty-three (943) dollars and forty-three (43) cents; Loos & Dilworth, oil, five hundred and seventy-four (574) dollars and forty-four (44) cents; Cancos Mfg. Co., packing and polish, two hundred and eighty (280) dollars and ninety-five (95) cents; J. Alfred Clark, grates, etc., one hundred and eighteen (118) dollars and fifty-six (56) cents; C. Schraack & Co., varnish, etc., four hundred and ninety-two (492) dollars and fifty (50) cents; Horace T. Potts & Co., iron, one hundred and fifty-four (154) dollars and twenty-nine (29) cents; Jas. J. Quigley &

Sons, coils, one hundred and fourteen (114) dollars; Chas. Benton, lumber, two hundred and ninety-two (292) dollars and seventy-two (72) cents; Stephen Greene Co., code books, one hundred and fifty-four (154) dollars and eighty (80) cents; Keim Supply Co., harness and stable supplies, one thousand five hundred and eighteen (1,518) dollars and seven (7) cents; Shoemaker & Busch, soda, oil, etc., two hundred and ninety-nine (299) dollars and eighty-three (83) cents; Standard Roller Bearing Co., boxes, six hundred and four (604) dollars; Chas. W. Neeld & Co., brooms, brushes, etc., four hundred and fifty (450) dollars and eight (8) cents; Maddock & Co., lanterns, hardware, etc., two hundred and thirty-three (233) dollars and six (6) cents; J. Tritsch & Co., soap, etc., five hundred and fourteen (514) dollars and forty (40) cents; John J. McGrath, waste, three hundred and seventeen (317) dollars and eighty-four (84) cents; American Oil and Disinfectant Co., disinfectant, eighty-five (85) dollars; Wilmington Brass Co., acid jars and cages, nine hundred and ninety (990) dollars; Jos. N. Snellenburg, furniture, carpets, bedding, etc., one thousand nine hundred (1,900) dollars and one (1) cent; United Gas Improvement Co., gas, three hundred and one (301) dollars and ten (10) cents; Smith & Holthaus, coal, four thousand three hundred and thirty-eight (4,338) dollars and forty-four (44) cents; McKee & Co., coal, two hundred and twenty-five (225) dollars and sixty-three (63) cents; W. C. Kirk & Co., coal, five thousand one hundred and ninety-seven (5,197) dollars; American Ice Co., coal, four hundred and three (403) dollars; Edward Connor, coal, one thousand four hundred and thirty-three (1,433) dollars and two (2) cents; Walter C. Shipley, coal, four hundred and ninety-six (496) dollars and twenty (20) cents; William Magee's Sons, coal, sixty (60) dollars; Chas. S. Sale & Bro., coal, three hundred and sixteen (316) dollars; Frank F. Mathers, coal, forty-six (46) dollars and fifty-one (51) cents; Robt. Henderson & Co., coal, two hundred and forty (240) dollars and seventy-seven (77) cents; Geo. A. Sinn, coal, seventy (70) dollars; Black Diamond Coal Co. (1910), coal, five

hundred and fifty-six (556) dollars and twenty (20) cents; Chas. S. Sale & Bro. (1910), coal, fourteen (14) dollars and thirty-eight (38) cents; (Electrical): Clean Towel Supply Co., towel service, eighty-four (84) dollars and thirty-six (36) cents; Gans Bros., printing, stationery, etc., three hundred and twenty (320) dollars and forty-seven (47) cents; McCann Ice Co., ice, ninety-two (92) dollars and ninety (90) cents; Walsh Packing Co., packing, one hundred and fifty-seven (157) dollars and twenty-two (22) cents; Pennsylvania Alcohol and Chemical Co., alcohol, two (2) dollars and sixty-five (65) cents; Philadelphia Electric Co., lamps, etc., fifty-one (51) dollars and seventy-five (75) cents; Chas. J. Field's Sons, break arms, one hundred and forty-four (144) dollars; Knickerbocker Lime Co., stone, five hundred and twenty-five (525) dollars; Fergusson Bros., bluestone, four hundred and ninety-eight (498) dollars and eighty-five (85) cents; Shoemaker & Busch, chemical solution, two hundred and fifteen (215) dollars and sixty-seven (67) cents; The Gamewell Fire Alarm Telegraph Co., electric gong, fifty (50) dollars; Peoples Bros., bricks, cement, etc., one hundred and forty-one (141) dollars and fifty (50) cents; Robt. Henderson & Co., coal, fifty-one (51) dollars and ninety-two (92) cents; Smith & Holthaus, coal, thirty-two (32) dollars and seventy (70) cents; (Building Inspection): The Clean Towel Supply Co., for towel service, thirty-six (36) dollars and seventy-two (72) cents; The Bingham Co., for stationery, engraving, etc., one hundred and thirty-three (133) dollars and fifty (50) cents; Jos. N. Snellenburg, desks, one hundred and forty-five (145) dollars; James Arnold, binding books, etc., one hundred and five (105) dollars and forty-five (45) cents; Dunlap Printing Co., printing, etc., two hundred and sixty-nine (269) dollars and forty (40) cents; Deemer & Jaisohn, pens, three (3) dollars and thirty (30) cents; McCann Ice Co., ice, two (2) dollars and ninety-six (96) cents; (Elevator Inspection): The Clean Towel Supply Co., towel service, thirteen (13) dollars and ninety-two (92) cents; Dunlap Printing Co., books, etc., three hundred and eighty-three (383) dollars and seventy-five (75)

cents; The Bingham Co., printed blanks, one hundred and twenty-one (121) dollars; Philadelphia Rapid Transit Co., car tickets, one hundred and twenty-five (125) dollars; McCann Ice Co., ice, two (2) dollars and eighty-eight (88) cents; (Steam Engines and Boilers): The Clean Towel Supply Co., towel service, thirteen (13) dollars and ninety-two (92) cents; The Bingham Co., printed blanks, stationery, etc., four hundred and forty-one (441) dollars and thirty-eight (38) cents; Deemer & Jaisohn, printed blanks, sixty-five (65) dollars; Albert Anderman, paper, one (1) dollar and eighty (80) cents; McCann Ice Co., ice, one (1) dollar and forty-two (42) cents; (City Property): Dunlap Printing Co., printed books, blanks, etc., three hundred and eighteen (318) dollars and ten (10) cents; Iszard Warren Co., pencil rubbers, one (1) dollar and eighty (80) cents; J. H. Weil, & Co., ink, three (3) dollars; Brilliant Mfg. Co., vendor plates, two hundred and eighty-one (281) dollars and twenty-five (25) cents; Chas. J. Field's Sons, sponges, hardware, tools, etc., three hundred and nine (309) dollars and ninety (90) cents; J. Tritsch & Co., brushes, etc., five hundred and seventeen (517) dollars and forty-five (45) cents; Geo. A. Sinn, gravel, two (2) dollars and ninety-eight (98) cents; McKee & Co., coal, eight thousand and thirty-six (8,036) dollars and ninety-one (91) cents; Smith & Holthaus, coal, sixty-one (61) dollars and sixty-five (65) cents; Robt. Henderson & Co., coal, one thousand one hundred and fifty-four (1,154) dollars and sixty-one (61) cents; Walter C. Shipley, coal, twenty-three (23) dollars and seventy-two (72) cents; McCann Ice Co., ice, four hundred and eighty-seven (487) dollars and seventy (70) cents; Ellis A. Gimbel, dry goods, etc., seventy-five (75) dollars and twenty-five (25) cents; American Oil and Disinfectant Co., disinfectant, one hundred and fifty-nine (159) dollars; John Wanamaker, house furnishing goods, etc., eighty-one (81) dollars and thirty (30) cents; Phila. Grease Mfg. Co., grease, three (3) dollars and seventy-five (75) cents; Chas. Benton, lumber, four hundred and eighty-six (486) dollars and twenty (20) cents; Shoemaker & Busch, soap, etc., ninety-six

(96) dollars and seven (7) cents; Tioga Saw Dust Co., saw dust, six (6) dollars; Chas. W. Neeld & Co., brooms, etc., thirty-eight (38) dollars and twenty-five (25) cents; Albert Anderman, toilet paper, one hundred and forty-seven (147) dollars and fifty (50) cents; Textile Supply Co., roach powder, etc., seventy-six (76) dollars and eighty-seven (87) cents; Seltzer, Klahr Hdw. Co., cups, two (2) dollars; (Public Works, Director's Office): The Bingham Co., printing, stationery, etc., four hundred and eighty-one (481) dollars and ten (10) cents; Dunlap Printing Co., envelopes, seven (7) dollars and six (6) cents; John Wanamaker, carpets, one hundred and twenty-six (126) dollars and eighty-two (82) cents; McCann Ice Co., ice, seventeen (17) dollars and seventy-four (74) cents; (Highways): Library Bureau, cards, three (3) dollars and eighty-seven (87) cents; C. E. Howe Co., directories, eighty-eight (88) dollars and twenty (20) cents; The Addressograph Co., addressographs, etc., two hundred (200) dollars and fifty-three (53) cents; Gans Bros., fasteners, seventy-two (72) cents; James Arnold, books, sixty-three (63) dollars; Chas. J. Field's Sons, hardware, tools, etc., nine hundred and five (905) dollars and fifty-one (51) cents; Deemer & Jaisohn, stationery, thirty-nine (39) dollars and forty-eight (48) cents; The Bingham Co., printing, stationery, etc., two hundred and thirty (230) dollars and forty-one (41) cents; Albert Anderman, printing, stationery, etc., one hundred and thirty-seven (137) dollars and sixty-seven (67) cents; Dunlap Printing Co., printed books, blanks, etc., three thousand six hundred and eight (3,608) dollars and fifty-three (53) cents; Clean Towel Supply Co., towel service, forty-six (46) dollars and fifty-six (56) cents; American Ice Co., ice, three hundred and one (301) dollars and ninety-six (96) cents; McCann Ice Co., ice, ten (10) dollars and sixty-three (63) cents; Jos. N. Snellenburg, carpet, one hundred and seventy-six (176) dollars; E. C. Rahme, newspapers, twelve (12) dollars and fifty-two (52) cents; Smith & Holthaus (1910), coal, eleven (11) dollars and thirty (30) cents; Iszard Warren Co., draughting materials, six (6) dollars and eighty-nine (89) cents; Boston

Hook Sewer Rod Co., rods, two hundred and fifty-five (255) dollars; Richard Levick's Son & Co., boots, two hundred and thirty-seven (237) dollars and twelve (12) cents; Midvale Steel Co., steel, five (5) dollars and twenty (20) cents; Seltzer, Klahr Hdw. Co., tools, etc., eight (8) dollars and forty-one (41) cents; W. W. Hodgson, brushes, four (4) dollars; Geo. A. Sinn, stone, gravel, grit, etc., eight hundred and eighty-five (885) dollars and seventy-five (75) cents; Jos. N. Snellenburg, cooler, seven (7) dollars and twenty-eight (28) cents; J. Jacob Shannon & Co., Inc., timber dollies, twenty-one (21) dollars and sixty (60) cents; Detroit Graphite Co., paint, one hundred and fifty-three (153) dollars and seventy (70) cents; N. Z. Graves Co., paint, etc., two hundred and twenty-four (224) dollars and twenty-five (25) cents; Loos & Dilworth, oils, three hundred and nine (309) dollars and eighty (80) cents; Keystone Albmnen and Paint Co., paint, one thousand four hundred and seventy-eight (1,478) dollars and forty (40) cents; Belmont Iron Works, iron and steel, six hundred and sixty-one (661) dollars and eighty-three (83) cents; Amphibolin Chemical Works, paint, one hundred and seventy-five (175) dollars; Horace T. Potts & Co., iron, twenty-nine (29) dollars and eighteen (18) cents; Jas. J. Quigley & Son, stoves, etc., fifty-nine (59) dollars and forty-seven (47) cents; J. Alfred Clark, castings, two thousand five hundred and sixty-four (2,564) dollars and fifty (50) cents; Maddock & Co., hardware, tools, etc., six hundred and ninety-two (692) dollars and ninety-three (93) cents; Midland Metal Co., castings, one hundred and twenty-five (125) dollars; Peoples Bros., cement, bricks, sand, etc., two thousand six hundred and seventy-seven (2,677) dollars and three (3) cents; Chas. Benton, lumber, forty-three thousand one hundred and forty-three (43,143) dollars and eighty-six (86) cents; J. Walter Maxwell, dripstones, blocks, etc., five hundred and ninety-eight (598) dollars and seventy-two (72) cents; Shoemaker & Busch, oil, fifty-two (52) dollars and sixty-six (66) cents; Chas. K. Smith & Co., oil, two hundred and sixty-two (262) dollars and five (5) cents; E. H. Abbott, fittings, forty-two (42) dollars and

ninety (90) cents; Funk Machine Co., fan, sixty-two (62) dollars and eighty (80) cents; Mack Manufacturing Co., bricks and blocks, two hundred and thirty-nine (239) dollars and fifty (50) cents; W. C. Kirk & Co., coal, thirteen (13) dollars and eighty (80) cents; Union Petroleum Co., oil, etc., one (1) dollar and ninety (90) cents; Wm. Davey's Sons, badges, sixty-nine (69) dollars; (Lighting): McCann Ice Co., ice, two (2) dollars and eighty-eight (88) cents; E. V. Smith, atlas, twenty-five (25) dollars; (Surveys): Keystone Blue Paper Co., draughting materials, two hundred and ninety-four (294) dollars and four (4) cents; The Bingham Co., printing, stationery, etc., two hundred and fifty-one (251) dollars and forty-five (45) cents; Albert Anderman, printing, stationery, etc., three hundred and forty-seven (347) dollars and forty-four (44) cents; Dunlap Printing Co., printing, stationery, etc., eight hundred and sixty-three (863) dollars and ninety-two (92) cents; Clean Towel Supply Co., towel service, one hundred and eighty-seven (187) dollars and thirty-two (32) cents; Jas. M. Vance & Co., tools, etc., four (4) dollars and fifty-four (54) cents; McCann Ice Co., ice, thirty-four (34) dollars and sixty-one (61) cents; Queen & Co., magnifiers, etc., eleven (11) dollars and seventy-six (76) cents; Maddock & Co., scale, etc., ten (10) dollars and nine (9) cents; McKee & Co., coal, forty-one (41) dollars and thirty (30) cents; Robt. Henderson & Co., coal, twenty-three (23) dollars; William Magee's Sons, coal, eight hundred and forty-four (844) dollars; American Ice Co., ice, one hundred and fifty-nine (159) dollars and ninety-six (96) cents; Iszard Warren Co., Inc., draughting materials, five hundred and eighteen (518) dollars and eighty-four (84) cents; F. Weber & Co., draughting materials, one hundred and thirty-one (131) dollars and twenty-three (23) cents; J. H. Weil & Co., draughting materials, two hundred and thirty-eight (238) dollars and twenty-six (26) cents; Mulcouroy Co., boots, eighteen (18) dollars and ninety-three (93) cents; Williams, Brown & Earle, Inc., draughting materials, two hundred and twenty-six (226) dollars and fifty-seven (57) cents; James Arnold, books, fourteen

(14) dollars; John S. Strafford, printed blanks, four (4) dollars; A. Pomerantz & Co., draughting materials, five (5) dollars and six (6) cents; (Water): The Bingham Co., stationery, etc., one hundred and three (103) dollars and thirty-six (36) cents; Deemer & Jaisohn, stationery, etc., one hundred and twenty-nine (129) dollars and seventy-five (75) cents; McCann Ice Co., ice, thirty-four (34) dollars and fifty-six (56) cents; Clean Towel Supply Co., towel service, four hundred and thirty-eight (438) dollars and fifty-two (52) cents; Gans Bros., fasteners, four (4) dollars; John Wanamaker, subscriptions, seven (7) dollars and seventy-five (75) cents; Dunlap Printing Co., printed books, blanks, stationery, etc., five hundred and forty-seven (547) dollars and twenty (20) cents; Elvino V. Smith, atlases, three hundred (300) dollars; Geo. W. Bromley & Co., atlases, one hundred and twenty (120) dollars; James Arnold, printed books, etc., seven hundred and ten (710) dollars; Albert Anderman, printing, stationery, etc., one hundred and eighty-two (182) dollars and ninety-eight (98) cents; American Ice Co., ice, one thousand eight hundred and sixty (1,860) dollars and ninety-six (96) cents; Wm. H. Hoskins Co., stationery, seventy-two (72) dollars and fifty-three (53) cents; T. J. Milner, printed blanks, fifteen (15) dollars; Library Bureau, cards, one hundred and six (106) dollars and seventy-one (71) cents; John S. Strafford, tablets, eleven (11) dollars and fifty (50) cents; John R. McFetridge, cards, twenty-one (21) dollars and ninety (90) cents; Phila. and Reading Coal and Iron Co., coal, one hundred and twenty-five thousand six hundred and nine (125,609) dollars and eighty-one (81) cents; Henderson, Hughes & Co., coal, forty-one thousand eight hundred and eight (41,808) dollars and fifteen (15) cents; Keystone Coal and Coke Co., coal, three thousand nine hundred and ninety-two (3,992) dollars and forty-two (42) cents; Rogers-Corr Coal Co., coal, thirty-six thousand one hundred and eighteen (36,118) dollars and eight (8) cents; Lehigh Coal and Navigation Co., coal, twenty-nine thousand nine hundred and fifty-three (29,953) dollars and fifty-four (54) cents; Robt. Henderson & Co., coal, three

thousand seven hundred and ninety-three (3,793) dollars and ninety-nine (99) cents; W. C. Kirk & Co., coal and wood, five hundred and seventy-seven (577) dollars and eighty-two (82) cents; Smith & Holthaus, coal, fifty-four (54) dollars and five (5) cents; Kirkpatrick, Black Co., coke, ninety-seven (97) dollars and thirty (30) cents; Phila. Grease Co., grease, seven hundred and seventy (770) dollars; Chas. K. Smith & Co., oil, six hundred and sixty-six (666) dollars and thirty-two (32) cents; Matthew Fulton & Co., oil, eighty-seven (87) dollars and seventy-five (75) cents; Loos & Dilworth, oils, etc., twelve thousand one hundred and seventy-four (12,174) dollars and fifty-five (55) cents; John Lucas & Co., paints, one hundred and sixty-seven (167) dollars and ninety (90) cents; N. Z. Graves Co., paints, varnishes, etc., three thousand three hundred and thirty-four (3,334) dollars and fourteen (14) cents; Wm. J. Donahue & Co., gasoline, two hundred and seventy-five (275) dollars and fifty-two (52) cents; Commercial Lubricating Co., grease, four hundred and seventy-four (474) dollars and eighty-seven (87) cents; Union Petroleum Co., oil, six (6) dollars; Chas. J. Field's Sons, hardware, tools, etc., nine hundred and seventeen (917) dollars and thirty-six (36) cents; J. Tritsch & Co., brushes, soap, etc., eight hundred and eighty-three (883) dollars and forty-three (43) cents; Fleck Bros. Co., pig lead, etc., seven thousand eight hundred and ninety-four (7,894) dollars and forty-three (43) cents; Maddock & Co., hardware, tools, etc., nine hundred and ninety-four (994) dollars and fifty-six (56) cents; Samuel D. Lit, rakes, three (3) dollars and seventy (70) cents; J. M. Vance & Co., roofing felt, eighteen (18) dollars and seventy-five (75) cents; Robsmith Specialty Co., grate bars, etc., two thousand four hundred and sixty-nine (2,469) dollars and thirty-two (32) cents; J. Jacob Shannon Hardware Co., wire, nine (9) dollars and seventy-five (75) cents; Jas. J. Quigley & Son, iron, copper, etc., one hundred and forty-eight (148) dollars and sixty-two (62) cents; Seltzer Klahr Hardware Co., cups, etc., five (5) dollars and fifteen (15) cents; J. Alfred Clark, castings, one thousand

five hundred and ninety-six (1,596) dollars and seventy-eight (78) cents; Standard Supply and Equipment Co., wire cable, ninety-nine (99) dollars and sixty-six (66) cents; General Specialty Co., cleaner and hose, one hundred and forty (140) dollars; Garlock Packing Co., packing, seven hundred and seventy (770) dollars and forty-four (44) cents; Quaker City Rubber Co., hose, etc., two hundred and fourteen (214) dollars and fifty (50) cents; Standard Mfg. and Supply Co., gaskets, seventy-eight (78) dollars and thirty (30) cents; Double Service Packing Co., packing, forty (40) dollars and twenty-five (25) cents; Mulconroy Co., Inc., gloves, etc., one hundred and fifty-two (152) dollars and thirty-eight (38) cents; Schoen Jackson Co., hose, seventy-seven (77) dollars and ninety (90) cents; Clement Restein Co., packing, etc., two thousand two hundred and seventy-nine (2,279) dollars and twenty-one (21) cents; Cancos Mfg. Co., packing, one hundred and eighty-one (181) dollars and twenty-five (25) cents; Anchor Packing Co., packing, one thousand five hundred and forty-nine (1,549) dollars and fifty (50) cents; Rich'd Levick's Son & Co., boots, etc., six hundred and ninety-six (696) dollars and thirty (30) cents; Henry J. Rife, leather, eight hundred and thirty-six (836) dollars and thirty-six (36) cents; Chas. W. Neeld & Co., brooms, etc., two hundred and twenty-five (225) dollars and ninety-nine (99) cents; John J. McGrath, waste, seven hundred and thirty-six (736) dollars and seventeen (17) cents; Est. of Chas. Perkes, cocks, etc., five hundred and ninety-nine (599) dollars and three (3) cents; Frank T. Dunlap, blankets, etc., twenty-two (22) dollars and sixty-two (62) cents; Watson & Co., cheese cloth, two (2) dollars and thirteen (13) cents; Pickering Mfg. Co., brushes, forty-five (45) dollars and seventy-two (72) cents; Textile Supply Co., canvas, thirty-three (33) dollars and sixty-six (66) cents; Shoemaker & Busch, house cleaning supplies, etc., one thousand five hundred and four (1,504) dollars and fifty-four (54) cents; Arthur H. Thomas Co., laboratory supplies, two hundred and ninety-six (296) dollars and forty (40) cents; Chas. M. Sheldrake, pipe and fit-

tings, five hundred and fifty-one (551) dollars and eighty-four (84) cents; McArdle & Cooney, tubes, pipe and fittings, etc., one thousand seven hundred and forty-seven (1,747) dollars and sixty-four (64) cents; Bridgeman Bros. Co., brass unions, cocks, pipe, fittings, etc., one thousand four hundred and twenty-four (1,424) dollars and twenty-seven (27) cents; Walter T. Bradley Co., fire brick, etc., four hundred and sixty-seven (467) dollars; Geo. A. Sinn, fire clay, etc., two hundred and sixty-four (264) dollars and ninety (90) cents; Ford & Kendig Co., cocks, valves, etc., eight hundred and fifty-six (856) dollars and ninety-seven (97) cents; G. H. Clamer, castings, two thousand four hundred and seventy-three (2,473) dollars and thirty-five (35) cents; H. W. Johns Manville Co., asbestos cement, ninety (90) dollars; Ehret Magnesia Mfg. Co., asbestos, eighteen (18) dollars and eighty (80) cents; Chas. Benton, lumber, six thousand nine hundred and ninety-two (6,992) dollars and nineteen (19) cents; R. A. & J. J. Williams, lumber, thirty-four (34) dollars and fifteen (15) cents; David McMullen, Jr., forage, one thousand four hundred and forty-eight (1,448) dollars and five (5) cents; Horace T. Potts & Co., iron and steel, one thousand and forty-four (1,044) dollars and sixty-eight (68) cents; H. W. Middleton Co., steel, sixty-seven (67) dollars and nine (9) cents; Belmont Iron Works, iron, two (2) dollars and seventy-five (75) cents; Midvale Steel Co., steel, ten (10) dollars and two (2) cents; People Bros., cement and sand, one thousand one hundred and twenty-eight (1,128) dollars and thirty-eight (38) cents; Knickerbocker Lime Co., stone, grit, etc., five hundred and eleven (511) dollars and twenty-four (24) cents; E. R. Tourison Co., exploders, thirteen (13) dollars and fifty (50) cents; Walker & Kepler, electrical supplies, four hundred and fifty-seven (457) dollars and forty-one (41) cents; A. P. Smith Mfg. Co., tapping machines, one hundred and seventy-five (175) dollars; Keim Supply Co., harness and stable supplies, one hundred and thirty-five (135) dollars and sixty-three (63) cents; W. S. Hansell & Sons, whip, one (1) dollar and ninety-eight (98) cents; Deal

Boiler Compound Co., boiler compound, six hundred and twenty-five (625) dollars. (Wharves, Docks and Ferries, Director's Office): Albert Anderman, stationery, etc., twenty (20) dollars and thirty-two (32) cents; James Arnold, book, nine (9) dollars; Chas. J. Field's Sons, hammer, thirty-two (32) cents; Deemer & Jaisohn, stationery, fifteen (15) dollars and five (5) cents; Dieges & Cluet, badges, seventeen (17) dollars and seventy (70) cents; The Bingham Co., printing, stationery, etc., six hundred and ninety-nine (699) dollars and sixty (60) cents; Iszard Warren Co., draughting material, thirty-eight (38) dollars and fifty-three (53) cents; Clean Towel Supply Co., towel service, sixty-two (62) dollars and forty (40) cents; Kaufman Mfg. Co., Inc., table, twenty-five (25) dollars; Williams, Brown & Earle, Inc., bookcase, etc., thirty-one (31) dollars and ninety-three (93) cents; Remington Typewriter Co., typewriter, sixty-four (64) dollars and ten (10) cents; T. J. Milner, printing, six (6) dollars and seventy-five (75) cents; J. J. Shannon & Co., ventilators, etc., fifteen (15) dollars and forty-four (44) cents. (Ice Boats): The Bingham Co., printing, etc., eleven (11) dollars; Martin W. Bougher, groceries, two hundred and sixty (260) dollars and seventy-six (76) cents; Chas. J. Field's Sons, hardware, eighteen (18) dollars and two (2) cents; Loos & Dilworth, oil, three (3) dollars and thirty (30) cents; Chas. Benton, lumber, one hundred and fifty-six (156) dollars and ten (10) cents; Maddock & Co., rope, etc., one hundred and eighty-two (182) dollars and seventy-four (74) cents; Vacuum Oil Co., oil, twenty-eight (28) dollars and twenty (20) cents; Shoemaker & Busch, soap, etc., thirty-nine (39) dollars and thirty-seven (37) cents; Frank X. Mathis, provisions, two hundred and thirty (230) dollars and six (6) cents; American Ice Co., ice, three (3) dollars and seventy-five (75) cents. (Dredging Plant): Chas. D. Norton Co., coal, fourteen (14) dollars and three (3) cents; Henderson, Hughes & Co., coal, three thousand one hundred and fifty-three (3,153) dollars and fifty-two (52) cents; Martin W. Bougher, groceries, one thousand five hundred and thirty-eight (1,538) dollars and

fifty-four (54) cents; Frank X. Mathis, provisions, two thousand two hundred and forty-nine (2,249) dollars and fifty-six (56) cents; American Ice Co., ice, twenty-one (21) dollars and twenty-six (26) cents; Frank T. Dunlap, soap, twelve (12) dollars and forty (40) cents; Shoemaker & Busch, brushes, paints, etc., one hundred and forty (140) dollars and sixty-one (61) cents; Clement Restein Co., packing, one hundred and sixty-three (163) dollars and ninety-three (93) cents; Vacuum Oil Co., oil, twenty (20) dollars; Chas. J. Field's Sons, hardware, tools, etc., one hundred and forty-eight (148) dollars and eighty-three (83) cents; Maddock & Co., hardware, tools, etc., three hundred and forty-eight (348) dollars and twenty-four (24) cents; Seltzer Klahr Hardware Co., blocks, thirty (30) dollars and twenty-four (24) cents; Quaker City Iron Works, pipe, etc., one thousand and eighty-nine (1,089) dollars; total, seven hundred and three thousand four hundred and eighty-seven (703,487) dollars and forty-six (46) cents.

City Commissioners: To Item 1½ (new), to pay bill of Asylum for Chronic, Wernersville, Pa., four thousand one hundred and twenty-five (4,125) dollars and fifty-seven (57) cents; to pay bill of Eastern State Penitentiary, Philadelphia, eight thousand nine hundred and thirty-four (8,934) dollars and eighty-two (82) cents; total, thirteen thousand and sixty (13,060) dollars and thirty-nine (39) cents.

City Controller: To Item 1½ (new), to pay bills of Dunlap Printing Co., for work done and material furnished, as follows: 250 copies preliminary of Controller's Report for 1910, extra proofs, etc., ninety (90) dollars; 100 additional copies of preliminary to Controller's Report for 1910, five (5) dollars; 350 copies statement of City Controller for 1911, alterations and overtime, four hundred and ninety-nine (499) dollars and thirty-five (35) cents; to pay bill of the Statistical Service Company, for completion of data, etc., two hundred and twenty-five (225) dollars; total, eight hundred and nineteen (819) dollars and thirty-five (35) cents.

Clerks of Councils, to pay bill of Philadelphia Press, for advertising proposal, thirty-nine (39) dollars.

Law Department: To Item 1 $\frac{1}{2}$, to pay bills of experts in Road Bureau cases and accident cases, five thousand six hundred and eighty (5,680) dollars; to pay Thomas F. Bradley, serving notices, fifteen (15) dollars and five (5) cents; Francis P. Malone, affidavits, fifty-seven (57) dollars; Lewis D. Bach, affidavits, sixty (60) dollars and fifty (50) cents; Samuel J. Fisher, affidavits, three (3) dollars and fifty (50) cents; Frank J. Quinn, serving notices, one hundred and six (106) dollars and fifteen (15) cents; total, five thousand nine hundred and twenty-two (5,922) dollars and twenty (20) cents.

Prothonotary: To Item 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ (new), to pay bills for binding books, rebinding, stationery, blanks, etc., three thousand nine hundred and sixty-five (3,965) dollars and twenty-nine (29) cents.

APPENDIX No. 70.

Philadelphia, March 7, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred the bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an additional appropriation to the Department of Supplies, for the year 1912," respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

John P. Connelly (*Ch'n*), Robt S. McElroy, William J. McCloskey, John H. Baizley, John H. Hahn, G. P. Darrow, E. B. Gleason, Chas. A. Gillingham, E. Buchholz, George D'Autrechy, Louis Hutt, G. W. Kucker, John F. Flaherty, H. J. Trainer, Watson D. Upperman.

AN ORDINANCE

To make an additional appropriation to the Department of Supplies, for the year 1912.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the sum of four hundred thousand (400,000) dollars be, and the same is hereby appropriated to the Department of Supplies, for the year 1912, viz.: (Department of Supplies, Director's Office): To Item 2, for stationery, postage, printing, etc., nine thousand five hundred (9,500) dollars; to Item 2½, for extra clerk hire, two thousand five hundred (2,500) dollars. (Civil Service Commission): To Item 5, for stationery and printing, eight hundred (800) dollars. (Law): To Item 6, for blank books, stationery, paper books, etc., one thousand seven hundred (1,700) dollars. (Taxes): To Item 7, for blank books, stationery, printing, etc., three thousand five hundred (3,500) dollars. (Health): To Item 2, for stationery, printing, etc., one thousand (1,000) dollars; to Item 5, for disinfecting material, two thousand (2,000) dollars; to Item 7, for clothing, bedding, furniture, etc., three thousand (3,000) dollars; to Item 8, for fuel, five thousand (5,000) dollars; to Item 11, for food and bedding for horses, etc., three thousand (3,000) dollars. (Charities): To Item 13, for stationery, printing, paper, etc., one thousand (1,000) dollars; to Item 16, for groceries, vegetables, etc., ten thousand (10,000) dollars; to Item 19, for furniture, crockery, etc., one thousand five hundred (1,500) dollars; to Item 20, for fuel, ten thousand (10,000) dollars; to Item 24, for tools and materials, etc., five thousand (5,000) dollars. (Public Safety, Director's Office): To Item 1, for stationery, law books, and supplies, five hundred (500) dollars. (Police): To Item 2, for printing, stationery, blanks, etc., four thousand (4,000) dollars; to Item 6, for fuel and ice at offices, etc., ten thousand (10,000) dollars. (Correction): To Item 17, for flour, feed, meats, etc., four thousand five hundred (4,500) dollars; to Item 18,

for tobacco, soap, oil and starch, one thousand (1,000) dollars; to Item 26, for fuel for buildings and gas works, five thousand (5,000) dollars; to Item 30, for boilers and cauldrons, three hundred (300) dollars. (Fire): To Item 31, for printing, stationery and supplies, two hundred (200) dollars; to Item 32, for straw and feed, ten thousand (10,000) dollars; to Item 35, for fuel, etc., ten thousand (10,000) dollars. (Electrical): To Item 42, for stationery, printing and supplies, one thousand (1,000) dollars; to Item 43, for general supplies, one thousand (1,000) dollars; to Item 45, for acids, batteries, etc., eight hundred (800) dollars; to Item 47, for instruments and materials, etc., five hundred (500) dollars; to Item 48, for materials and instruments, etc., three hundred (300) dollars. (Elevator Inspection): To Item 55, for printing, stationery, books, etc., one thousand (1,000) dollars. (City Property): To Item 58, for printing, blank books, stationery, etc., five hundred (500) dollars; to Item 62, for flags, flag staffs, etc., three hundred (300) dollars. (Highways): To Item 2, for printing, stationery and supplies, five thousand (5,000) dollars; to Item 4, for lumber, tools, etc., for repairs to bridges, sewers and inlets, fifteen thousand (15,000) dollars; to Item 5, for lumber, tools, etc., for repairs to streets, seven thousand five hundred (7,500) dollars; to Item 6, for lumber, sand, cement, etc., for repairs to streets, etc., not occupied by passenger railway tracks, seven thousand five hundred (7,500) dollars. (Water): To Item 14, for stationery, office and engineers' supplies, etc., three thousand (3,000) dollars; to Item 15, for coal and hauling same, two hundred thousand (200,000) dollars; to Item 16, for oil, lubricants, etc., eight thousand (8,000) dollars; to Item 18, for hardware, etc., fifteen thousand (15,000) dollars; to Item 20, for chandlery, etc., four thousand (4,000) dollars; to Item 21, for wrought iron pipe and fittings, two thousand (2,000) dollars; to Item 22, for fire brick and fire clay, one thousand (1,000) dollars; to Item 23, for brass fittings and castings, etc., five thousand (5,000) dollars; to Item 25, for lumber, two thousand (2,000)

dollars; to Item 26, for forage, one thousand (1,000) dollars; to Item 27, for iron and steel, one thousand (1,000) dollars; to Item 28, for cement, bricks, blocks, lime, etc., one thousand (1,000) dollars; to Item 29, for electrical supplies, one thousand (1,000) dollars; to Item 33, for special articles and small stores, one thousand (1,000) dollars. (Wharves, Docks and Ferries): To Item 1, for stationery, printing, etc., one thousand (1,000) dollars. (Ice Boats): To Item 3, for dry stores, groceries and supplies, eight hundred (800) dollars; to Item 5, for fuel, four thousand (4,000) dollars; to Item 6, for provisions, three hundred (300) dollars. (Dredging Plant): To Item 7, for fuel, two thousand (2,000) dollars; to Item 8, for dry stores and groceries, one thousand five hundred (1,500) dollars.

APPENDIX No. 71.

Philadelphia, March 7, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred the bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an additional appropriation to the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Highways), for the year 1912," respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

John P. Connelly (*Ch'n*), Robt. S. McElroy, William J. McCloskey, John H. Baizley, John H. Hahn, G. P. Darrow, Thos. J. Morton, E. Buchholz, George D'Autrechy, Louis Hutt, G. W. Kucker, John F. Flaherty, H. J. Trainer, Watson D. Upperman.

AN ORDINANCE

To make an additional appropriation to the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Highways), for the year 1912.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the sum of two hundred and two thousand four hundred (202,400) dollars be, and the same is hereby appropriated to the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Highways), for the following purposes: To Item 62, for the maintenance of unpaved and macadamized public highways, small bridges, drains and steps during the year 1912, including the furnishing, delivering, spreading and rolling of broken stone and screenings, and the hauling of ashes from the Shawmont and Roxborough Pumping Stations, and spreading the same on the roads of the Twenty-first and Twenty-second Wards, west of the Wissahickon Drive, as per bids received November 22, 1911, two hundred and two thousand four hundred (202,400) dollars.

All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith be, and the same are hereby repealed.

APPENDIX No. 72.

Philadelphia, March 7, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred the bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an additional appropriation to the Mayor and Department of Supplies, for the year 1912," respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the

annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

John P. Connelly (*Ch'n*), Robt. S. McElroy, William J. McCloskey, John H. Baizley, John H. Hahn, G. P. Darrow, Thos. J. Morton, E. Buchholz, George D'Autrechy, Louis Hutt, G. W. Kucker, John F. Flaherty, H. J. Trainer, Watson D. Upperman.

AN ORDINANCE

To make an additional appropriation to the Mayor and Department of Supplies, for the year 1912.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the sum of eight thousand and twenty (8,020) dollars be, and the same is hereby appropriated to the Mayor and Department of Supplies, for the year 1912, viz.: Mayor: To Item 46, for expenses of Art Jury, as follows: For salaries, assistant secretary, at the rate of one thousand eight hundred (1,800) dollars per annum; stenographer and typewriter, at the rate of seven hundred and twenty (720) dollars per annum; for stationery, printing, postage, transportation, hire of vehicles, trolley and hotel expenses, and incidentals, two thousand (2,000) dollars; total, five thousand five hundred and twenty (5,520) dollars: *Provided*, No salaries or wages shall be paid except as provided for in this appropriation. Department of Supplies (Mayor): To Item 2½, for stationery, printing, ice, towels, and soap, furniture, carpets, rugs, and other office furnishings, and other supplies, two thousand five hundred (2,500) dollars.

APPENDIX No. 73.

Philadelphia, March 7, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation out of loan approved June 19, 1911, to the Board of Recreation (Department of Recreation)," respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

John P. Connelly (*Ch'n*), Robt. S. McElroy, William J. McCloskey, John H. Baizley, John H. Hahn, G. P. Darrow, Thos. J. Morton, E. Buchholz, George D'Autrechy, Louis Hutt, G. W. Kucker, John F. Flaherty, H. J. Trainer, Watson D. Upperman.

AN ORDINANCE

To make an appropriation out of loan approved June 19, 1911, to the Board of Recreation (Department of Recreation).

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the sum of one hundred thousand (100,000) dollars be, and the same is hereby appropriated out of loan approved June 19, 1911, to the Board of Recreation (Department of Recreation), for the erection of buildings, shelter sheds, construction of swimming pools, resurfacing and drainage of grounds, erecting drinking fountains, fencing, installation of gymnasium apparatus and such other appliances and appurtenances necessary for the development and improvement of grounds, recreation centers and playgrounds.

All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith be, and the same are hereby repealed.

APPENDIX No. 74.

Philadelphia, March 7, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred a message from the Mayor transmitting an ordinance to make an appropriation to the Mayor towards defraying the expenses of the Twelfth International Congress of Navigation, respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

John P. Connelly (*Ch'n*), Robt. S. McElroy, William J. McCloskey, John H. Baizley, John H. Hahn, Thos. J. Morton, G. P. Darrow, E. B. Gleason, Chas. A. Gillingham, E. Buchholz, George D'Autrechy, Louis Hutt, G. W. Kucker, John F. Flaherty, H. J. Trainer, Watson D. Upperman.

AN ORDINANCE

Making an appropriation to the Mayor towards defraying the expenses of the Twelfth International Congress of Navigation, incident to the meeting of said Congress, to be held in Philadelphia.

WHEREAS, The Permanent International Association of Navigation Congresses, acting upon the invitation of the Secretary of State of the United States and the Mayor of the City of Philadelphia, will hold its next session in the City of Philadelphia, during the year 1912;

AND WHEREAS, The object of the Permanent International Association of Navigation Congresses is to promote the progress of inland and maritime navigation, continuing the work of the eleven International Congresses, the last of which was held in St. Petersburg, Russia, in the year 1908;

AND WHEREAS, There will be delegates from approximately forty different nations attending this Congress, as well, it is hoped, as a considerable part of the two thousand members of the Association;

AND WHEREAS, It has always been customary, in connection with these Congresses, to organize visits of inspection to leading points of river and harbor, engineering and industrial interests in the country in which each Congress is held, the expenses of these being paid by the country or locality visited, and as it is regarded as very desirable that many such points in the City of Philadelphia and vicinity be visited by the distinguished members and delegates attending;

AND WHEREAS, The City of Philadelphia will be materially benefited and widely advertised by the inspection of her leading industries, and her waterway and other public improvements, in progress and proposed;

AND WHEREAS, The United States Government appropriated fifty thousand (50,000) dollars, and the State of Pennsylvania, by an Act of Assembly, approved the fourteenth day of June, 1911, twenty-five thousand (25,000) dollars, with which to defray part of the expenses of this Congress; therefore,

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the sum of fifty thousand (50,000) dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, be, and the same is hereby appropriated to the Mayor, to Item 47, towards defraying the expenses of the Twelfth International Congress of Navigation, to supplement the Federal appropriation of fifty thousand (50,000) dollars and the State appropriation of twenty-five thousand (25,000) dollars.

APPENDIX No. 75.

Philadelphia, March 7, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize certain transfers in the annual appropriations to the Departments of Public Safety and Coroner, for the year 1912," respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

John P. Connelly (*Ch'n*), Robt. S. McElroy, William J. McCloskey, John H. Baizley, John H. Hahn, Thos. J. Morton, G. P. Darrow, E. B. Gleason, Chas. A. Gillingham, E. Buchholz, George D'Autrechy, Louis Hutt, G. W. Kucker, John F. Flaherty, H. J. Trainer, Watson D. Upperman.

AN ORDINANCE

Transferring the control and custody of the Morgue property from the Department of Public Safety to the Coroner, and authorizing the transfer of certain employees.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the control and custody of the property known as the "City Morgue" be, and the same is hereby transferred from the Department of Public Safety (Bureau of City Property) to the Coroner.

SECT. 2. The City Controller be, and he is hereby authorized to transfer the following employees, viz.: Department of Public Safety (Bureau of City Property), from Item 1, City Morgue, superintendent, one thousand (1,000) dollars; assistant superintendent, with use of house, seven hundred and twenty (720) dollars; engineer, one thousand (1,000) dollars, and helper, six hundred (600) dollars; to the Coroner, to Item 1, together with such balances as may be credited to the salaries of said employees.

APPENDIX No. 76.

Philadelphia, March 7, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred an ordinance entitled “An Ordinance to authorize the Board of Recreation to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, warrant against Item 15a (loan) in the appropriation to the Board of Recreation, for extra foundation work for recreation building, Fifty-sixth and Christian streets,” respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

John P. Connelly (*Ch’n*), Robt. S. McElroy, William J. McCloskey, John H. Baizley, John H. Hahn, Thos. J. Morton, G. P. Darrow, E. B. Gleason, Chas. A. Gillingham, E. Buchholz, George D’Autrechy, Louis Hutt, G. W. Kucker, John F. Flaherty, H. J. Trainer, Watson D. Upperman.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the Board of Recreation to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, warrant against Item 15a (loan) in the appropriation to the Board of Recreation, for extra foundation work for recreation building, Fifty-sixth and Christian streets.

WHEREAS, The Board of Recreation has advised City Councils, that in making excavations for foundation for recreation building being erected at Fifty-sixth and Christian streets an old quarry was encountered, necessitating an extra depth of excavation and refilling with concrete not contemplated in contract, and after approval by architect and resolution of the Board, in accordance with Clause 15 of contract, relating to extra work, the contractor was authorized to proceed with the work; therefore,

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Board of Recreation be hereby authorized to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant against Item 15a (loan) in the appropriation to the said Board of Recreation, for the year 1912 (1911), in favor of Edward Fay & Son in the sum of four thousand six hundred and forty-seven (4,647) dollars and fifty (50) cents to pay for extra excavation and concrete work necessary for foundation of recreation building, Fifty-sixth and Christian streets, not included in contract for said building.

APPENDIX No. 77.

Philadelphia, March 7, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred an ordinance entitled “An Ordinance designating the Continental-Equitable Title and Trust Company as a depository of the City’s money,” respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

John P. Connelly (*Ch’n*), Robt. S. McElroy, William J. McCloskey, John H. Baizley, John H. Hahn, Thos. J. Morton, G. P. Darrow, E. B. Gleason, Chas. A. Gillingham, E. Buchholz, George D’Autrechy, Louis Hutt, John F. Flaherty, H. J. Trainer, Watson D. Upperman.

AN ORDINANCE

Designating the Continental-Equitable Title and Trust
Company as a depository of the City’s money.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Continental-

Equitable Title and Trust Company be, and is hereby designated as a depository of the City's money: *Subject, however,* To the provisions of the ordinance approved April 9, 1892.

APPENDIX No. 78.

Philadelphia, March 7, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred the bill entitled "An Ordinance to amend ordinance entitled 'An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of Public Health and Charities, for the year 1912,'" respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

John P. Connelly (*Ch'n*), Robt. S. McElroy, William J. McCloskey, John H. Baizley, John H. Hahn, Thos. J. Morton, G. P. Darrow, E. B. Gleason, Chas. A. Giltingham, E. Buchholz, George D'Autrechy, Louis Hutt, G. W. Kucker, John F. Flaherty, H. J. Trainer, Watson D. Upperman.

AN ORDINANCE

To amend an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of Public Health and Charities, for the year 1912."

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the ordinance entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of Public Health and Charities, for the year 1912," approved the twenty-ninth day of December, 1911, be, and the same is hereby amended, as follows: By striking out in Section 2, Item 1, the words "Chief, Division of School Medical Inspection," and inserting in lieu thereof the words "Assistant Chief Medical Inspector."

APPENDIX No. 79.

Philadelphia, March 7, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to amend the ordinance approved April 6, 1911, to authorize the paving of B. Brighthurst, Casimir and other streets,” respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed ordinance and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch’n*), John W. Whitaker, Wm. Boal, H. J. Trainer, Wm. H. Cross, N. L. Jones, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., Wm. J. Harrington, Clarence S. Eldredge, Charles Seger, W. A. Miller, Chas. A. Gillingham, Wm. E. Finley, Edw. W. Patton, J. E. Lennon.

AN ORDINANCE

To amend the ordinance approved April 6, 1911, to authorize the paving of B, Brighthurst, Casimir and other streets.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain.* That the ordinance approved April 6, 1911, to authorize the paving of B, Brighthurst, Casimir, and other streets be, and the same is hereby altered and amended insofar as it relates to the paving of Sixty-third street, from Lansdowne avenue to Lancaster avenue, by inserting before the words “Lansdowne avenue,” the words “six hundred and ninety-three feet north from the north house line of,” so that it shall read, “Sixty-third street, from six hundred and ninety-three feet north from the north house line of Lansdowne avenue to Lancaster avenue.”

All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith be, and the same are hereby repealed.

APPENDIX No. 80.

Philadelphia, March 7, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bills to change the character of paving authorized to be laid on Garnet and Opal streets, from Snyder avenue to Jackson street; Moore street, from Twenty-fourth to Twenty-eighth street; and Pratt street, from Frankford avenue to Willow street, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed ordinance and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch'n*), John W. Whitaker, Wm. Boal, H. J. Trainer, Wm. H. Cross, N. L. Jones, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., Wm. J. Harrington, Clarence S. Eldredge, Charles Seger, W. A. Miller, Chas. A. Gillingham, Wm. E. Finley, Edw. W. Patton, J. E. Lennon.

AN ORDINANCE

To change the character of paving authorized to be laid on Garnet and Opal streets, from Snyder avenue to Jackson street; Moore street, from Twenty-fourth to Twenty-eighth street; and Pratt street, from Frankford avenue to Willow street.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works be authorized to change the character of paving authorized by ordinance approved August 1, 1911, to be laid on Garnet and Opal streets, from Snyder avenue to Jackson street, from brick to asphalt; on Moore street, from Twenty-fourth to Twenty-eighth street, authorized by ordinance approved December 1, 1911, from granite blocks to asphalt; and on Pratt street, from Frankford avenue to Willow street, authorized by ordinance approved April 6, 1911, from asphalt to vitrified brick.

APPENDIX No. 81.

Philadelphia, March 7, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to permit the Simmons Hardware Company to construct a bridge over and across Appletree street, west of Fourth street,” respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed ordinance and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch’n*), John W. Whitaker, Wm. Boal, H. J. Trainer, Wm. H. Cross, N. L. Jones, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., Wm. J. Harrington, Clarence S. Eldredge, Charles Seger, W. A. Miller, Chas. A. Gillingham, Wm. E. Finley, Edw. W. Patton, J. E. Lennon.

AN ORDINANCE

To permit the Simmons Hardware Company to construct a bridge over and across Appletree street, west of Fourth street.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That permission be, and is hereby granted to the Simmons Hardware Company to construct a bridge over and across Appletree street, west of Fourth street, to connect the building in the rear of Nos. 421 to 427 Arch street with their building on the north side of said Appletree street, to be used exclusively in the conduct of their own business. The said bridge to be constructed of steel, iron and glass, and not to exceed twelve feet in width and nine feet in height, and to have a clearance of not less than twenty feet above the curb level; and shall be constructed in accordance with plans to be approved by the Department of Public Works. Before exercising any privilege under this ordi-

nance, the said Simmons Hardware Company shall enter into an agreement, satisfactory to the City Solicitor, protecting the City from all damages by reason of the construction and maintenance of said bridge, and to remove the same at any time upon the passage of an ordinance to that effect; and shall pay into the City Treasury the sum of fifty (50) dollars to cover the cost of publication of this ordinance.

APPENDIX No. 82.

Philadelphia, March 7, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance permitting Geo. B. Newton & Co. to erect an iron stairway, to connect their office building with the Chestnut street bridge, on the south side of said bridge, east of Thirtieth street,” respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed ordinance and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch’n*), John W. Whitaker, Wm. Boal, H. J. Trainer, Wm. H. Cross, N. L. Jones, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., Wm. J. Harrington, Clarence S. Eldredge, Charles Seger, W. A. Miller, Chas. A. Gillingham, Wm. E. Finley, Edw. W. Patton, J. E. Lennon.

AN ORDINANCE

Permitting Geo. B. Newton & Co. to erect an iron stairway, connecting their office building with the Chestnut street bridge, on the south side of said bridge, east of Thirtieth street.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That Geo. B. Newton & Co. are hereby permitted to erect and maintain a stair-

way, to be constructed of iron, to connect their office building on the south side of Chestnut street, east of Thirtieth street, with the approach to the Chestnut street bridge. The said iron stairway to be constructed under a plan to be approved by the Director of the Department of Public Works, and shall not be wider than six feet, and shall be removed at any time by George B. Newton & Co. upon the passage of a resolution or ordinance to that effect, without notice: *Provided*, That the said Geo. B. Newton & Co. shall first pay into the City Treasury the sum of fifty (50) dollars for the printing and publication of this ordinance.

APPENDIX No. 83.

Philadelphia, March 7, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to permit John B. Stetson Company to construct an iron bridge over and across Montgomery street, east of Fourth street,” respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed ordinance and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch’n*), John W. Whitaker, Wm. Boal, H. J. Trainer, Wm. H. Cross, N. L. Jones, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., Wm. J. Harrington, Clarence S. Eldredge, Charles Seger, W. A. Miller, Chas. A. Gillingham, Wm. E. Finley, Edw. W. Patton, J. E. Lennon.

AN ORDINANCE

To permit John B. Stetson Company to construct an iron bridge over and across Montgomery street, east of Fourth street.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That permission be, and

is hereby granted to John B. Stetson Company to construct an iron bridge over and across Montgomery street, at a point about thirty feet east of Fourth street, for the purpose of connecting their factory with their warehouse, to be used exclusively in the conduct of their own business. The said bridge not to exceed thirteen feet in width and have a clearance of at least forty-one feet four inches above the curb height; and shall be constructed under the supervision of the Department of Public Works, in accordance with plans to be approved by said Department. Before exercising any privilege under this ordinance, the said John B. Stetson Company shall first enter into an agreement, satisfactory to the City Solicitor, protecting the City from all damages by reason of the construction and maintenance of said bridge, and shall pay into the City Treasury the sum of fifty (50) dollars for the publication of this ordinance. The privilege hereby granted shall be revocable at any time and the bridge removed upon the passage of an ordinance to that effect.

APPENDIX No. 84.

Philadelphia, March 7, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An Ordinance to permit John B. Stetson Company to construct and maintain a pipe duct under and across Montgomery street, east of Fourth street," respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed ordinance and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch'n*), John W. Whitaker, Wm. Boal, H. J. Trainer, Wm. H. Cross, N. L. Jones, Fred. Schwarz,

Jr., Wm. J. Harrington, Clarence S. Eldredge, Charles Seger, W. A. Miller, Chas. A. Gillingham, Wm. E. Finley, Edw. W. Patton, J. E. Lennon.

AN ORDINANCE

To permit John B. Stetson Company to construct and maintain a pipe duct under and across Montgomery street, east of Fourth street.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That permission be, and is hereby granted to John B. Stetson Company to construct and maintain a pipe duct under and across Montgomery street, at a point about thirty feet east of Fourth street, connecting their factory with a building now in course of construction. The said pipe duct to have an inside width not exceeding six feet, and shall be used exclusively in the conduct of the business of said John B. Stetson Company, and shall be constructed under the supervision of the Departments of Public Works and Public Safety, and in accordance with plans to be approved by the Board of Highway Supervisors, and without interfering with any municipal or other structures in said street. Before exercising any privilege under this ordinance, the said John B. Stetson Company shall first file an agreement and bond in the sum of one thousand (1,000) dollars, satisfactory to the City Solicitor, protecting the City from all damages by reason of the construction and maintenance of said duct, and agreeing to replace and maintain the pavement torn up by reason of said work in a manner satisfactory to the Director of the Department of Public Works, and shall pay into the City Treasury the sum of fifty (50) dollars for the publication of this ordinance. The privilege hereby granted shall be revocable at any time and the duct removed upon the passage of an ordinance to that effect.

APPENDIX No. 85.

Philadelphia, March 7, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to permit the Manufacturers’ Club of Philadelphia to construct vaults under the sidewalks in front of their property on Broad, Walnut and Moravian streets,” respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed ordinance and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch’n*), John W. Whitaker, Wm. Boal, H. J. Trainer, Wm. H. Cross, N. L. Jones, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., Wm. J. Harrington, Clarence S. Eldredge, Charles Seger, W. A. Miller, Chas. A. Gillingham, Wm. E. Finley, Edw. W. Patton, J. E. Lennon.

AN ORDINANCE

To permit the Manufacturers’ Club of Philadelphia to construct vaults under the sidewalks in front of their property on Broad, Walnut and Moravian streets.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That permission be, and is hereby granted to the Manufacturers’ Club of Philadelphia to construct vaults in front of their property under the sidewalks on Broad street, between Walnut and Moravian streets, and on Walnut and Moravian streets, from Broad street westward about one hundred feet west of the west house line on Broad street. The said vaults to be constructed under the supervision and to the satisfaction of the Department of Public Works, in accordance with plans to be approved by the Board of Highway Supervisors, and shall be so constructed as to leave a duct not less than four feet in width next to the curb line on

said Broad and Walnut streets, for the installation of such underground structures as the City may see fit to place therein. Before exercising any privilege under this ordinance, the said Manufacturers' Club of Philadelphia shall first enter into an agreement, satisfactory to the City Solicitor, indemnifying the City against all damages by reason of the construction and maintenance of said vaults, and remove the same and restore the sidewalk to its present condition at any time within one year from the passage of an ordinance to that effect, and shall pay into the City Treasury the sum of one hundred (100) dollars for the permit for the construction of said vaults, in lieu of all other payments, and fifty (50) dollars for the publication of this ordinance: *Provided*. That the provisions of the ordinance approved March 31, 1902, requiring four feet of covering shall not apply to this ordinance.

All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith be, and the same are hereby repealed.

APPENDIX No. 86.

Philadelphia, March 7, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the opening of the Parkway, from Sixteenth street to Seventeenth street." respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed ordinance and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch'n*), John W. Whitaker, Wm. Boal, H. J. Trainer, Wm. H. Cross, N. L. Jones, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., Wm. J. Harrington, Clarence S. Eldredge, Charles Seger, W. A. Miller, Chas. A. Gillingham, Wm. E. Finley, Edw. W. Patton, J. E. Lennon.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the opening of the Parkway, from Sixteenth to Seventeenth street.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Director of the Department of Public Works is hereby authorized and directed forthwith to notify the owners of property over and through which the Parkway, from Sixteenth street to Seventeenth street, will pass, that at the expiration of three months from the date of said notice said street will be required for public use.

SECT. 2. The Mayor of the City is hereby authorized and directed forthwith to enter security, on behalf of the City of Philadelphia, for the payment of any damages which may be assessed by reason of the opening of said street; upon the filing of said bond and at the expiration of said three months the Director of the Department of Public Works shall forthwith proceed to open said street.

APPENDIX No. 87.

Philadelphia, March 7, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to open Delaware avenue, to its full width, from Christian street to Washington avenue,” respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed ordinance and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch’n*), John W. Whitaker, Wm. Boal, H. J. Trainer, Wm. H. Cross, N. L. Jones, Fred. Schwarz,

Jr., Wm. J. Harrington, Clarence S. Eldredge, Charles Seger, W. A. Miller, Chas. A. Gillingham, Wm. E. Finley, Edw. W. Patton, J. E. Lennon.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the opening of Delaware avenue, to its full width, from Christian street to Washington avenue.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works be authorized and directed to notify the owners of property over and through which Delaware avenue, to its full width, from Christian street to Washington avenue, will pass, that at the expiration of three months from the date of said notice said street will be required for public use.

SECT. 2. The Mayor of the City is hereby authorized and directed to enter security, on behalf of the City of Philadelphia, for the payment of any damages which may be assessed by reason of the opening of said street; upon the filing of said bond and at the expiration of the said three months the Director of the Department of Public Works shall forthwith proceed to open said street.

APPENDIX No. 88.

RESOLUTION

Of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit Kenneth Wilson to lay a temporary terra cotta drain in Front street, north of Tioga street.

Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the Director of the Department of Public Works be requested to permit Kenneth Wilson to lay a temporary terra cotta drain in Front street, from a point about one hundred and fifty feet north of Tioga street to sewer at Front and Tioga streets. The

said drain to be laid under the supervision and to the satisfaction of the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Surveys) without expense to the City of Philadelphia, and shall not release the owners of property from paying the regular frontage charges whenever a sewer shall be laid in said street.

APPENDIX No. 89.

RESOLUTION

Of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to confer with the officials of the Philadelphia and Reading Railway Company, relative to the removal of grade crossings, between Allegheny avenue and School lane, in the Thirty-eighth Ward.

Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the Director of the Department of Public Works be requested to confer with the officials of the Philadelphia and Reading Railway Company, for the purpose of ascertaining what can be done to remove the grade crossings on the line of said railway, between Allegheny avenue and School lane, in the Thirty-eighth Ward, with the estimated cost of such work and the proportion to be paid by the City and the railway company, and report to these Councils the result of such investigation as speedily as possible.

APPENDIX No. 90.

RESOLUTION

Of request to the Mayor to have prepared and furnish to Councils an estimate of the cost of constructing subways in Broad and other streets.

WHEREAS, The ordinance now pending for the building of a subway with elevated spurs, if passed, will place

in the possession of private capitalists a valuable franchise, which from the experience of many cities should be retained by the City for the use of the whole people, permitting, if possible, more than one company to use said subway;

AND WHEREAS, At the election held in November last, a constitutional amendment was adopted under the supposition that it would permit the City of Philadelphia to borrow money in order to construct a subway to be owned and leased by the City;

AND WHEREAS, Before any steps can be taken to take advantage of the provisions of the said constitutional amendment an estimate of the cost of building such subways must first be made; therefore,

Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the Mayor be requested to have prepared and send to Councils, at the earliest practical moment, an estimate: first, of the cost of a two or four track subway under Broad street, from City Hall to Olney avenue; second, a one or two track subway under Arch street, from Broad to Sixteenth street; Sixteenth street, from Arch to Walnut street; Walnut street, from Sixteenth to Twelfth street; Twelfth street, from Walnut to Arch street; and Arch street, from Twelfth to Broad street; third, a two track subway under Broad street, from City Hall to League Island Park; fourth, a two track subway under Lehigh avenue, from Broad street to Kensington avenue.

APPENDIX No. 91.

RESOLUTION

Authorizing the Sub-Committee of the Joint Committees on Finance and Street Railways considering ordinance to authorize the construction of a subway and elevated railroad to employ a stenographer.

Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the Sub-Committee of the

Joint Committees on Finance and Streets Railways considering ordinance to authorize the construction of a subway and elevated railroad, be permitted to employ a stenographer to record the proceedings of said Sub-Committee, and pay for the same out of Item 7 in the annual appropriation to the Clerks of Councils, for the year 1912.

APPENDIX No. 92.

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR.

Philadelphia, March 21, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—I am sending herewith letter from Dr. Joseph S. Neff, Director of the Department of Public Health and Charities, asking for an appropriation of five thousand (5,000) dollars towards defraying the expenses of the Baby Saving Show.

I recommend the adoption of an ordinance appropriating this amount as requested.

Yours respectfully,

RUDOLPH BLANKENBURG,

Mayor.

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DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH AND CHARITIES.

Philadelphia, March 6, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—Committees from the County Medical Society of Philadelphia, the Pediatric Society, associated with numerous private philanthropic associations engaged in child saving work, have co-operated with the Department of Public Health and Charities in its endeavor to reduce unnecessary infant mortality in Philadelphia, and have organized an executive committee to hold a "Baby Saving Show," to be held in some central location, from May 18th to May 26th, and, secondly, shows in congested centers of population in outlying districts. It is estimated that the expense of this undertaking will be in the neighborhood of \$11,000. The Executive Committee has to-day unanimously passed a resolution asking the

City to play its full part in this undertaking by the appropriation of \$5,000 toward defraying the expenses. The balance of the money will be collected through private sources. As twenty per cent. of the total deaths in the United States is of infants under one year of age, the people have been aroused to the importance of the subject; associations, private, municipal, State and national, have been organized for the purpose of the study and prevention of infant mortality.

The alleviation of suffering, the prevention of disease, and the cost of sickness in drug bills, doctors' bills and undertakers' bills, in addition to the loss of the wage earner caused by sickness in the family, and the money value of life must be considered as an economic problem of great value to the taxpayers of the City.

This exhibition will be along the lines of the Tuberculosis Exhibition of a few years ago and the Milk Show of last spring, both of which were productive of magnificent results, as shown by the reports of these exhibitions and the large number of citizens who attended them. I therefore request your Honorable Bodies to make an appropriation to this Department of five thousand dollars for this purpose.

Very respectfully yours

JOS. S. NEFF,

Director.

APPENDIX No. 93.

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR.

Philadelphia, March 21, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—As the Presidents of your Honorable Bodies have been advised, the matter of developing a plan for better rapid transit facilities has been receiving

the attention of the Administration for some time past. We have consulted with several leading subway engineers and contractors, and with men who have made a special study of the subject. From them we have obtained such information in regard to the cost of construction and the probable earning power of the several proposed lines as was possible. Of course, in the absence of a detailed study and report, no engineer could be induced to give an opinion as to the cost of construction of any one line or to estimate its earnings.

Averaging the rough estimates or "guesses" of competent judges, it may, perhaps, be assumed, for the purposes of a preliminary consideration of the the subject, that a two-track subway in Philadelphia, where no unusual conditions existed, and where damage to abutting property would not be a factor, would cost somewhere in the neighborhood of \$2,000,000 a mile, and for a four-track subway, from \$3,250,000 to \$4,000,000 a mile. You will understand that this is only speaking in the broadest and most general way, and that cost would not be identical on any two streets, or on any two different sections of the same street, and that any approximate estimate of cost could only be made after full and careful study of the topography and geology, and of the drainage and other conditions to be encountered. The rough estimates of the experts as to the increased cost of doubling the number of tracks in a subway vary from about fifty per cent. to almost one hundred per cent.

I would, however, call your attention to the fact that the question of cost is only one of the many equally important questions which should be exhaustively studied before any conclusion is reached upon this subject, which is of such vital importance not only to the present generation, but to future generations and to the whole growth and development of our City. The built-up area of Philadelphia is unusually large in proportion to population; from its southwestern to its northeastern boundary is an air-line distance of 18 miles; it includes many civic centers and localized communities, and over 20 per cent. of its population resides outside of the present boundaries

of the City. These facts make the question of intra-urban transit particularly important, and particularly difficult of any hasty or easy solution.

In my judgment, action on the ordinance now before you, or action of any kind on any phase of the subway proposition should be taken only after careful and complete study of the whole subject. It is manifest that there should be consideration of the needs of the various sections of the City; of how these needs can best be met; of the probable cost of meeting them; and of the return that may be expected upon this cost. Each of these four general heads includes sub-divisions, too numerous for mention here, and each must be considered with regard to the future as well as to the immediate present.

Careful consideration should be given to questions of general policy, to rates of fare and possible exchange facilities; to the terms of any ordinance or contract; the duration of the franchise; the future extension of the initial construction; and the method by which the City may be assured that any plan now adopted would facilitate and not hamper future subway construction.

This condensed outline of the questions to be studied and determined makes it evident that neither your Honorable Bodies nor the Executive Officers of the Municipal Government can fairly be asked to struggle with a task so onerous, so important, and so technical. At the same time, I feel that the task should not be entirely delegated to others, and that it should be expedited in every way possible. I therefore take the liberty of making to your Honorable Bodies a suggestion which is the result of much earnest thought upon the subject. This suggestion is that there should be organized in the Bureau of Surveys a temporary Division of Subways; that the Permanent Committee on Comprehensive Plans be asked to appoint from its membership a Temporary Committee on Transit Facilities; and that an immediate appropriation of \$50,000 be made to the Department of Public Works, in order that the Director of that Department may be enabled to furnish to the Committee on Transit Facilities not only local data, collected by employees of his Depart-

ment, but also place at their disposal the first engineering talent and experience of the country.

We feel that by getting together in the Bureau of Surveys a corps of Philadelphians familiar with local conditions, and directing and supplementing their efforts with those of experts who have had experience in other cities, both in this country and abroad, we will obtain the most thorough-going study possible.

While to complete this inquiry will probably require twelve to eighteen months, there is no reason, so far as I can see now, why the necessary data on any particular part of the plan should not be available at a much earlier date. By giving immediate study of such portions of the work as are urgent, we can furnish your Honorable Bodies, from time to time, preliminary recommendations with a reasonable assurance that these recommendations will be in accordance with the final report. A report prepared and formulated in this way would command the respect and assent of our citizens, and its conclusions would command the confidence of the investing public.

I herewith enclose ordinance appropriating fifty thousand dollars to the Department of Public Works for the purposes stated in this communication, and ask your careful consideration of the same.

Yours respectfully,

RUDOLPH BLANKENBURG,

Mayor.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the Department of Public Works to investigate the problem of improved transit facilities throughout the City and suburbs, by means of subways or other improved methods; to make a report and submit recommendations covering the same; to employ the assistance necessary to make the said investigations, report and recommendations, and to make an appropriation for all expenses in connection therewith.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works be, and is hereby authorized and directed to investigate the problems of improved transit facilities with a view of determining advisable means for obtaining rapid, efficient and cheap transit throughout the City and its suburbs, by use of subways or other approved modern methods; to consider fully the question of public and private ownership and the financial and economic aspects of the problem; to prepare a report covering its investigations, and to recommend ways and means whereby convenient and rapid transit, commensurate with the present and future needs of the entire City and its suburbs within a reasonable number of years may be secured.

SECT. 2. The Director of the Department of Public Works is hereby authorized to employ such engineers, experts and specialists as may be requisite, and also to appoint such engineers and assistants as may be required for making surveys, investigations, examination of traffic conditions here and elsewhere, and in the preparation of estimates and recommendations; all expenses for salaries, expert fees, tests, transportation and incidental expenses not otherwise provided for shall be paid out of the appropriation for the work herein authorized.

SECT. 3. The sum of fifty thousand (50,000) dollars is hereby appropriated to the Department of Public Works, Bureau of Surveys, for the work herein authorized.

APPENDIX No. 94.

Philadelphia, March 21, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to authorize the creation of a loan or loans by the City of Philadelphia

in the sum of four million two hundred and twenty-five thousand (4,225,000) dollars for general municipal purposes, to be expended for the purchase of materials and supplies and the maintenance of the various Bureaus in the Departments of Public Works, Public Safety, Public Health and Charities, Supplies, Wharves, Docks and Ferries, Mayor, City Commissioners and Commissioners of Fairmount Park, for the year 1912, and for the construction of main and branch sewers, the grading and paving of streets, and the improvement of the water supply in West Philadelphia," accompanied with a resolution to publish a loan bill, respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

John P. Connelly (*Ch'n*), John H. Hahn, William J. McCloskey, G. P. Darrow, Chas. A. Gillingham, E. Buchholz, Watson D. Upperman, W. Edwin Bonnick, Thomas J. Morton, John H. Baizley, John F. Flaherty, Robert S. McElroy, George D'Autrechy, Edw. W. Patton, G. W. Kucker

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the creation of a loan or loans by the City of Philadelphia in the sum of four million two hundred and twenty-five thousand (4,225,000) dollars for general municipal purposes, to be expended for the purchase of materials and supplies and the maintenance of the various Bureaus in the Departments of Public Works, Public Safety, Public Health and Charities, Supplies, Wharves, Docks and Ferries, Mayor, City Commissioners and Commissioners of Fairmount Park, for the year 1912, for the construction of main and branch sewers, the grading and paving of streets and the improvement of the water supply in West Philadelphia.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Mayor of the City be, and he is hereby authorized to borrow, at such times and in such proportions as in his judgment the best interests of the City demand, from the highest bidder

or bidders, either by popular subscription or by advertisement, at not less than par, on the faith and credit of the City of Philadelphia, a sum or sums which in the aggregate shall not exceed four million two hundred and twenty-five thousand (4,225,000) dollars, to be expended as provided for in the second section of this ordinance.

SECT. 2. The money raised by the loan or loans authorized by the first section of this ordinance shall be expended for the purchase of materials and supplies and the maintenance of the various Bureaus in the Departments of Public Works, Public Safety, Public Health and Charities, Supplies, Wharves, Docks and Ferries, Mayor, City Commissioners and Commissioners of Fairmount Park, for the year 1912, and for the construction of main and branch sewers, the grading and paving of streets and the improvement of the water supply in West Philadelphia.

SECT. 3. Interest on said loan at a rate not exceeding four per centum per annum shall be paid by the City of Philadelphia, half yearly, on the first days of the months of January and July, at the office of the fiscal agency of the City of Philadelphia. Certificates of the said loan shall be in usual form, in such amounts as the lender may require, in the sums of one hundred (100) dollars and its multiples, in registered or coupon form, and it shall be expressed in the said certificates that the loan therein mentioned is payable in thirty years after date thereof, and that the principal and interest on said loan are payable in lawful money of the United States free from all taxes.

SECT. 4. Whenever any loan shall be created by virtue of this ordinance, there is, by force of this ordinance, an annual tax levied of six and one-half ($6\frac{1}{2}$) per centum on the par value of such certificates so issued to pay the interest, also the principal, of such loan within thirty years, and there is hereby annually appropriated to the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, out of the tax so collected, a sum sufficient to pay the interest on said loan, also the principal thereof, within thirty years and as the same become payable. The appropriation for interest to be paid semi-annually, and for the Sinking Fund quarterly to the said Commissioners.

RESOLUTION

To publish a loan bill.

Resolved, By the Common Council of the City of Philadelphia, That the Chief Clerk of Common Council be authorized to publish in two of the newspapers of the City of Philadelphia, daily, for four weeks, the draft of the ordinance introduced in Common Council by the Committee on Finance this day, entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the creation of a loan or loans by the City of Philadelphia in the sum of four million two hundred and twenty-five thousand (4,225,000) dollars for general municipal purposes, to be expended for the purchase of materials and supplies and the maintenance of the various Bureaus in the Departments of Public Works, Public Safety, Public Health and Charities, Supplies, Wharves, Docks and Ferries, Mayor, City Commissioners and Commissioners of Fairmount Park, for the year 1912, and for the construction of main and branch sewers, the grading and paving of streets, and the improvement of the water supply in West Philadelphia," and that the said Clerk at a meeting of Common Council after the expiration of four weeks from the first day of said publication, shall present to Common Council one of each of said newspapers for every day in which the said publication shall have been made.

APPENDIX No. 95.

Philadelphia, March 21. 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred a bill, together with sundry communications in relation thereto, entitled "An Ordinance to make an additional appropriation to the various Bureaus in

the Departments of Public Safety, Public Works, Public Health and Charities, Supplies, Mayor, Civil Service Commission, City Commissioners, Clerks of Councils, District Attorney and City Treasurer, for the year 1912," respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

John P. Connelly (*Ch'n*), John H. Hahn, William J. McCloskey, G. P. Darrow, Chas. A. Gillingham, E. Buchholz, Watson D. Upperman, W. Edwin Bonnick, Thomas J. Morton, John H. Baizley, John F. Flaherty, Robert S. McElroy, George D'Autrechy, Edw. W. Patton, G. W. Kucker

AN ORDINANCE

To make an additional appropriation to the various Bureaus in the Departments of Public Safety, Public Works, Public Health and Charities, Supplies, Mayor, Civil Service Commission, City Commissioners, Clerks of Councils, District Attorney and City Treasurer for the year 1912.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the sum of one hundred and twenty-eight thousand nine hundred and seventy-six (128,976) dollars and eleven (11) cents be, and the same is hereby appropriated to the various Bureaus in the Departments of Public Safety, Public Works, Public Health and Charities, Supplies, Mayor, Civil Service Commission, City Commissioners, Clerks of Councils, District Attorney and City Treasurer, for the year 1912, viz.:

Department of Public Safety (Director's Office): To Item 6, for the horse watering stations of the Women's Pennsylvania Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, one thousand (1,000) dollars, said appropriation to be paid in three installments in July, August and September; (Bureau of City Property): To Item 68, for repairing and re-furnishing fire engine house on Snyder avenue, west of Fifteenth street, in the Twenty-sixth Ward, ten thousand (10,000) dollars; to Item

9, for new roof, repairs, etc., to Morgue, two thousand (2,000) dollars.

Department of Public Works (Director's Office): To Item 1, to pay salary of telephone switchboard operator, at the rate of four hundred and eighty (480) dollars per annum, to date from March 1, four hundred (400) dollars; (Bureau of Highways): To Item 10, pay salaries of three electrical draw operators, at one thousand (1,000) dollars per annum each, and four watchmen, at a salary of seven hundred and twenty (720) dollars per annum each, for the Passyunk avenue draw bridge, Schuylkill river, and forty (40) dollars each per annum for uniforms; total, six thousand one hundred and sixty (6,160) dollars; To Item 63, for repaving, regrading, setting and resetting curb and to complete the widening of the roadway on Grays Ferry avenue, between Washington avenue and Thirty-sixth street, ten thousand (10,000) dollars; to Item 64, to pay bill of Filbert Paving and Construction Company for paving cartway of York road, north of Hunting Park avenue, in front of the Evangelical Home for the Aged, three hundred and eighty-nine (389) dollars and ninety-two (92) cents; and to refund to the Masonic Home of Pennsylvania money expended for paving west side of York road, between Boulevard and extension of Hunting Park avenue, one hundred and eighty-one (181) dollars and eighty-seven (87) cents; to refund to the Evangelical Lutheran Church of the Redeemer, Thirty-fifth and Midvale avenue, money expended for curbing in front of church, ninety (90) dollars and thirty-five (35) cents; to pay bill of Barber Asphalt Paving Company for the paving of Tabor street, east of Third street, in front of the First Presbyterian Church of Olney, one hundred and seventy-two (172) dollars and ninety-three (93) cents; total, eight hundred and thirty-five (835) dollars and seven (7) cents: *Provided*, Said bills be first assigned to the City of Philadelphia for cancellation; to Item 1½, to pay James Irvin for resurfacing River road, fifty-seven (57) dollars and ninety-seven (97) cents; to Item 65, to pay bill of James Irvin for removal of snow during January and February, eight thousand three hundred and fifty-one (8,351) dollars and forty-four (44) cents; to

Item 66, to reimburse the Filbert Paving and Construction Company for expenses incurred in connection with annulled contract for repaving of Vine street, from Front to Third street, five hundred and thirty-eight (538) dollars and fifty-five (55) cents; to Item 67, to pay the Vacuum Carpet and House Cleaning Company for cleaning rooms 230 to 238, inclusive, and room 543, City Hall, three hundred (300) dollars; to Item 68, to pay for laying temporary terra cotta stormwater drain in Twelfth street and in Sixty-fifth avenue north, to Eleventh street and Warnock street, eight hundred and fifty (850) dollars; to Item 69, for macadamizing Vandyke street, from Princeton avenue to St. Vincent street; Edmund street, from St. Vincent street to Cottman street; Friendship street, from Hagerman street to Torresdale avenue; St. Vincent street, from Keystone street to Hagerman street; and any balance remaining to be used for the laying of brick gutters on Disston street, between Tulip and Keystone streets, seven thousand (7,000) dollars; (Bureau of Surveys): To Item 38, to pay Howard E. Ruch for the construction of sewers on the north side of Allegheny avenue, west of Third street, and on the south side of Allegheny avenue, east from Fourth street, under the bed of the North Pennsylvania Railroad, three hundred and thirty-nine (339) dollars; to pay bill of Peter Ellis for construction of sewer in Wyoming avenue, east of A street, in front of property of United Presbyterian Church, one hundred and twenty (120) dollars; to pay bill of George E. Cantrell for the construction of sewer in Wilder street, east of Fifth street, in front of property of Mt. Sinai Hospital, one hundred and five (105) dollars; to pay bill of P. Durkins for the construction of sewer in Park avenue, north of Hunting Park avenue, in front of property of Evangelical Home for the Aged, two hundred and five (205) dollars and fifty (50) cents; total, seven hundred and sixty-nine (769) dollars and fifty (50) cents: *Provided*, Said bills be first assigned to the City of Philadelphia for cancellation; (Bureau of Water): To Item 1, so as to provide for a stop attendant, at the rate of one thousand (1,000) dollars per annum, said appointment to date from April 1, seven hundred and fifty

(750) dollars; to Item 9, to pay balance due extra clerks for writing water register books for the year 1912: Carol M. Black, sixty-two (62) dollars and fifty-two (52) cents; Joseph F. Barron, fourteen (14) dollars and sixty-five (65) cents; William Beitler, thirty-six (36) dollars and eleven (11) cents; William H. Coupe, twenty-five (25) dollars and seventy-seven (77) cents; Harry L. Christy, thirty-one (31) dollars and forty-seven (47) cents; Alvin C. Deemer, seventeen (17) dollars and sixty-six (66) cents; Ralph Flaherty, thirty-four (34) dollars and thirty (30) cents; Fred. Garman, forty-six (46) dollars and six (6) cents; William R. Graham, fifteen (15) dollars and nine (9) cents; Harry Gehman, thirty-one (31) dollars and sixty-six (66) cents; William J. Gibson, twenty (20) dollars and forty-two (42) cents; William E. Hickling, fifty-one (51) dollars and twenty-eight (28) cents; Fred. Jordan, sixteen (16) dollars and forty-eight (48) cents; Charles C. Kerr, seventeen (17) dollars and thirty-five (35) cents; Carl Muhly, fifty-six (56) dollars and thirty-three (33) cents; William E. Mehlman, thirteen (13) dollars and fifty (50) cents; Harry M. Platt, fifty-six (56) dollars and twenty-five (25) cents; George G. Paul, nineteen (19) dollars and eighty-five (85) cents; Robert T. Quinn, fifty-seven (57) dollars and ninety (90) cents; J. F. Schwindt, fifty (50) dollars and ninety-nine (99) cents; Alex. W. Selfridge, fifteen (15) dollars and fifty-six (56) cents; Harry Tuttle, eleven (11) dollars and forty (40) cents; John Welsh, thirteen (13) dollars and forty-eight (48) cents; total, seven hundred and sixteen (716) dollars and eight (8) cents.

Department of Public Health and Charities (Director's Office): To Item 12, for rental of a steamboat to be used for giving free daily (except Sundays) excursions, during July and August, for the children of the public and parochial schools, ten thousand (10,000) dollars; (Bureau of Health): To Item 1, so that the salary of the Assistant Medical Inspector in charge of child hygiene shall be at the rate of two thousand (2,000) dollars per annum, from April 1, four hundred and fifty (450) dollars; to Item 17, for the relief of children in the congested dis-

tricts during the heated term, two thousand five hundred (2,500) dollars; to Item 18, for the purchase of ice for distribution among the poor during the summer months, two thousand five hundred (2,500) dollars; to Item 19, for the execution of the Plumbers' Registration Act, one thousand (1,000) dollars; (Bureau of Charities): To Item 51, for the purchase of milk and ice for the sick, two thousand five hundred (2,500) dollars; to Item 52, for repairing shoes, one thousand eight hundred (1,800) dollars.

Department of Supplies (Surveys): To Item 13½ (new), for chemicals, apparatus and supplies for Testing Laboratory, six hundred (600) dollars.

Mayor: To Item 48, for maintenance of Philadelphia Band, fourteen thousand (14,000) dollars.

Civil Service Commission: To Item 2, for salaries, two assistant examiners, at the rate of one thousand eight hundred (1,800) dollars each per annum; two clerks or stenographers, at the rate of one thousand (1,000) dollars each per annum; three clerks or stenographers, at the rate of seven hundred and twenty (720) dollars each per annum; Medical Examiner, at the rate of one thousand six hundred (1,600) dollars per annum; assistant to the Medical Examiner, at the rate of nine hundred (900) dollars per annum; investigator, at the rate of one thousand two hundred (1,200) dollars per annum, said appointments to date from April 1; total, eight thousand five hundred and ninety-five (8,595) dollars; to Item 3, for advertising, extra clerk hire, repairs, alterations, postage, expert services, incidentals and apparatus, two thousand five hundred and fifty (2,550) dollars.

City Commissioners: To Item 1, so that the salary of the Court Criers shall be at the rate of two thousand (2,000) dollars per annum each, from January 1, six hundred (600) dollars; to Item 7, so that the salary of the clerk of Board of Jurors shall be at the rate of two thousand (2,000) dollars per annum, from January 1, six hundred (600) dollars; to Item 37, so as to provide for salary of messenger from January 1, eight hundred and forty (840) dollars.

Clerks of Councils: To Item 2, for printing Journals and other documents, four thousand (4,000) dollars; to Item 3, for binding Journals, ordinances and other documents, one thousand (1,000) dollars; to Item 7, for postage, engrossing, incidentals, etc., ten thousand (10,000) dollars; to Item 7 $\frac{1}{2}$, for the entertainment of Congressional Committee invited to view the harbor and League Island, five thousand (5,000) dollars; to Item 10, for a proper celebration of the Fourth of July, five thousand (5,000) dollars; to Item 12, toward defraying the expense of the Twelfth Annual Encampment of the American Veterans of Foreign Service, five thousand (5,000) dollars, said money to be expended under supervision of the Committee on Finance.

District Attorney: To Item 2, so that the salary of two stenographers and typewriters shall be at the rate of one thousand two hundred (1,200) dollars each per annum, from April 1, three hundred (300) dollars.

City Treasurer: To Item 1, so that the salary of the State Clerk shall be at the rate of two thousand two hundred and fifty (2,250) dollars per annum, from April 1, four hundred and twelve (412) dollars and fifty (50) cents.

APPENDIX No. 96.

Philadelphia, March 21, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred a bill, together with sundry communications in connection therewith, entitled "An Ordinance to authorize certain transfers in the annual appropriations to the various Bureaus in the Departments of Wharves, Docks and Ferries, Supplies and City Treasurer, for the year 1912," respectfully report that they have carefully

considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

John P. Connelly (*Ch'n*). John H. Hahn, William J. McCloskey, G. P. Darrow, Chas. A. Gillingham, E. Buchholz, Watson D. Upperman, W. Edwin Bonnick, Thomas J. Morton, John H. Baizley, John F. Flaherty, Robert S. McElroy, George D'Autrechy, Edw. W. Patton, G. W. Kucker

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize certain transfers in the annual appropriations to the various Bureaus in the Departments of Wharves, Docks and Ferries, Supplies and City Treasurer, for the year 1912.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the City Controller be, and he is hereby authorized to make the following transfers in the annual appropriations to the various Bureaus in the Departments of Wharves, Docks and Ferries, Supplies and City Treasurer, for the year 1912, viz.: Department of Wharves, Docks and Ferries: From Item 1, for salaries, nine hundred (900) dollars. City Treasurer: From Item 19, to report vital statistics, six hundred (600) dollars; total, one thousand five hundred (1,500) dollars, to the following: Department of Wharves, Docks and Ferries: To Item 30, for re-arranging offices, including partitions, railings, etc., three hundred (300) dollars. Department of Supplies (Wharves, Docks and Ferries): To Item 1, for stationery, printing, binding, etc., six hundred (600) dollars. City Treasurer: To Item 21, for Bell and Keystone telephone service, six hundred (600) dollars.

APPENDIX No. 97.

Philadelphia, March 21, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred a bill, together with sundry communications

in relation thereto, entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Director of the Department of Public Safety (Bureau of City of Property) to sell at public sale the lot or piece of ground situate at the southwest corner of Fifty-fifth street and Osage avenue, in the Forty-sixth Ward," respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

John P. Connelly (*Ch'n*), John H. Hahn, William J. McCloskey, G. P. Darrow, Chas. A. Gillingham, E. Buchholz, Watson D. Upperman, W. Edwin Bonnick, Thomas J. Morton, John H. Baizley, John F. Flaherty, Robert S. McElroy, George D'Autrechy, Edw. W. Patton, G. W. Kucker

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the Director of the Department of Public Safety (Bureau of City Property) to sell at public sale the lot or piece of ground situate at the southwest corner of Fifty-fifth street and Osage avenue, in the Forty-sixth Ward.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Director of the Department of Public Safety (Bureau of City Property) be, and he is hereby authorized and directed to offer at public sale and sell to the highest bidder: All that certain lot or piece of ground, beginning at the intersection of the southwest corner of Fifty-fifth street and Osage avenue, in the Forty-sixth Ward of the City of Philadelphia; thence extending westerly along the southerly side of Osage avenue seven feet seven and seven-eighths inches to a point; thence south forty-three degrees forty-two minutes forty-eight seconds east nine feet four and five-eighths inches to a point in the westerly side of Fifty-fifth street; thence extending northwardly along the westerly side of Fifty-fifth street five feet five inches to the southerly side of Osage avenue and place of beginning.

APPENDIX No. 98.

Philadelphia, March 21, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred a bill, together with sundry communications in relation thereto, entitled "An Ordinance to purchase lot of ground in the Forty-sixth Ward for fire house purposes," respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

John P. Connelly (*Ch'n*), John H. Hahn, William J. McCloskey, G. P. Darrow, Chas. A. Gillingham, E. Buchholz, Watson D. Upperman, W. Edwin Bonnick, Thomas J. Morton, John H. Baizley, John F. Flaherty, Robert S. McElroy, George D'Autrechy, Edw. W. Patton, G. W. Kucker

AN ORDINANCE

To purchase a lot of ground in the Forty-sixth Ward for fire house purposes.

WHEREAS, By authority of an ordinance of the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia approved the twenty-first day of July, 1908, the City purchased an irregular tract of ground at the southwest corner of Fifty-fifth and Pine streets for fire house purposes, and it is desired to purchase an additional tract for the purpose of squaring the above-mentioned lot; now therefore,

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the City Solicitor be, and he is hereby authorized and directed to examine the title of All that certain lot or piece of ground situate on the north side of Osage avenue at the distance of sixty-four feet two and five-eighths inches westwardly from the west side of Fifty-fifth street, in the Forty-sixth

Ward of the City of Philadelphia; thence extending westward along the west side of Osage avenue ninety-one feet ten and three-fourths inches to a point; thence extending northwardly on a line at right angles to Osage avenue sixty-five feet, more or less, to a point; thence extending south forty-three degrees forty-two minutes forty-eight seconds east one hundred and twelve feet six and three-fourths inches, more or less, to the place of beginning, and if he approves of the same to cause a conveyance of the said property to the City of Philadelphia in fee for fire house purposes. The price to be paid for the same not to exceed the sum of one thousand one hundred (1,100) dollars, to be charged against Item 38 in the annual appropriation to the Department of Public Safety (Bureau of City Property), for the year 1912. The said property to be taken subject to the payment by the City of Philadelphia of all charges for sewer, water pipe, cartway paving, curbing and sidewalk paving now built or laid in front of the above described premises.

APPENDIX No. 99.

Philadelphia, March 21, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred a bill, together with sundry communications in relation thereto, entitled "An Ordinance to approve a lot situate at the southwesterly corner of Sixty-fifth and Girard avenue, in the Thirty-fourth Ward of the City of Philadelphia as a site for one of the branch library buildings to be erected by the Trustees of the Free library of Philadelphia," respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

John P. Connelly (*Ch'n*), John H. Hahn, William J. McCloskey, G. P. Darrow, Chas. A. Gillingham, E. Buch-

holz, Watson D. Upperman, W. Edwin Bonnick, Thomas J. Morton, John H. Baizley, John F. Flaherty, Robert S. McElroy, George D'Autrechy, Edw. W. Patton, G. W. Kueker.

AN ORDINANCE

To approve a lot situate at the southwesterly corner of Sixty-fifth street and Girard avenue, in the Thirty-fourth Ward of the City of Philadelphia, as a site for one of the branch library buildings to be erected by the Trustees of the Free Library of Philadelphia.

WHEREAS, Alex. Simpson, Jr., has signified his intention of donating to the City of Philadelphia: All that certain lot or piece of ground situate at the southwesterly corner of Sixty-fifth street and Girard avenue (of the width of sixty feet), in the Thirty-fourth Ward of the City of Philadelphia; containing in front or breadth on said Sixty-fifth street one hundred and fifty feet, and extending of that width in length or depth westerly along the southerly side of Girard avenue (sixty feet wide) one hundred and fifty feet, under and subject to the existing restriction and agreement that no glue, soap or candle factory, skin-dressing establishment, dye house, slaughter house, lamp black factory, bone-boiling establishment or poudrette manufactory shall ever be erected on the real estate and premises whereof the above described lot of ground is part, as a site for one of the thirty branch library buildings to be erected by the Trustees of the Free Library of Philadelphia, under the terms of the gift from Andrew Carnegie, Esq., under the ordinance approved the eleventh day of January, 1904;

AND WHEREAS, The said Trustees of the Free Library of Philadelphia recommend said lot as a suitable site; therefore,

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the above described lot of ground is hereby approved as a site for one of the said branch library buildings, and the said Alex. Simpson, Jr. (his wife, Ella Trau Simpson, joining in the deed

therefor, so as to bar her dower interest therein), is hereby authorized to convey the same to the City of Philadelphia, subject to the existing restriction and agreement above mentioned, and upon the condition that the premises shall be used only as a site for one of the thirty branch library buildings herein referred to, and should such premises at any time hereafter cease to be used for such purpose, then the same shall revert to and become the property of the said Alex. Simpson, Jr., his heirs and assigns, without any conveyance thereof being required. The form of the deed conveying the said property to the City of Philadelphia to be approved by the City Solicitor.

APPENDIX No. 100.

Philadelphia, March 21, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bills directing the Department of Public Works to require owners of property abutting on the northwest and southeast sides of Rounfort avenue, Germantown avenue to Boyer street; and on Norwood street, for a distance of about 225 feet northward from Mermaid lane, to set curbs and lay footway pavements on both sides of the said streets, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed ordinance and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch'n*), Henry R. Shoch, J. E. Lennon, W. A. Miller, Wm. E. Finley, Thomas J. Morton, David G. Frankenfield, Chas. A. Gillingham, Chas. Seger, Edw. W. Patton, H. J. Trainer, Joseph Gubbins, John W. Whitaker, Wm. J. Harrington, Wm. Boal.

AN ORDINANCE

Directing the Department of Public Works to require owners of property abutting on the northwest and southeast sides of Roumfort avenue, Germantown avenue to Boyer street; and on Norwood street, from Mermaid lane to about 225 feet north, to set curbs and lay footway pavements on both sides of the said streets.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works be, and is hereby directed and empowered to require the owners of property abutting on the northwest and southeast sides of Roumfort avenue, from Germantown avenue to Boyer street; and on Norwood street, from Mermaid lane to about 225 feet north, to set curbs and pave footways on said streets between the points aforesaid; and if the said owners of property shall fail to lay such footways and set such curbs, as required, after twenty days' previous notice, in writing, from the Department of Public Works to do the said work, the said Department is hereby directed to cause said work to be done; the cost thereof to be assessed upon the property of such owners so in default, in front of or along which footways may be laid and curbing set, as provided by law.

All ordinances or parts of ordinances conflicting with the provisions of this ordinance be, and the same are hereby repealed so far as the same affect this ordinance.

APPENDIX No. 101.

Philadelphia, March 21, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Surveys, to whom was referred the bills to place on the City plan Beechwood, Croskey, Hemberger, Durfor, Fitzgerald, Pot-

ter and Seventh streets and Duncannon avenue, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and return the annexed ordinance with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Chas. A. Gillingham (*Ch'n*), Edward B. Howard, W. Edwin Bonnick, Stacy H. White, Geo. W. Spielberger, James M. Neely, George D'Autrechy, F. J. Cumiskey, George H. Kelley, W. W. Trinkle, Wm. J. Harrington, Daniel Cahill, James A. Humphrys, John P. Connelly.

AN ORDINANCE

To place on the City plan Beechwood, Croskey, Hemberger, Durfor, Fitzgerald, Potter and Seventh streets and Duncannon avenue.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works (Board of Surveyors) be authorized and directed to place on the City plan Beechwood street, of the width of forty feet, from Jackson to Wolf street; Croskey and Hemberger streets, each of the width of forty feet, from Jackson street to Passyunk avenue; Durfor and Fitzgerald streets, each of the width of forty feet, from Front to Second street; Potter street, of the width of forty feet, from I to Ontario street; Seventh street, of the width of fifty feet, from Sheel street to Duncannon avenue; Duncannon avenue, of the width of forty feet, from Seventh to Eighth street: *Provided*, That before said streets shall be placed on the plan the owners of property within the lines thereof shall, within one year from the approval of this ordinance, dedicate the beds of the same to the City on the lines and grades as confirmed by the Board of Surveyors, or shall indemnify the City against all damages or claims for damages which may arise from placing said streets on the plan and their subsequent opening to the confirmed lines and grades.

APPENDIX No. 102.

Philadelphia, March 21, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Surveys, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An Ordinance to strike from the City plan Daniel street, from Kingsley street to Washington lane," respectfully report that under all circumstances it would be unwise to extend Daniel street as far as Johnson street, the nearest street west of Washington lane, on account of the improvements abutting on Johnson street. As far as the public is concerned, it matters not whether Daniel street stops at Kingsley street or continues to Washington lane, but the City's interest is better served if Daniel street stops at Kingsley street, as there will be two building lots made available for building purposes, and will be built upon at an early date, if Daniel street is stricken from the plan; this will result in increased revenue to the City. We therefore return the annexed ordinance with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Chas. A. Gillingham (*Ch'n*), Edward B. Howard, W. Edwin Bonnick, Stacy H. White, Geo. W. Spielberger, James M. Neely, George D'Autreehy, F. J. Cumiskey, George H. Kelley, W. W. Trinkle, Wm. J. Harrington, Daniel Cahill, James A. Humphrys, John P. Connelly.

AN ORDINANCE

To strike from the City plan Daniel street, from Kingsley street to Washington lane.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works (Board of Surveyors) be authorized to strike from the City plan Daniel street, from Kingsley street to Washington lane: *Provided*, That the owners of property on said street shall, within one year from the

approval of this ordinance, file an agreement, satisfactory to the City Solicitor, indemnifying the City from all damages by reason of the striking of said street from the plan.

APPENDIX No. 103.

Philadelphia, March 21, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Surveys, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to authorize the revision of the lines and grades of Penn street, Rubicam street and Brighthurst street, in the Twenty-second Ward,” respectfully report that the object of the proposed revision is to bring the grades of the streets more conformable to the present physical condition. It would be both undesirable and unnecessarily costly to bring these streets to the old plan grade, improvements having existed for many years at the present physical grades. Ordinances have been pending for the paving of both Rubicam and Brighthurst streets. There will be no damages to property by reason of the proposed revision. We therefore return the annexed ordinance with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Chas. A. Gillingham (*Ch'n*), Edward B. Howard, W. Edwin Bonnick, Stacy H. White, Geo. W. Spielberger, James M. Neely, George D'Autrechy, F. J. Cumiskey, George H. Kelley, W. W. Triinkle, Wm. J. Harrington, Daniel Cahill, James A. Humphrys, John P. Connelly.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the revision of the lines and grades of Penn, Rubicam and Brighthurst streets, in the Twenty-second Ward.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain, That the Department*

of Public Works (Board of Surveyors) be authorized to revise the lines and grades of Penn street, from Bel-field avenue to Rubicam street; Rubicam street, from Penn street to Bringham street; and Bringham street, from Rubicam street to the offset in Rubicam street.

APPENDIX No. 104.

Philadelphia, March 21, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Surveys, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to authorize the revision of the lines and grades of Sherman and Cliveden streets, in the Twenty-second Ward,” respectfully report that the object of this ordinance is to relocate Sherman street farther eastwardly from its present location upon the City plan, in order to permit the erection of one large single dwelling on the portion of the lot between Sherman street and the Pennsylvania Railroad. The present location of Sherman street divides this property disadvantageously for such purposes. In 1899 a revision of grade was made on Johnson street which affects the grades of Sherman and Cliveden streets, and it is advisable at the present time along with the revision of Sherman street, to revise the lines and grades of Cliveden street also. The present plan grades of Cliveden street are such as would seriously damage the properties upon that street, and in the interest of the City and as advantage to the properties on Cliveden street, the grades of that street should be revised at this time. There will be no damage to the City by reason of the revision of Sherman street, and the revision of Cliveden street will cause less damage to property than the present plan. We therefore return the annexed ordinance with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Chas. A. Gillingham (*Ch'u*), Edward B. Howard,
W. Edwin Bonnick, Stacy H. White, Geo. W. Spiel-

berger, James M. Neely, George D'Autrechy, F. J. Cumiskey, George H. Kelley, W. W. Trinkle, Wm. J. Harrington, Daniel Cahill, James A. Humphrys, John P. Connelly.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the revision of the lines and grades of Sherman and Cliveden streets, in the Twenty-second Ward.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works (Board of Surveyors) be authorized to revise the lines and grades of Sherman street, from Johnson to Cliveden street; and of Cliveden street, from Sherman to Greene street: *Provided*, That Alice M. Paul shall, within one year from the approval of this ordinance, file an agreement, satisfactory to the City Solicitor, not to claim damages by reason of the revision of the lines and grades of Sherman street, between Johnson and Cliveden streets.

APPENDIX No. 105.

Philadelphia, March 21, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Surveys, to whom was referred the resolution of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit the Eagle Ice and Coal Company to lay a temporary terra cotta drain in Hoffman avenue, from Fifty-seventh street eastward 150 feet, respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed resolution and ask its passage.

Chas. A. Gillingham (*Ch'n*), Edward B. Howard,
W. Edwin Bonnick, Stacy H. White, Geo. W. Spiel-

berger, James M. Neely, George D'Antrechy, F. J. Cumiskey, George H. Kelley, W. W. Trinkle, Wm. J. Harrington, Daniel Cahill, James A. Humphrys, John P. Connelly.

RESOLUTION

Of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit the Eagle Ice and Coal Company to lay a temporary terra cotta drain in Hoffman avenue, from Fifty-seventh street eastward 150 feet.

Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the Director of the Department of Public Works be requested to permit the Eagle Ice and Coal Company to lay a temporary terra cotta drain in Hoffman avenue, from Fifty-seventh street eastward 150 feet. The said drain to be laid under the supervision and to the satisfaction of the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Surveys) without expense to the City of Philadelphia, and shall not release the owners of property from paying the regular frontage charges whenever a sewer shall be laid in said street.

APPENDIX No. 106.

RESOLUTION

Of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit George Woodward to lay a temporary drain in Hartwell lane, southwest of St. Martins lane, and in St. Martins lane, northeast and southwest of Hartwell lane.

Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the Director of the Department of Public Works be requested to permit George Woodward to lay a temporary terra cotta drain as follows: In Hartwell lane, from the terminus of the main

sewer about 1,600 feet to St. Martins lane; and in St. Martins lane northeastwardly about 550 feet and southwestwardly about 200 feet from said Hartwell lane. The said drain to be laid under the supervision and to the satisfaction of the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Surveys) without expense to the City of Philadelphia, and shall not release the owners of property from paying the regular frontage charges whenever a sewer shall be laid in said streets.

APPENDIX No. 107.

RESOLUTION

Of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit E. Walter Clark to lay a temporary terra cotta drain in Mermaid lane, northeastwardly from Emlen street.

Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the Director of the Department of Public Works be requested to permit E. Walter Clark to lay a temporary terra cotta drain in Mermaid lane, from a point about fifty feet southwest of Emlen street about six hundred feet to the sewer in Huron street, at or near the corner of said Mermaid lane. The said drain to be laid under the supervision and to the satisfaction of the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Surveys) without expense to the City of Philadelphia, and shall not release the owners of property from paying the regular frontage charges whenever a sewer shall be laid in said street.

APPENDIX No. 108

RESOLUTION

Of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit the Public Baths Association of Philadelphia to use water free of charge for their bath houses and laundry, Nos. 1203-1205 Germantown avenue.

Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the Director of the Department of Public Works be requested to permit the Public Baths Association of Philadelphia to use water free of charge for their public bath houses and laundry, located at Nos. 1203-1205 Germantown avenue.

APPENDIX No. 109.

RESOLUTION

Of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit Frank Boettcher to lay a temporary terra cotta drain in Mervine street, from the south building line of Loudon street south about 160 feet.

Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the Director of the Department of Public Works be requested to permit Frank Boettcher to lay a temporary terra cotta drain in Mervine street, from the south building line of Loudon street south about 160 feet. The said drain to be laid under the supervision and to the satisfaction of the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Surveys) without expense to the City of Philadelphia, and shall not release the owners of property from paying the regular frontage charges whenever a sewer shall be laid in said street.

APPENDIX No. 110.

FARMERS' AND MECHANICS' NATIONAL BANK.

Philadelphia, April 1, 1912.

GEORGE MCCURDY, Esq.,

President of Common Council.

DEAR SIR:—Agreeably to Section III of ordinance of Councils, approved the 16th day of March, 1872, we have the honor to submit herewith a report showing the amount of the three per cent. loan of April 1, 1890, of the City, on which interest is paid by the City, as it stood on November 1, 1911, and as it stands on the books of the Farmers' and Mechanics' National Bank, loan and transfer agent of the City, on April 1, 1912.

Very truly yours,

H. B. BARTOW,

Cashier.

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Semi-annual statement of interest due May 1, 1912, on the three per cent. loan of April 1, 1890, of the City of Philadelphia, as it appears on the books at the Farmers' and Mechanics' National Bank, Philadelphia, loan and transfer agent of the City, on April 1, 1912.

Principal. Interest.

Three per cent. loan, untaxed, registered. \$1,840,000 \$27,600

THE FARMERS' AND MECHANICS' NATIONAL
BANK, PHILADELPHIA.

Loan and Transfer Agent of the City.

H. B. BARTOW,

*Cashier.**Philadelphia, April 1, 1912.*

Report of the amount of the three per cent. loan of April 1, 1890, of the City of Philadelphia, on which interest is paid by the City, as it stood on November 1, 1911, and as it stands on the books at the Farmers' and Mechanics' National Bank, Philadelphia, loan and transfer agent of the City, on April 1, 1912.

Amount of three per cent. loan, November 1, 1911..	\$2,070,000
Amount of three per cent. loan, April 1, 1912.....	1,840,000
Decrease.....	\$230,000

THE FARMERS' AND MECHANICS' NATIONAL
BANK, PHILADELPHIA.

Loan and Transfer Agent of the City.

H. B. BARTOW,
Cashier.

Philadelphia, April 1, 1912.

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Report showing the amount of the three per cent. loan of April 1, 1890, of the City of Philadelphia, on which interest is paid by the City, as it appears on the books at the Farmers' and Mechanics' National Bank, Philadelphia, loan and transfer agent of the City, on April 1, 1912.

Amount of loan registered, held by general holders, November 1, 1911.....	\$248,000	
Amount of loan registered, held by Sinking Funds, November 1, 1911.....	1,822,000	
		\$2,070,000
Amount of loan registered, held by general holders, April 1, 1912.....	\$240,000	
Amount of loan registered, held by Sinking Funds, April 1, 1912.....	1,600,000	
		1,840,000
Decrease.....		\$230,000

THE FARMERS' AND MECHANICS' NATIONAL
BANK, PHILADELPHIA.

Loan and Transfer Agent of the City.

H. B. BARTOW,
Cashier.

Philadelphia, April 1, 1912.

APPENDIX No. 111.

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR.

Philadelphia, April 4, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—I enclose herewith a letter from Joseph S. Neff, M. D., Director of the Department of Public Health and Charities, and would request your Honorable Bodies to make an additional appropriation of \$6,000, under Item 33, for that Department.

It is apparent that unless the money is appropriated at this time it will be impossible to operate the Byberry Farms for the coming season. A large tract of land of approximately 800 acres would thus be made useless for the purpose for which it is intended, which is to raise vegetables, etc., not only for the occupants of that tract of land, but also for the other institutions under the charge of that Department.

By giving this your attention and approval you will oblige,

Very respectfully yours,

RUDOLPH BLANKENBURG,

Mayor.

Philadelphia, April 3, 1912.

HON. RUDOLPH BLANKENBURG,
Mayor of Philadelphia.

DEAR SIR:—In our estimates for 1912, Bureau of Charities, Item 33, covering farming implements, cattle, seed, feed and miscellaneous farming supplies for the Byberry Farms, we asked for \$50,000. The amount appropriated under this item was \$6,000.

On January 18th, in a letter to Mr. John P. Connelly, Chairman of the Finance Committee, we asked for an additional \$6,000 under this item for fertilizer, seed and manure which were necessary to plant the spring crops. This amount has not been appropriated. On March 19th, in a letter to your Honor, we asked, under this item, for \$20,000.

There is imperative need of money in this item, if the farm at Byberry is to be operated successfully this year. We are now face to face with the urgent need of fertilizer so that the spring crops may be planted, and I respectfully urge upon you the necessity of securing for us the foregoing appropriation.

Very respectfully yours,

J. S. NEFF,

Director.

APPENDIX No. 112.

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR.

Philadelphia, April 4, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—I herewith enclose a list of bills contracted by the Mayor's Office prior to January 1, 1912, with a recommendation that an appropriation be made to pay these claims, as I am satisfied that they are just and proper.

Respectfully yours,

RUDOLPH BLANKENBURG,

Mayor.

DEFICIENCY BILLS FOR 1911.

MAYOR'S OFFICE.

American Bank Note Co., printing certificates,	
City loan	\$4,473 75
McCann Brothers Ice Company, ice.....	24 46
Philadelphia Inquirer, advertising ordinances..	31 40
The Press Company, advertising ordinances....	150 30
The Evening Times, advertising ordinances...	147 00
Locust Auto Supply Company, auto accessories.	75 42
American Garage and Machine Shop, repairs..	22 70
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APPENDIX No. 113.

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR.

Philadelphia, April 4, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—I beg to call your attention to the letter received by me under date of March 28th, from the Director of the Department of Public Safety, copy of which is attached hereto, and the accompanying letter of which copy is also attached, received by the Director, under date of March 27th, from the City Solicitor.

The Director desires that Edwin Clark, Chief of the Bureau of Building Inspection, should be permitted to serve as secretary of the Commission recently appointed by the Governor to codify the building laws of the State of Pennsylvania. It appears that this is now rendered impossible by the ordinance appropriating funds for the maintenance of the Bureau of Building Inspection, providing that "the Chief Inspector shall give his entire time and undivided attention to the duties of his office."

I agree with the Director that it is extremely desirable that the Chief of the Bureau of Building Inspection should be closely associated with the work of this Commission, as Philadelphia is more concerned than any other community in the State in the changes that may be made in the building laws.

I therefore recommend to your Honorable Bodies the passage of an ordinance permitting Chief Clark to accept the appointment and to serve in the capacity of secretary of the Commission referred to.

Respectfully yours,

RUDOLPH BLANKENBURG,

Mayor.

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(Copy)

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY.

Philadelphia, March 28, 1912.

HON. RUDOLPH BLANKENBURG,

Mayor of Philadelphia.

MY DEAR SIR:—Governor Tener recently appointed a Commission to codify the building laws of the State of Pennsylvania.

Members of this Commission called on me a few days ago, requesting that I secure for them the services of Edwin Clark, Chief of the Bureau of Building Inspection, to act as secretary of this Commission.

An ordinance of Councils, appropriating Chief Clark's salary, provides that he must devote all his time to the duties of his office, and in an opinion just received from the City Solicitor, I am advised that this proviso is mandatory.

It seems to me that it is extremely desirable that Chief Clark should have something to do with this Commission, as Philadelphia stands in the forefront in the matter of

building operations, and this particular community would probably be affected more than any other. I am therefore writing you to request Councils to rescind that portion of the ordinance which precludes Chief Clark from attending to any outside matters, in order that he may take up the work in connection with this Commission.

Respectfully yours,

(Signed) GEORGE D. PORTER,
Director.

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(Copy)

Philadelphia, March 27, 1912.

GEORGE D. PORTER, ESQ.,

Director, Department of Public Safety.

DEAR SIR:—I am in receipt of your letter of this date, inquiring as to the right of the Chief of the Bureau of Building Inspection to serve as secretary of a committee to codify the building laws of the State, appointed by the Governor, at a salary to be fixed by the Committee.

The ordinance appropriating funds for the maintenance of the Bureau of Building Inspection for the current year provides that "the Chief Inspector shall give his entire time and undivided attention to the duties of his office." As this ordinance stands, it would seem to prevent the appointment of the Chief Inspector as secretary of the Committee.

You ask further whether it would be wise to ask Councils to rescind its action and state that "it is highly important that someone connected with this City's government should have something to do with the codification of the laws relative to building operations, as this City stands in the forefront regarding these affairs." I concur in your views that the City should be represented by some competent person on this Committee as secretary or otherwise. Whether the Chief Inspector should be chosen for that position involves a question of administrative detail per-

taining to your Department concerning which I should feel some diffidence in venturing an opinion. If it is intended to request Councils to so provide that the Chief Inspector may serve, I would suggest that an ordinance giving the necessary permission of Councils rather than one rescinding the general direction that the Chief Inspector give his entire time and attention to the duties of his office, be prepared for presentation to those bodies.

Very truly yours,

(Signed) MICHAEL J. RYAN,
City Solicitor.

APPENDIX No. 114.

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR.

Philadelphia, April 4, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—I desire to call your attention to the accompanying draft of an ordinance to regulate the use and storage of gasoline, and to the accompanying copies of letters from the Director of the Department of Public Safety and the Fire Marshal, with reference thereto.

I believe that this proposed ordinance is a useful and necessary measure, and I trust that it may have your favorable attention.

Respectfully yours,

RUDOLPH BLANKENBURG,

Mayor.

Philadelphia, April 4, 1912.

GEORGE D. PORTER, Esq.,

Director, Department of Public Safety.

DEAR SIR:—I have the honor to return herewith ordinance to "Regulate the having, using, storing and keeping

of gasoline by public and private garages in quantities over five gallons."

I have carefully examined this ordinance and give it my unqualified approval. It is an exact copy of an ordinance agreed upon by counsel for the Automobile Club of Philadelphia, the Board of Fire Underwriters, representatives of all gasoline tank builders, who were satisfied there was no discrimination against any such builders, and by myself. Under the present law a license to carry gasoline in the fire belt, lying between Mifflin street and Allegheny avenue, from river to river, is limited to one barrel of about 50 gallons, which is not sufficient to carry on the business of garages, and I therefore recommend the adoption of the enclosed ordinance.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) JOHN LATTIMER,

Fire Marshal.

(Copy)

Philadelphia, April 4, 1912.

HON. RUDOLPH BLANKENBURG,

Mayor of Philadelphia.

SIR:—I have the honor to forward herewith draft of an ordinance to regulate the having, using, storing and keeping of gasoline by public and private garages in quantities over five gallons, which I respectfully suggest that you send to Councils with a request that the committee to which it may be referred will hold a meeting to consider the same, at which all interested parties may be heard.

This ordinance is an exact copy of an ordinance introduced in Councils last year, the original draft of which was made by counsel of the Automobile Club of Philadelphia. The original draft was carefully gone over by the Fire Marshal, the representatives of the Board of Fire Underwriters and counsel for various gasoline tank

builders, the latter of whom were consulted to overcome any charges which might be made regarding discrimination of the character of tank which was to be used, with the result that when the ordinance was finally put into its present shape it did not insist upon any particular kind of tank, but permitted the use of any good tank which would secure the approval of the Fire Marshal.

I would further respectfully suggest that in view of the contemplated creation of a central garage for municipal automobiles, it will be necessary to carry a much larger quantity of gasoline than is permitted under the present law, which limits the license for any place within the fire belt, between Delaware and Schuylkill rivers and Mifflin street and Allegheny avenue, to one barrel of about fifty gallons.

Respectfully submitted,
(Signed) GEORGE D. PORTER.

Director.

AN ORDINANCE

To regulate the having, using, storing and keeping of gasoline by public and private garages in quantities over five gallons.

The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain:

SECTION 1. Definitions:

(a) An automobile is any self-propelling vehicle.

(b) A public garage is a building where automobiles are kept and stored by the public; where automobiles are rented out to and hired by the public; where a charge is made for the use of or for the storage and keeping of automobiles.

(c) A private garage is a building where one or more automobiles are kept and stored for private use only, and not rented or hired out to the public, or any charge made for storage.

(d) Gasoline shall mean and include any product of petroleum which gives off inflammable vapors at any temperature below one hundred and ten (110) degrees Fahrenheit.

(e) Approved, means by the Fire Marshal.

SECT. 2. That on or after the first day of May, 1912, it shall be unlawful for any person or persons, corporations, firm or co-partnership to keep, store or handle gasoline in any public or private garage in quantities in excess of five gallons, except in tanks of automobiles, to be carried in approved safety containers, except under the compliance of said person or persons, corporation, firm or co-partnership with the conditions hereinafter mentioned.

SECT. 3. Quantity: The capacity of any tank shall not exceed five hundred and sixty (560) gallons nor shall more than four tanks be permitted in connection with any one public or private garage.

SECT. 4. Gasoline tanks:

(a) All tanks shall be installed outside of building, underground, not less than two (2) feet below surface, entirely surrounded by earth well tamped in place and furnished with a footing or foundation of concrete, brick or stone, to be at least six (6) inches thick.

(b) If impracticable to locate storage tanks outside of building, they may be buried three (3) feet below level of the basement or cellar floor, imbedded in the earth, and covered by at least three (3) feet of earth, and to be furnished with footing or foundation of concrete, brick or stone at least six (6) inches thick.

(c) All tanks of five hundred and sixty (560) gallons or under shall be made of at least twelve (12) gauge galvanized steel or at least one quarter ($\frac{1}{4}$) inch black open hearth tank steel. All of these tanks shall be welded or riveted and in every respect substantially constructed, and galvanized or painted with not less than two (2) coats of rust resisting material on the outside thereof. Where tanks are more than four (4) feet in diameter,

the thickness of the metal shall be increased proportionally; provided, however, that the thickness of the metal for a tank four (4) feet in diameter need not be greater than six (6) gauge galvanized steel or 5/16 inch black open hearth tank steel. Where steel is specified, iron or other approved metal of approved quality and thickness may be substituted.

(d) Filler pipes must be made of galvanized iron pipe, one and one-half ($1\frac{1}{2}$) inches or more in diameter, entering at the top and extending to bottom of tank; upper end of said filler tank must terminate in an approved cap or plug, securely locked. Where tanks are located under the building, filler pipe must run to the outside of the building and terminate in an approved cap or plug, same to be securely locked. Where filler pipe runs to sidewalk, it must terminate in an approved cap or plug securely locked, and be protected by a metal filler box, the same to be flush with the sidewalk, the cover to the said filler box to be securely locked. Filler pipes in alleyways shall terminate in an approved cap or plug, securely locked, and extending above the ground level close to the building.

(e) Tanks located within ten (10) feet of any building, or within the building, shall be provided with one (1) inch diameter or larger vent pipe, same to be connected to the top of such tank. This pipe must be carried up to at least four (4) feet above the roof of said building, and terminate in a goose-neck and spark arrester.

(f) Pipe connecting the tank with discharge point in building must be of galvanized iron and must enter top of tank. Said pipe must be buried at least ten (10) inches below the surface, and any exposed portion thereof must be thoroughly and properly protected. This connection pipe must not be lower at any point than where same leaves the tank.

SECT. 5. All tanks in garages used for storage of gasoline, now located on sidewalks or above ground, shall be removed and installed in accordance with this ordinance on or before the first day of May, 1912.

SECT. 6. All gasoline must be drawn from the tanks by means of an approved apparatus.

SECT. 7. Where gasoline is drawn inside the building, lighting shall be by incandescent electric lights, with all electric switches and cut-offs permanently located at least four (4) feet above the floor. No fire or open light shall be permitted in the room where filling of reservoir of automobile is done.

SECT. 8. Handling and storing of gasoline inside of garages:

(a) No gasoline or other volatile inflammable liquids shall be kept in any garage, except in reservoirs of automobiles or when stored or handled in self-closing safety-containers, or in portable filling tanks.

(b) When self-closing safety-containers are used for the storing or handling of gasoline or other volatile inflammable liquids, not more than five (5) gallons of gasoline, or other volatile inflammable liquids, shall be kept in any building, and the self-closing containers must be made of metal and must be of approved construction and must be of a capacity not to exceed five (5) gallons.

(c) When portable wheel tanks are used for the handling of gasoline or other volatile inflammable liquids, the tanks must be of a capacity not to exceed fifty (50) gallons and must be of at least three-sixteenths ($3/16$) inch tank steel or other approved metal, and must be of approved construction. The said portable tanks shall be supported on wheels not less than thirty (30) inches in diameter, the same being equipped with rubber or other approved tires, and the tank must be provided with an approved all-metal pump or other approved device. This pump to be provided with hose attachment, and hose must not exceed ten (10) feet in length. This pump must be equipped with approved ground key shut-off cock where hose is attached to pump, also with approved ground key shut-off cock at end of hose. Pump must be equipped with a convenient lock and the same must be locked when not in use.

SECT. 9. There shall be constantly kept and maintained convenient receptacles filled with sand, to be used in absorbing waste oils on the floor. In addition to this, sand shall be kept in box or boxes of approved construction, provided with hand scoop, to be used for fire extinguishing purposes only.

SECT. 10. No smoking shall be allowed in any rooms in which volatile or inflammable liquids are kept or used.

SECT. 11. No public or private garage shall keep or store any gasoline in excess of five (5) gallons until application shall have been made to the Mayor and a license granted. No license shall be granted to any person or persons, corporation, firm or co-partnership until the Fire Marshal has examined the premises and certified to the Mayor that the requirements of this ordinance have been complied with, and that he approves such application for license. Upon such certificate being made to the Mayor, and upon payment of a fee of five (5) dollars for each tank, and likewise for the annual renewal thereof, the Mayor shall issue said license, which license shall continue in force until the first day of January succeeding.

Provided, That if the Fire Marshal shall decide that an applicant for a license is not entitled to his license by reason of endangering the public safety, said applicant may appeal in writing to the Director of the Department of Public Safety within three (3) days after having received notice of the decision of the Fire Marshal, specifying in such appeal the reason and ground therefor. The Director of the Department of Public Safety shall immediately refer such appeal to a commission, which shall consist of the Chief of the Fire Department, the Chief of the Bureau of Building Inspection, and the Secretary of the Philadelphia Fire Underwriters' Association. Said commission shall carefully consider said appeal and make decision thereon, and the decision shall be final. The decision of any two shall be the decision of the commission.

SECT. 12. No gasoline, benzine or naphtha or other volatile liquid shall be used for washing automobiles or parts thereof, or for any other purposes, except as fuel in gasoline motors.

SECT. 13. Any person, firm or corporation violating any of the provisions of this ordinance shall be subject to a fine of one hundred (100) dollars for each offence, said fine to be collected as like penalties are now collected, and his, their or its license shall be forthwith revoked by the Mayor, and no license shall be issued to any person, firm or corporation so offending, directly, or on his, their or its behalf, until all fines and penalties have been paid.

APPENDIX No. 115.

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR.

Philadelphia, April 4, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The decision of Court of Common Pleas No. 2, regarding police officers appointed since September, 1907, under the illegal action of the then Civil Service Commissioners, must inevitably work great hardship upon a large number of policemen and firemen who were thus appointed.

These men are entitled to early relief. It is not, in most cases, their fault that they were appointed contrary to law; they have performed their duties and should receive their pay.

I would therefore request your Honorable Bodies to take such action as may commend itself to your judgment to give immediate relief to those affected. Their families should not be made to suffer by the withholding of their pay and I hope some means may be found to give them prompt compensation for the work performed.

By giving this recommendation your immediate attention you will oblige,

Yours respectfully,
RUDOLPH BLANKENBURG,
Mayor.

APPENDIX No. 116.

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR.

Philadelphia, April 4, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—Permit me to call your attention to the accompanying letter received under date of March 29th from the Director of the Department of Public Safety and to the attached ordinance relating to an emergency appropriation necessary for the repair of one of the engines at the high pressure pumping station.

It seems important that this matter should be attended to at once and I hope it may receive prompt and favorable action by your Honorable Bodies.

Respectfully yours,
RUDOLPH BLANKENBURG,
Mayor.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY.

Philadelphia, March 29, 1912.

HON. RUDOLPH BLANKENBURG,
Mayor of the City of Philadelphia.

SIR:—I am in receipt of a report from the Superintendent of the High Pressure Fire Service System, wherein

he says that Engine No. 5 on the south side of the Delaware avenue and Race street pumping station has developed a bad break in the bed plates and crank case under the cylinders, which break shows on the bottom and sides of the bed plate, and is of such a serious nature that it will require an entirely new bed plate and crank case, as the same consist of one casting; and further, that the engine in question is entirely out of use and cannot be placed in service again until repaired.

It is my desire to purchase this new crank case at the very earliest possible moment; the same cannot be purchased from other than the Westinghouse Machine Company, who furnished this engine originally; the said Company has submitted a price for the above of \$1,352, and I would respectfully ask that Councils be requested to make an appropriation to Item 15 (new), Bureau of Fire, accordingly.

We have no funds available for this purpose. In the ordinance to be introduced covering the above I would suggest the following preamble:

“WHEREAS, The crank case or base plate of one of the Westinghouse engines installed in the High Pressure Fire Station, Delaware avenue and Race street, has broken, and it is essential to have the same replaced at once, in order that the necessary fire protection service may not be interfered with; and further, inasmuch as the engine in question was furnished by the Westinghouse Machine Company, of East Pittsburgh, Pa., and they being the only firm capable of promptly furnishing a new case or base, therefore,”

which ordinance should also provide and authorize the Director of the Department of Public Safety to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, the necessary warrant for payment of bill to be submitted, inasmuch as it will be impossible to obtain more than one proposal, as above set forth; hence, an advertisement would be of no avail.

I would respectfully recommend that Councils be requested to give this matter immediate attention.

Respectfully,

GEORGE D. PORTER,

Director.

AN ORDINANCE

To make an additional appropriation to the Department of Public Safety (Bureau of Fire), for the year 1912.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the sum of one thousand three hundred and fifty-two (1,352) dollars be and the same is hereby appropriated to the Department of Public Safety (Bureau of Fire), to

Item 15. (New). For the purchase of a new crank case for engine No. 5, High Pressure Fire Service System, located at Delaware avenue and Race street.

WHEREAS, The crank case or base plate of one of the Westinghouse engines installed in the High Pressure Fire Station, Delaware avenue and Race street, has broken, and it is essential to have the same replaced at once, in order that the necessary fire protection service may not be interfered with, and further, inasmuch as the engine in question was furnished by the Westinghouse Machine Company, of East Pittsburgh, Pa., and they being the only firm capable of promptly furnishing a new case or base; therefore,

The Director of the Department of Public Safety is hereby authorized to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, warrant for one thousand three hundred and fifty-two (1,352) dollars in favor of the Westinghouse Machine Company upon the completion of the installation of the new crank case as above stated.

APPENDIX No. 117.

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR.

Philadelphia, April 4, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—I desire to ask your attention to the accompanying ordinance providing for an additional appropriation of six thousand dollars to the Civil Service Commission for the balance of the current year, as well as a copy of a letter received by the Mayor from the Civil Service Commission under date of March 19, 1912, both of which are hereto attached.

I believe that this appropriation is reasonable and is necessary to the work of the Commission, and I trust that it may receive your early and favorable attention.

Respectfully yours,

RUDOLPH BLANKENBURG,

Mayor.

AN ORDINANCE

To make an additional appropriation to the Civil Service Commission, for the year 1912

SECTION. 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the sum of six thousand (6,000) dollars be, and the same is hereby appropriated to the Civil Service Commission for the balance of the year 1912.

Item 4. For equipment, including purchase of furniture, fittings, and library, two thousand (2,000) dollars.

Item 5. For special or extra examiners, monitors, and other extra temporary employees, four thousand (4,000) dollars.

And warrants to be drawn to the President of the Civil Service Commission in conformity with existing ordinances.

All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith be, and the same are hereby, repealed.

CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION
OF THE CITY OF PHILADELPHIA.

Philadelphia, March 19, 1912.

HON. RUDOLPH BLANKENBURG,
Mayor of Philadelphia.

DEAR SIR:—Replying to your letter of the 18th inst., and in pursuance of our interview of this morning, we would say that the most conservative estimate of the amount the Commission will need for this department, outside of the regular office force already covered by the ordinance recently introduced in Councils, is shown by the following items:

Item 4. Equipment, including purchase of furniture, fittings and library, \$2,000.

Note.—In connection with the above item we would say that the accommodations which the Commission now has are not sufficient to meet its purely administrative needs, and we feel that we should have large additional rooms with a combined seating capacity of 400 and upwards for the purpose of examinations. If this cannot possibly be, and we are compelled to use our present examination rooms, which are quite inadequate, we should even then have to have additional rooms for administrative purposes, so that in either event and no matter to what use the new rooms are put, they must be equipped, and their equipment will, of course, cost money. Moreover, our examining staff are sorely in need of a library of technology, covering engineering and other professional lines, chemistry, the trades, etc. This alone, we

are informed, will cost several hundred dollars, and ought to be charged to capital account.

Item 5. Special or extra examiners, monitors and other temporary employees, \$4,000.

Note.—Large schedules of examinations will probably be published at least twice a year, in addition to other announcements of examinations. At such times there is a vast amount of additional work relating to the preparation of examination questions, conduct of examinations, the marking of many thousands of papers, the notifications to attend and the averages obtained at examinations. Moreover, the good of the City demands the employment, from time to time, of experts in the various lines of business to act as extra or special examiners, in conjunction with the regular examiners and the Commission itself in the preparation of examinations for certain classes of positions.

The 1912 appropriation to the Municipal Civil Service Commission of the City of New York corresponding to this item is \$20,500, as follows:

Examiners	\$15,000
Experts	2,000
Monitors	3,500
	————\$20,500

This is in addition to its 19 regular examiners. The 1912 appropriation to the Civil Service Commission of the City of Chicago has two items for special examiners which total \$9,160.

This is in addition to its 14 regular examiners—main division—and its 8 efficiency examiners—efficiency division.

It is interesting to note that while the total appropriation to this Commission for 1912, including the amounts covered by the ordinance now pending, is \$41,735, the 1912 appropriation to the Municipal Civil Service Commission of New York City is \$173,760 and the like appropriation in Chicago is \$100,705.

We submit herein a form of ordinance to cover the appropriations for the current year for the above mentioned items.

Very respectfully,

(Signed) FRANK M. RITER.

APPENDIX No. 118.

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR.

Philadelphia, April 4, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—By an ordinance of Councils, approved July 21, 1911, an appropriation was made to the Department of Public Health and Charities (Bureau of Charities) to Item 52-D, for the erection of buildings for the care of feeble-minded persons. Under authority of this ordinance, a contract was entered into by the City and signed by the Mayor on December 22, 1911, with Percival M. Sax and Frederick W. Abbott, trading as Sax & Abbott, for the erection of said buildings on property belonging to the City, commonly known as the "Brown Tract," in the Forty-first Ward of the City of Philadelphia, for the contract price of \$188,904. Work has not yet been begun under this contract.

The ordinance was passed and the contract entered into as a part of a larger plan for the relief of the congested conditions that have existed for many years at Blockley, by the use of the buildings there solely for hospital purposes and by the removal from that location of the insane, feeble-minded and indigent. It was planned to provide for the male indigent by buildings already contracted for on grounds near the House of Correction at Holmesburg, for feeble-minded persons, on property belonging to the City at Torresdale, known as the "Brown Tract," and

for insane persons on property owned by the City at Byberry.

Within the last two months the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Health and Charities have received criticisms of portions of this plan. These have come in large numbers from citizens actively and intelligently interested in private enterprises looking to the relief of the indigent and feeble-minded, and recently a Committee of One Hundred Citizens was formed, representing a large number of charitable organizations of the City. These citizens believe that the plan to locate the buildings for the feeble-minded on the Brown Tract is ill-advised because of the character of the property and its location. It is already crossed by railroad tracks and in the future will be bisected by the Torresdale Boulevard, which has been placed on the City plan. A considerable portion of the property is covered by fine, large trees which, while adding notably to its beauty, reduce the area which can be used for cultivation, and outdoor labor is very essential in the treatment of the feeble-minded. The Director of the Department of Public Health and Charities fully agrees with them in this opinion. A copy of the resolution adopted by the Citizens' Committee of One Hundred on Municipal Charities is hereto attached.

The Brown Tract can doubtless be sold for a price per acre of three or four times that which the City would be required to pay for any additional property acquired for similar purposes. An available tract can be bought to-day near the Byberry Tract for three hundred dollars an acre. The City will not be the loser by giving up the idea of building on the Brown Tract, but will be the gainer by many thousands of dollars.

The Director of the Department of Public Health and Charities and the Mayor believe it will be to the advantage of the City if the latter can be relieved of its contract with Messrs. Sax & Abbott, and be free to plan for the location of the buildings for the care of feeble-minded persons on another site better suited for this purpose.

With this in view, they have had a number of inter-

views with the contractors, and on April 2d, the Mayor received a letter from the latter, bearing the same date, agreeing to the abrogation of their contract upon the payment to them of the sum of ten thousand (10,000) dollars. A copy of this letter is hereto attached. I believe that this is a very reasonable offer on the part of the contractors, and that it will be to the advantage of the City to cancel this contract upon these terms.

I therefore respectfully request your Honorable Bodies to pass an ordinance approving of this action and making an appropriation of ten thousand (10,000) dollars to the Mayor, to be paid to the said contractors upon the abrogation of their contract and in full settlement of their claims thereunder.

Respectfully yours,

RUDOLPH BLANKENBURG,

Mayor.

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(Copy)

SAX & ABBOTT

1326 Chestnut Street, Philadelphia.

Philadelphia, April 2, 1912.

HON. RUDOLPH BLANKENBURG,

Mayor of Philadelphia.

DEAR SIR:—Referring to the proposition made by you under date of the 1st inst., having in view the abrogation of the contract dated December 22, 1911, between the City of Philadelphia and ourselves, for the erection of buildings E, G and J for the Philadelphia Home for Feeble Minded, in the Forty-first Ward, we, without prejudice to any claims we have or may have against the City of Philadelphia on account of said contract, have decided to agree to your offer to abrogate this contract, predicated upon an immediate payment to us in the sum of ten thousand (10,000) dollars.

We are actuated entirely by a desire to serve you and your administration in this matter, rather than to serve ourselves in a business capacity, as the profits which would accrue to us in the performance of the construction of these buildings would be largely in excess of the sum you offer at this time.

Respectfully yours,

(Signed) SAX & ABBOTT.

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RESOLUTION

Relative to the abrogation of the Contract of the Sax & Abbott Construction Company for a Home for the Feeble-Minded.

WHEREAS, The City has entered into a contract for the construction of an institution for the feeble-minded, on the tract known as the Brown Farm, adjoining the Torresdale Filters, and

WHEREAS, This property is unsuited to its purpose because of its character and location, and the fact that it is bisected by the Torresdale Boulevard, and

WHEREAS, The Sax & Abbott Construction Company, contractors, have agreed to accept the sum of \$10,000 as compensation for the abrogation of this contract; therefore be it

Resolved, The Executive Committee of the Committee of One Hundred, after attending a hearing before the Mayor, at which were present the Mayor, the Director of Health and Charities, Mr. Seger of the Finance Committee of Councils, and Mr. Felton, Chief Clerk of Councils, and at which were presented resolutions adopted by the Committee of One Hundred at a recent meeting, would strongly urge the City of Philadelphia not to carry out the contract made with the Sax & Abbott Construction Company for the erection of an institution for the Feeble-Minded on the Brown Farm, and to allow and pay

to the Sax & Abbott Construction Company the sum of \$10,000, this amount being deemed by the Committee entirely reasonable; and be it further

Resolved, That the Mayor be requested to transmit these resolutions to Councils with the recommendation that this contract be abrogated on the grounds of public policy and for the best interests of the City, both financial and otherwise.

APPENDIX No. 119.

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR.

Philadelphia, April 4, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—I herewith transmit to your Honorable Bodies certain bills contracted during the year 1911.

As the present administration has no knowledge as to the correctness of these bills, I forward them to you without recommendation, for your consideration. Some of these items, no doubt, are correct and should be paid, while others I would prefer to leave to your judgment to take such action as you deem best.

Respectfully yours,

RUDOLPH BLANKENBURG,

Mayor.

DEFICIENCY BILLS FOR 1911.

MAYOR'S OFFICE.

American Taxicab Company, automobile hire. .	\$1,366 00
American Garage and Machine Shop, repairs. .	719 17
Locust Auto Supply Company, auto accessories. .	602 65

Kugler's Restaurant Company, meals.....	\$244 05
Evening Bulletin, Convention Hall proposals..	94 50
Public Ledger, Convention Hall proposals.....	133 50
Philadelphia Tageblatt, Convention Hall proposals.....	99 60
Philadelphia Record, Convention Hall proposals.....	112 50
Evening Telegraph, Convention Hall proposals.	93 75
Sunday Dispatch, Convention Hall proposals..	38 00
Philadelphia Inquirer, Convention Hall proposals.....	111 75
Starr Printing Company, Convention Hall proposals.....	33 60
Philadelphia Demokrat, Convention Hall proposals.....	51 00
Press Company, Convention Hall proposals....	89 60
Philadelphia Item, Convention Hall proposals.	60 00
Evening Times, Convention Hall proposals...	62 10
North American, Convention Hall proposals...	107 25
Philadelphia Advertising Bureau, Convention Hall proposals.....	141 82
Redpath, Potter & Co., Convention Hall proposals (drill holes).....	1,032 00
Comprehensive Plans Exhibit:	
Dunlap Printing Co., printing.....	2,370 94
F. B. Vandergrift & Co., expert charge....	64 19
Harvard University, expressage.....	3 45
Remington Typewriter Co., supplies.....	3 00
J. J. Habermehl's Sons, plants.....	600 00
Appleton & Burrell, decorating.....	139 18
Philadelphia Item, proposals.....	23 25
Public Ledger, proposals.....	27 00
Philadelphia Tageblatt, proposals.....	19 80
Civic Guild, shipping exhibits.....	16 00
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\$8,459 65	

APPENDIX No. 120.

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR.

Philadelphia, April 4, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—I desire to call your attention to the accompanying ordinance providing for an appropriation of five thousand (5,000) dollars to the Department of Public Safety, Bureau of City Property, Item 32 (new), for the expenses of certain alterations, repairs, fixtures, carpet, etc., needed in the rooms occupied by the Department of Law.

This appropriation is recommended by the City Solicitor and the Director of Public Safety, and I trust that it will meet with the approval of your Honorable Bodies.

Yours respectfully,

RUDOLPH BLANKENBURG,

Mayor.

APPENDIX No. 121.

Philadelphia, April 4, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Police and Fire, to which was referred the bill entitled "An Ordinance amendatory to an ordinance entitled 'An Ordinance to regulate the construction of frame buildings, fences and bay windows,' approved March 28, 1894," respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

W. A. Miller (*Ch'n*), W. Edwin Bonnick, D. H. Ross,
John G. Voight, Jr., Richard A. Cooper, Richard Weg-

lein, Rudolph Ruedinger, Robert Lombardi, James Ward, Frank Hardart, Simon Walter, Albert De Prefontaine, G. W. Kueker, Henry R. Shoch, Wm. Boal.

AN ORDINANCE

Amendatory to an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance to regulate the construction of frame buildings, fences and bay windows," approved March 28, 1894.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain.* That the first section of an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance to regulate the construction of frame buildings, fences and bay windows," approved March 28, 1894, be altered and amended by striking out the words "and all of the Thirty-sixth and Thirty-seventh Wards," and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "All of the Thirty-sixth Ward, except that portion bounded by Penrose avenue, Sheaff lane, Forty-second avenue south and the tracks of the Girard Point Branch of the Pennsylvania Railroad, and all of the Thirty-seventh Ward."

APPENDIX No. 122.

RESOLUTION

Of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit Louis Laib to extend the present temporary terra-cotta drain in Jackson street, southwest of Longshore street, eighty feet further southwest.

Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia. That the Director of the Department of Public Works be requested to permit Louis Laib to extend the present temporary terra-cotta drain in Jackson street, southwest of Longshore street, eighty feet further southwest. The said drain to be laid under the

supervision and to the satisfaction of the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Surveys) without expense to the City of Philadelphia, and shall not release the owners of property from paying the regular frontage charges whenever a sewer shall be laid in said street.

APPENDIX No. 123.

RESOLUTION

Of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit Frank Boettcher to lay a temporary terra cotta drain in Marvine street.

Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the Director of the Department of Public Works be requested to permit Frank Boettcher to lay a temporary terra cotta drain in Marvine street, beginning from the present sewer in Loudon street to a point about one hundred and sixty-five feet south on Marvine street: The said drain to be laid under the supervision and to the satisfaction of the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Surveys) without expense to the City of Philadelphia, and shall not release the owners of property from paying the regular frontage charges whenever a sewer shall be laid in said street.

APPENDIX No. 124.

Philadelphia, December 31, 1911.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—In accordance with the provisions of the ordinance of May 7, 1857, the Commissioners of the Sinking Funds and Fire Insurance Funds of the City of Philadelphia respectfully present their report for the quarter ending December 31, 1911.

1911

Sept. 30.

To Cash Balance.....	\$582,816 99
“ “ Quarterly Appropriation	\$1,768,586 09
“ “ Loans Matured	413,400 00
“ “ Interest on Securities	264,478 25
“ “ Unclaimed Interest Returned	1,354 25
“ “ Interest on Deposits	10,175 94
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	2,457,994 53
By transfer, sale of securities of Matured Sinking Fund Loans to other Sinking Funds	341,500 00
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	\$3,382,311 52

EXPENDITURES.

Loans Redeemed	\$1,057,800 00
Interest Sinking Fund	
Loans	1,859,805 50
Unclaimed Interest	9 00
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	\$2,917,614 50

By Transfer:

Purchase of Securities for Sinking Fund Loans	341,500 00
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	3,259,114 50

Cash Balance	\$123,197 02
Par Value City Securities in Sinking Funds.....	14,001,200 00
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Total Cash and Securities	\$14,124,397 02

1911		FIRE INSURANCE FUND.	
Sept. 1.			
To	Cash Balance		\$34,908 42
"	" Interest Securities	\$6,044 00	
"	" Matured Loans	5,000 00	
"	" Interest on Deposits	226 86	
			<hr/> 11,270 86
			<hr/> \$46,179 28
By	Cash paid account fire Philadelphia Hospital, April 6, 1911.....		15,547 67
			<hr/>
	Cash Balance		\$30,631 61
	Par Value City Securities in Fund		320,900 00
			<hr/>
Total Cash and Securities			\$351,531 61

Respectfully submitted,

LOUIS WAGNER,

Chairman.

RUDOLPH BLANKENBURG,

Mayor.

JNO. M. WALTON,

City Controller.

APPENDIX No. 125.

Philadelphia, April 18, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an additional appropriation to the County Commissioners, for the year 1912," together with sundry communications in connection therewith, respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

John P. Connelly (*Ch'n*), Edw. W. Patton, Louis Hutt, Charles Seger, E. Buchholz, Robert S. McElroy, G. P.

Darrow, Chas. A. Gillingham, Thomas J. Morton, Watson D. Upperman, John H. Hahn, Thomas J. Ryan, H. J. Trainer, Wm. E. Finley, G. W. Kucker, George D'Autrechy, William J. McCloskey, E. B. Gleason.

AN ORDINANCE

To make an additional appropriation to the County Commissioners, for the year 1912.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the sum of eighty thousand two hundred and eighty (80,280) dollars be, and the same is hereby appropriated to the County Commissioners, for the year 1912, viz.: County Commissioners: To Item 2, to pay jurors, etc., ten thousand (10,000) dollars; to Item 4, to pay witness fees, five hundred (500) dollars; to Item 38, for printing, supplies, etc., fifteen thousand (15,000) dollars; to Item 41, to pay the expenses of primary election, forty thousand (40,000) dollars; to Item 46, to pay expenses of special election in First Congressional District, on April 24, fourteen thousand seven hundred and eighty (14,780) dollars.

APPENDIX No. 126.

Philadelphia, April 18, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred a bill entitled "An Ordinance to make additional appropriations to the various Bureaus in the Departments of Public Safety, Public Works, Public Health and Charities, Civil Service Commission, Clerk of Quarter Sessions, Commissioners of Fairmount Park and Sheriff, for the year 1912," together with sundry communica-

tions in relation thereto, respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

John P. Connelly (*Ch'n*), Chas. A. Gillingham, Thomas J. Morton, Charles Seger, Wm. E. Finley, Thomas J. Ryan, G. P. Darrow, John H. Hahn, G. W. Kucker, George D'Autrechy, Robert S. McElroy, John H. Baizley, William J. McCloskey, E. B. Gleason, Watson D. Upperman.

AN ORDINANCE

To make an additional appropriation to the various Bureaus in the Departments of Public Safety, Public Works, Public Health and Charities, Supplies, Mayor, Civil Service Commission, Clerk of Quarter Sessions, Commissioners of Fairmount Park and Sheriff, for the year 1912.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the sum of thirty-one thousand three hundred and four (31,304) dollars and seventy-one (71) cents be, and the same is hereby appropriated to the various Bureaus in the Departments of Public Safety, Public Works, Public Health and Charities, Supplies, Mayor, Civil Service Commission, Clerk of Quarter Sessions, Commissioners of Fairmount Park and Sheriff, for the year 1912, viz.:

Department of Public Safety (Director's Office): To Item 2, for postage, car fare, etc., one thousand (1,000) dollars: (Bureau of Fire): To Item 15 (new), to pay bill of Westinghouse Machine Co. for new crank case for Engine No. 5, High Pressure Fire Service System, Delaware avenue and Race street, one thousand three hundred and fifty-two (1,352) dollars; (Bureau of City Property): To Item 19, for payment of bills for lighting of military organizations, one hundred (100) dollars; to Item 72, to pay for bands for First, Second and Third Regiments, N. G. P., in parade to commemorate the fourteenth anniversary of the departure to the Spanish-American War, three hundred and seventy-five (375) dollars.

Department of Public Works (Director's Office): To Item 1, to pay for salary of blue printer, at the rate of six hundred (600) dollars per annum, from March 15, four hundred and seventy-five (475) dollars.

Department of Public Health and Charities (Bureau of Charities): To Item 33, for farming implements, cattle, etc., five thousand (5,000) dollars, out of which sum six hundred and eighty-eight (688) dollars and seventy-five (75) cents shall be paid to Director Joseph S. Neff to reimburse him for money advanced by him in the purchase of seeds, fertilizers, etc.

Department of Supplies: To Item 1, so that the salaries of two inspectors shall be at the rate of one thousand two hundred (1,200) dollars each per annum, in lieu of one thousand (1,000) dollars each per annum, from April 1, three hundred (300) dollars.

Department of Mayor: To Item 1½, to pay bills incurred prior to January 1, 1912. American Bank Note Co., printing certificates, City loan, four thousand four hundred and seventy-three (4,473) dollars and seventy-five (75) cents; McCann Brothers Ice Co., ice, twenty-four (24) dollars and forty-six (46) cents; Philadelphia Inquirer, advertising ordinances, thirty-one (31) dollars and forty (40) cents; The Press Company, advertising ordinances, one hundred and fifty (150) dollars and thirty (30) cents; Evening Times, advertising, one hundred and forty-seven (147) dollars; Locust Auto Supply Company, automobile accessories, seventy-five (75) dollars and forty-two (42) cents; American Garage and Machine Shop, repairs, twenty-two (22) dollars and seventy (70) cents; American Taxicab Company, automobile hire, one thousand three hundred and sixty-six (1,366) dollars; American Garage and Machine Shop, repairs, seven hundred and nineteen (719) dollars and seventeen (17) cents; Locust Auto Supply Company, automobile accessories, six hundred and two (602) dollars and sixty-five (65) cents; Kugler's Restaurant Company, meals, two hundred and forty-four (244) dollars and five (5) cents; Evening Bulletin, advertising proposals, ninety-four (94) dollars and fifty

(50) cents; Public Ledger, advertising proposals, one hundred and thirty-three (133) dollars and fifty (50) cents; Philadelphia Tageblatt, advertising proposals, ninety-nine (99) dollars and sixty (60) cents; Philadelphia Record, advertising proposals, one hundred and twelve (112) dollars and fifty (50) cents; Evening Telegraph, advertising proposals, ninety-three (93) dollars and seventy-five (75) cents; Sunday Dispatch, advertising proposals, thirty-eight (38) dollars; Philadelphia Inquirer, for advertising proposals, one hundred and eleven (111) dollars and seventy-five (75) cents; The Starr Printing Company, for advertising proposals, thirty-three (33) dollars and sixty (60) cents; Philadelphia Demokrat, advertising proposals, fifty-one (51) dollars; Press Company, advertising proposals, eighty-nine (89) dollars and sixty (60) cents; Philadelphia Item, advertising proposals, sixty (60) dollars; Evening Times, advertising proposals, sixty-two (62) dollars and ten (10) cents; The North American, advertising proposals, one hundred and seven (107) dollars and twenty-five (25) cents; Phila. Advertising Bureau, advertising proposals, one hundred and forty-one (141) dollars and eighty-two (82) cents; Ridpath, Potter & Co., drill holes, one thousand and thirty-two (1,032) dollars; to pay bills incurred during Comprehensive Plans Exhibit, as follows: Dunlap Printing Co., for printing, two thousand three hundred and seventy (2,370) dollars and ninety-four (94) cents; F. B. Vandegrift & Co., export charge, sixty-four (64) dollars and nineteen (19) cents; Harvard University, for expressage, three (3) dollars and forty-five (45) cents; Remington Typewriter Company, for supplies, three (3) dollars; J. J. Habermehl's Sons, for plants, six hundred (600) dollars; Appleton & Burrell, for decorating, one hundred and thirty-nine (139) dollars and eighteen (18) cents; Philadelphia Item, advertising proposals, twenty-three (23) dollars and twenty-five (25) cents; Public Ledger, advertising proposals, twenty-seven (27) dollars; Philadelphia Tageblatt, advertising proposals, nineteen (19) dollars and eighty (80) cents; Civic Guild, shipping exhibits, sixteen (16) dollars; total, thirteen thousand three hundred and eighty-four (13,384) dollars and sixty-eight (68) cents.

Civil Service Commission: To Item 4, for equipment, including purchase of furniture, fittings and library, two thousand (2,000) dollars; to Item 5, for special or extra examiners, monitors, and other temporary employees, four thousand (4,000) dollars.

Clerk of Quarter Sessions: To Item 6, to pay bill of German Daily Gazette, for advertising transfers, one hundred and fifty-six (156) dollars; to pay bill of The Philadelphia Item, for advertising transfers, one hundred and sixty-two (162) dollars and three (3) cents; total, three hundred and eighteen (318) dollars and three (3) cents.

Commissioners of Fairmount Park: To Item 24, to pay for canvas covering for music pavilion at Lemon Hill, one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Sheriff: To Item 4, for preparing and advertising proclamation, one thousand five hundred (1,500) dollars; to Item 5, for printing and posting, etc., five hundred (500) dollars.

APPENDIX No. 127.

Philadelphia, April 18, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize certain transfers in the annual appropriations to the various Bureaus in the Departments of Public Safety, Public Works, Supplies, Mayor, Clerks of Councils and Prothonotary, for the year 1912," respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

John P. Connelly (*Ch'n*), Edward W. Patton, Louis Hutt, Charles Seger, E. Buchholz, Robert S. McElroy, G. P. Darrow, Chas. A. Gillingham, Thomas J. Morton, Wat-

son D. Upperman, John H. Hahn, Thomas J. Ryan, H. J. Trainer, Wm. E. Finley, G. W. Kucker, George D'Autrechy, William J. McCloskey, E. B. Gleason.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize certain transfers in the annual appropriations to the various Bureaus in the Departments of Public Safety, Public Works, Supplies, Mayor, Clerks of Councils and Prothonotary, for the year 1912.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain,* That the City Controller be, and he is hereby authorized to make the following transfers in the annual appropriations to the various Bureaus in the Departments of Public Safety, Public Works, Supplies, Mayor, Clerks of Councils and Prothonotary for the year 1912, viz.: Department of Public Works (Bureau of Lighting): From Item 2, for horse keep, etc., four hundred (400) dollars. Mayor: From Item 3, for miscellaneous advertising, etc., one thousand (1,000) dollars; from Item 4, for maintenance of automobile, two thousand (2,000) dollars; from Item 10, for hauling and general expenses, one thousand eight hundred and twelve (1,812) dollars and eighteen (18) cents. Clerks of Councils: From Item $7\frac{1}{2}$ (1910), to pay Manufacturers' Appraisal Company eight thousand five hundred (8,500) dollars; total, thirteen thousand seven hundred and twelve (13,712) dollars and eighteen (18) cents, to the following: Department of Public Safety (Bureau of Police): To Item 24, for the purchase of motor cycles, and maintaining same, five thousand (5,000) dollars. Department of Public Works (Bureau of Lighting): To Item $2\frac{1}{2}$, for the purchase and maintenance of motor cycle, four hundred (400) dollars; (Bureau of Surveys): to Item 39, for the improvement of intersection of Baltimore avenue, Sixtieth street and Wharton street, with fountain, grass plots, trees, sidewalks, etc., one thousand five hundred (1,500) dollars. Department of Supplies (Mayor): To Item 1, for stationery, printing, supplies and automobile supplies, three thousand (3,000) dollars. Mayor: To Item 10, for main-

tenance of Free Library, etc., to pay bills incurred in October, November and December, 1911, one thousand eight hundred and twelve (1,812) dollars and eighteen (18) cents. Prothonotary: To Item 5, for incidentals, to purchase books, recording machines, two thousand (2,000) dollars.

APPENDIX No. 128.

Philadelphia, April 18, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred a bill entitled “An Ordinance to amend Section 1, Item 1, of the ordinance approved December 1, 1911, entitled ‘An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of City Controller, for the year 1912,’ ” together with a communication in reference thereto, respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

John P. Connelly (*Ch’n*), Edw. W. Patton, Louis Hunt, Charles Seger, E. Buchholz, Robert S. McElroy, G. P. Darrow, Chas. A. Gillingham, Thomas J. Morton, Watson D. Upperman, John H. Hahn, Thomas J. Ryan, H. J. Trainer, Wm. E. Finley, G. W. Kucker, George D’Aurechy, William J. McCloskey, E. B. Gleason.

AN ORDINANCE

To amend Section 1, Item 1, of the ordinance approved December 1, 1911, entitled ‘An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of City Controller, for the year 1912.’ ”

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That Section 1, Item 1,

of the ordinance approved December 1, 1911, entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of City Controller, for the year 1912," be, and the same is hereby amended as follows: By striking out the words on the sixth and seventh lines, reading, "eight department auditors, one thousand five hundred (1,500) dollars each," and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "One registrar of appropriations, one thousand eight hundred (1,800) dollars; one registrar of contracts, one thousand eight hundred (1,800) dollars; five department auditors, one thousand five hundred (1,500) dollars each; and one miscellaneous clerk, nine hundred (900) dollars; from January 1, 1912."

APPENDIX No. 129.

Philadelphia, April 18, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Department of Public Works to investigate the problem of improved transit facilities throughout the City and its suburbs, by means of subways or other approved methods; to make a report and submit recommendations covering the same; to employ the assistance necessary to make the said investigations, report and recommendations, and to make an appropriation for all expenses in connection therewith," respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

John P. Connelly (*Ch'n*), Edw. W. Patton, Louis Hutt, Charles Seger, E. Buchholz, Robert S. McElroy, G. P. Darrow, Chas. A. Gillingham, Thomas J. Morton, Watson D. Upperman, John H. Hahn, Thomas J. Ryan, H. J. Trainer, Wm. E. Finley, G. W. Kucker (for report) George D'Antrechy, William J. McCloskey, E. B. Gleason

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the Department of Public Works to investigate the problem of improved transit facilities throughout the City and suburbs, by means of subways or other approved methods; to make a report and submit recommendations covering the same; to employ the assistance necessary to make the said investigations, report and recommendations, and to make an appropriation for all expenses in connection therewith.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works be, and is hereby authorized and directed to investigate the problems of improved transit facilities, with a view of determining advisable means for obtaining rapid, efficient and cheap transit throughout the City and its suburbs, by use of subways or other approved modern methods; to consider fully the question of public and private ownership and the financial and economic aspects of the problem; to prepare a report covering its investigations, and to recommend ways and means whereby convenient and rapid transit, commensurate with the present and future needs of the entire City and its suburbs, within a reasonable number of years, may be secured.

SECT. 2. The Director of the Department of Public Works is hereby authorized to employ such engineers, experts and specialists as may be requisite, and also to appoint such engineers and assistants as may be required for making surveys, investigations, examination of traffic conditions here and elsewhere, and in the preparation of estimates and recommendations; all expenses for salaries, expert fees, tests, transportation and incidental expenses not otherwise provided for shall be paid out of the appropriation for the work herein authorized.

SECT. 3. The sum of fifty thousand (50,000) dollars is hereby appropriated to the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Surveys): To Item 39, for the work herein authorized.

APPENDIX No. 130.

Philadelphia, April 18, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred a bill entitled “An Ordinance to authorize the purchase of the property No. 33 East Cheltenham avenue, for fire house purposes,” respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

John P. Connelly (*Ch’n*), Edw. W. Patton, Louis Hutt, Charles Seger, E. Buchholz, Robert S. McElroy, G. P. Darrow, Chas. A. Gillingham, Thomas J. Morton, Watson D. Upperman, John H. Hahn, Thomas J. Ryan, H. J. Trainer, Wm. E. Finley, G. W. Kucker, George D’Autrechy, William J. McCloskey, E. B. Gleason.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the purchase of the property No. 33 East Cheltenham avenue, for fire house purposes.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the City Solicitor be, and he is hereby authorized and directed to examine the title to the property No. 33 East Cheltenham avenue, having a width of 19 feet and a depth of 70 feet 6 $\frac{3}{4}$ inches, and if he approve of the same to cause a conveyance thereof to be made to the City of Philadelphia, for fire house purposes, the consideration to be fifteen thousand (15,000) dollars, chargeable against Item 62d (loan) in the annual appropriation to the Department of Public Safety (Bureau of City Property).

APPENDIX No. 131.

Philadelphia, April 18, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred a bill entitled “An Ordinance to authorize the Director of Public Safety (Bureau of City Property) to offer at public sale the property at 615 Passyunk avenue,” respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

John P. Connelly (*Ch’n*), Edw. W. Patton, Louis Hutt, Charles Seger, E. Buchholz, Robert S. McElroy, G. P. Darrow, Chas. A. Gillingham, Thomas J. Morton, Watson D. Upperman, John H. Hahn, Thomas J. Ryan, H. J. Trainer, Wm. E. Finley, G. W. Kueker, George D’Autrechy, William J. McCloskey, E. B. Gleason.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the Director of the Department of Public Safety (Bureau of City Property) to sell at public sale the lot or piece of ground, with the buildings and improvements thereon erected, situate at No. 615 Passyunk avenue.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain.* That the Director of the Department of Public Safety (Bureau of City Property) be, and he is hereby authorized and directed to offer at public sale and to sell to the highest bidder all that certain lot or piece of ground, with the buildings and improvements thereon erected, situate in the Fourth Ward of the City of Philadelphia and described as follows: The premises known as No. 615 Passyunk avenue, situated on the east side of the avenue, containing in breadth 20 feet and in length or depth 75 feet;

bounded westward by the said avenue, northward by a messuage and ground now or late of Moses McIlhenney, eastward by ground formerly of William Shippen and southward by ground now or formerly of Joseph Hallowell: *Provided*, That the said sale, when made, shall be confirmed by these Councils.

APPENDIX No. 132.

Philadelphia, April 18, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred a bill entitled “An Ordinance to designate the West Philadelphia Bank as a depository of the City’s money,” respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

John P. Connelly (*Ch’n*), Edw. W. Patton, Louis Hutt, Charles Seger, E. Buchholz, Robert S. McElroy, G. P. Darrow, Chas. A. Gillingham, Thomas J. Morton, Watson D. Upperman, John H. Halm, Thomas J. Ryan, H. J. Trainer, Wm. E. Finley, G. W. Kucker, George D’Autrechy, William J. McCloskey, E. B. Gleason.

AN ORDINANCE

Designating the West Philadelphia Bank as a depository
of the City’s money.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the West Philadelphia Bank be, and is hereby designated as a depository of the City’s money, subject, however, to the provisions of the ordinance approved April 9, 1892.

APPENDIX No. 133.

Philadelphia, April 18, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred a communication from the Director of the Department of Public Safety, requesting that permission be given to the Chief of the Bureau of Building Inspection to act as Secretary of the Commission to codify the building laws of the State of Pennsylvania, respectfully report that they have carefully considered this matter, and that they return the annexed resolution with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

John P. Connelly (*Ch'n*), Edw. W. Patton, Louis Hutt, Charles Seger, E. Buchholz, Robert S. McElroy, G. P. Darrow, Chas. A. Gillingham, Thomas J. Morton, Watson D. Upperman, John H. Hahn, Thomas J. Ryan, H. J. Trainer, Wm. E. Finley, G. W. Kucker, George D'Auntrechy, William J. McCloskey, E. B. Gleason.

RESOLUTION

Authorizing the Director of the Department of Public Safety to permit the Chief of the Bureau of Building Inspection to act as Secretary of a certain Commission.

WHEREAS, The members of the State Commission to codify the building laws of Pennsylvania have expressed the desire that the Chief of the Bureau of Building Inspection act as its Secretary;

Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the Director of the Department of Public Safety be, and he is hereby authorized to permit the Chief of the Bureau of Building Inspection to act in said capacity.

APPENDIX No. 134.

Philadelphia, April 18, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An Ordinance to permit M. Rice & Co. to construct a bridge across Quarry street, to connect No. 1220 Race street with property No. 120 N. Camac street," respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed ordinance and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch'n*), Fred. Schwarz, Jr., J. E. Lennon, W. A. Miller, Chas. A. Gillingham, Henry R. Shoch, H. J. Trainer, John W. Whitaker, Thomas J. Morton, Chas. Seger, Wm. H. Cross, David G. Frankfield, Clarence S. Eldredge.

AN ORDINANCE

To permit M. Rice & Co. to construct a bridge across Quarry street, to connect No. 1220 Race street with property No. 120 N. Camac street.

SECTION. 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That permission be, and is hereby granted to M. Rice & Co. to construct a bridge across Quarry street, to connect the second and third floors of property No. 1220 Race street with property No. 120 N. Camac street. The said bridge shall have a clearance of not less than fourteen feet above the curb height, and shall be constructed under the supervision of the Department of Public Works, in accordance with plans to be approved by said Department, and shall be used exclusively in the conduct of the business of the said M. Rice & Co. Before exercising any privileges under this ordinance, the said M. Rice & Co. shall first enter into an agreement, satisfactory to the City Solicitor, protecting

the City from all damages by reason of the construction and maintenance of said bridge, and shall pay into the City Treasury the sum of fifty (50) dollars for the publication of this ordinance. The privilege hereby granted shall be revocable at any time and the bridge removed upon the passage of an ordinance to that effect.

APPENDIX No. 135.

Philadelphia, April 18, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to permit Burk Bros., Inc., to erect a bridge over and across Laurel street (formerly Schleischmanns alley), east of Third street,” respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed ordinance and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch’n*), Fred. Schwarz, Jr., J. E. Lennon, W. A. Miller, Chas. A. Gillingham, Henry R. Shöch, H. J. Trainer, John W. Whitaker, Thomas J. Morton, Chas. Seger, Wm. H. Cross, David G. Frankfield, Clarence S. Eldredge.

AN ORDINANCE

To permit Burk Bros., Inc., to erect a bridge over and across Laurel street (formerly Schleischmanns alley), east of Third street.

SECTION. 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That permission be, and is hereby granted to Burk Bros., Inc., to erect a bridge over and across Laurel street (formerly Schleischmanns alley), at a point 25 feet east of Third street, for the pur-

pose of connecting their factory with a building now in course of erection, the said bridge to have a clearance of at least 14 feet, and be constructed under the supervision of the Department of Public Works, in accordance with plans to be approved by the said Department, and shall be used exclusively for the conduct of the business of the said Burk Bros. Before exercising any privileges under this ordinance, the said Burk Bros., Inc., shall first enter into an agreement, satisfactory to the City Solicitor, protecting the City against all damages by reason of the construction and maintenance of said bridge, and shall pay into the City Treasury the sum of fifty (50) dollars for the publication of this ordinance. The privilege hereby granted shall be revocable at any time and the bridge removed upon the passage of an ordinance of Councils to that effect.

APPENDIX No. 136.

Philadelphia, April 18, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bills to authorize the grading of Alden, Blaine, Camac, Catharine, Cecil, Chancellor, Chestnut, Clearfield, Conestoga, Crefeld, Drinker, Edgewood, Felton, Forty-eighth, Fifty-fourth, Fifty-sixth, Fox, Frazier, Front, Hirst, Kingsley, Ludlow, Marvine, McFerran, Millick, Pechin, Price, Race, Redfield, Ringgold, Robinson, Rockland, Rosehill, Ruscomb, Sansom, Second, Sheldon, Sixty-second, Sixty-fourth, Springer, Spruce, Sydenham, Third, Tibbon, Twelfth, Twentieth, Walnut, Warnock and Yewdall streets, Hunting Park, Lindley, Osage, Stenton and Willow Grove avenues, and the intersection of Baltimore avenue, Sixtieth and Wharton streets, respectfully report that they have carefully considered the

same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch'n*), Fred. Schwarz, Jr., J. E. Lennon, W. A. Miller, Chas. A. Gillingham, Henry R. Shoch, H. J. Trainer, John W. Whitaker, Thomas J. Morton, Chas. Seger, Wm. H. Cross, David G. Frankentield, Clarence S. Eldredge.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the grading of Alden, Blaine, Camac, Catharine, Cecil, Chancellor, Chestnut, Clearfield, Conestoga, Crefeld, Drinker, Edgewood, Felton, Forty-eighth, Fifty-fourth, Fifty-sixth, Fox, Frazier, Front, Hirst, Kingsley, Ludlow, Marvine, McFerran, Millick, Pechin, Price, Race, Redfield, Ringgold, Robinson, Rockland, Rosehill, Ruscomb, Sansom, Second, Sheldon, Sixty-second, Sixty-fourth, Springer, Spruce, Sydenham, Third, Tibbon, Twelfth, Twentieth, Walnut, Warnock, and Yewdall streets, Hunting Park, Lindley, Osage, Stenton and Willow Grove avenues, and the intersection of Baltimore avenue, Sixtieth and Wharton streets.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works be authorized to enter into contracts for grading the following streets to the established grade of the City, with the necessary drains, etc., viz.: Alden street, from Catharine to Christian street; Blaine street, from Twentieth street to Hunting Park avenue; Camac street, from Wyoming avenue to Loudon street; Catharine street, from Sixty-second to Sixty-third street; Cecil street, from Catharine to Christian street; Chancellor street, from Fifty-fourth to Fifty-fifth street, and from Fifty-ninth to Sixtieth street; Chestnut street, from Sixty-second to Sixty-third street; Clearfield street, from Twenty-ninth street to Nicetown lane; Conestoga street, from Thomas avenue to Whitby avenue; Crefeld street (fifty feet wide), from Sunset avenue to Hampton avenue; Drinker street, from Wayne avenue to Lincoln drive; Edgewood street, from

Race to Vine street; from Haddington to Jefferson street, and from Baltimore avenue to Wharton street; Felton street, from Jefferson to Haddington street, and from Spruce to Locust street; Forty-eighth street, from Walnut street to Larchwood avenue; Fifty-fourth street, from Larchwood avenue to Cedar avenue; Fifty-sixth street, from Chester avenue to Woodland avenue; Fox street, from Allegheny avenue to the Reading Railroad; Frazier street, from Westminster avenue to Vine street, and from Greenway avenue to Kingsessing avenue; Front street, from Wolf to Shunk street; Hirst street, from Spruce to Locust street; Kingsley street, from Manayunk avenue to Pechin street, and from Wissahickon avenue to about eight hundred feet southwest; Ludlow street, from Forty-sixth to Markoe street; Marvine street, from Rockland to Ruscomb street; McFerran street, from Broad to Thirteenth street; Millick street, from Baltimore avenue to Wharton street; Pechin street, from Kingsley to Seville street; Price street, from Sprague to Ardleigh street; Race street, from Salford to Sixtieth street; Redfield street, from Haddington to Jefferson street; Ringgold street, from Wharton to Reed street; Robinson street, from Haddington to Jefferson street; Rockland street, from Fifteenth street to Windrim avenue; Rosehill street, from Allegheny avenue to Ontario street; Ruscomb street, from Tenth to Eleventh street; Sansom street, from Fifty-ninth to Sixtieth street, and from Sixty-second to Sixty-third street; Second street, from Ritner to Shunk street; Sheldon street, from Fountain to Hermitage street; Sixty-second street, from Cedar avenue to Washington avenue; Sixty-fourth street, from Lansdowne avenue to Haverford avenue; Springer street, from Wayne avenue to Lincoln drive; Spruce street, from Sixty-second to Sixty-third street; Sydenham street, from Rockland to Loudon street; Third street, from Tabor street to the Philadelphia and Reading Railway; Tibbon street, from Lemont to Fountain street; Twelfth street, from Lindley avenue to Duncannon avenue; Twentieth street, from Stenton avenue to Cheltenham avenue; Walnut street, from Sixty-second to Sixty-third street; Warnock street, from Rus-

comb to Rockland street; and Yewdall street, from Thomas avenue to Whitby avenue; Hunting Park avenue, from Pennsylvania Railroad bridge to Allegheny avenue; Lindley avenue, from Windrim avenue to Eleventh street; Osage avenue, from Fifty-eighth to Fifty-ninth street; Stenton avenue, from Washington lane to Cheltenham avenue; Willow Grove avenue, from Germantown avenue to Norwood street; and the intersection of Baltimore avenue, Sixtieth street and Wharton street. The cost of said work to be taken from the item for grading in the appropriation to the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Highways). In all cases where the material required to excavate or fill any legally opened streets within six blocks of the streets herein authorized to be graded can be interchangeably used, the Director of the Department of Public Works shall advertise for and award the contract so that the same shall be embodied in one and the same contract: *Provided*, That the grading shall be advertised for and the contracts awarded to the lowest responsible bidders.

All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith be, and the same are hereby repealed.

APPENDIX No. 137.

Philadelphia, April 18, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bill to authorize the paving of Addison, Alden, Belmar, Camac, Carpenter, Cayuga, Cecil, Chancellor, Christian, Conestoga, Croyden, Delmar, Eadom, Eddington, Edgewood, Fifty-fourth, Fifty-sixth, Frazier, Front, Markoe, Nassau, Norfolk, Race, Rector, Ruscomb, Salmon, Sancom, Second, Sixty-second, Sixty-third, Sixty-fourth, Spruce, Thirteenth, Tower, Upland,

Webster, Wharton, Windsor, Yewdall, Ainslie, Apple, Boyer, Calumet, Cedar, Cresson, Eleventh, Fifty-eighth, Godfrey, Haworth, Kingsley, Lauriston, Marvine, Pechin, Pennsdale, Price, Ringgold, Rockland, Sprague, Sydenham, Twelfth, Harrison and Tibbon streets, Buist, Grays, Greenway, Hunting Park, Larchwood, Malvern, Osage, Torresdale, Washington, Whitby, Wyoming and Lindsley avenues, respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch'n*), Fred. Schwarz, Jr., J. E. Lennon, W. A. Miller, Chas. A. Gillingham, Henry R. Shoch, H. J. Trainer, John W. Whitaker, Thomas J. Morton, Chas. Seger, Wm. H. Cross, David G. Frankfield, Clarence S. Eldredge.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the paving of Addison, Alden, Belmar, Camac, Carpenter, Cayuga, Cecil, Chancellor, Christian, Conestoga, Croyden, Delmar, Eadom, Eddington, Edgewood, Fifty-fourth, Fifty-sixth, Frazier, Front, Markoe, Nassau, Norfolk, Race, Rector, Ruscomb, Salmon, Sansom, Second, Sixty-second, Sixty-third, Sixty-fourth, Spruce, Thirteenth, Tower, Upland, Webster, Wharton, Windsor, Yewdall, Ainslie, Apple, Boyer, Calumet, Cedar, Cresson, Eleventh, Fifty-eighth, Godfrey, Haworth, Kingsley, Lauriston, Marvine, Pechin, Pennsdale, Price, Ringgold, Rockland, Sprague, Sydenham, Twelfth, Harrison and Tibbon streets, Buist, Grays, Greenway, Hunting Park, Larchwood, Malvern, Osage, Torresdale, Washington, Whitby, Wyoming and Lindley avenues.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works be authorized and directed to enter into contracts with competent pavers for paving the following streets with the best quality of refined natural asphalt, viz.: Addison street, from Fifty-fifth to Fifty-sixth street;

Alden street, from Christian to Catharine street; Belmar street, from Fifty-seventh to Fifty-eighth street; Camac street, from Wyoming avenue to Loudon street; Carpenter street, from Sixty-first to Sixty-second street; Cayuga street, from Fourth to Lawrence street; Cecil street, from Christian to Catharine street; Chancellor street, from Fifty-ninth to Sixtieth street; Christian street, from Sixty-first to Sixty-second street; Conestoga street, from Thomas avenue to Whitby avenue; Croyden street, from Richmond to Edgemont street; Delmar street, from Ridge avenue to Tibbon street; Eadom street, from Scattergood to Kennedy street; Eddington street, from Richmond to Edgemont street; Edgewood street, from Race to Vine street; Fifty-fourth street, from Woodland avenue to Grays avenue; Fifty-sixth street, from Chester avenue to Woodland avenue; Frazier street, from Westminster avenue to Vine street; Front street, from Wolf to Shunk street; Markoe street, from Market to Chestnut street; Nassau street, from Sixty-first to Sixty-third street; Norfolk street, from Fifty-eighth to Fifty-ninth street; Race street, from Salford to Sixtieth street; Rector street, from Ridge avenue to Manayunk avenue; Ruscomb street, from Tenth to Eleventh street; Salmon street, from Eddington street to the Holy Redeemer Cemetery; Sansom street, from Fifty-ninth to Sixtieth street; Second street, from Ritner to Shunk street, and from Tabor to Chew street; Sixty-second street, from Cedar avenue to Catharine street; Sixty-third street, from Grays avenue to Dicks avenue; Sixty-fourth street, from Grays avenue to south side of Buist avenue; Spruce street, from Sixty-second to Sixty-third street; Thirteenth street, from Wingohocking to Loudon street; Tower street, from Jamestown street to Walnut lane; Upland street, from Sixty-sixth to Sixty-eighth street; Webster street, from Fifty-eighth to Fifty-ninth street, and from Sixty-first to Sixty-second street; Wharton street, from Sixtieth to Sixty-first street; Windsor street, from Fifty-seventh to Fifty-eighth street; Yewdall street, from Thomas avenue to Whitby avenue; Buist avenue, from Sixty-second to Sixty-fourth street; Grays avenue, from Fifty-third to Fifty-fourth street; Greenway avenue, from Paxon to Fifty-

second street, from Sixtieth to Sixty-first street, and from Sixty-seventh to Sixty-eighth street; Hunting Park avenue, from Sixth to Ninth street, and from Allegheny avenue to about ninety-five feet southwest of Wissahickon avenue; Larchwood avenue, from Forty-fifth to Forty-sixth street; Malvern avenue, from Sixty-third to Gross street; Osage avenue, from Fifty-fifth to Fifty-sixth street, and from Fifty-eighth to Fifty-ninth street; Torresdale avenue, from Vankirk to Margaret street; Washington avenue, from Sixty-first to Sixty-second street; Whitby avenue, from Fifty-fourth street to line of West Chester Railroad; Wyoming avenue, from Twelfth street to York road. The following streets with vitrified fire clay or shale bricks or blocks, viz.: Ainslie street, from Vaux to Conrad street; Apple street, from Walnut lane to Pennsdale street; Boyer street, from Cheltenham avenue to about one hundred and fifty feet northwest; Calumet street, from Cresson to Powers street; Cedar street, from Bridge to Brill street; Cresson street, from Midvale avenue to Coulter street; Eleventh street, from Loudon to Rockland street; Fifty-eighth street, from Ashland avenue to Hoffman avenue; Godfrey street, from Stenton avenue to Twenty-first street; Haworth street, from James to Eadom street; Kingsley street, from Manayunk avenue to Pechin street; Lauriston street, from Righter street to about four hundred and fifty feet northeast; Marvine street, from Rockland to Ruscomb street; Pechin street, from Kingsley to Seville street, and from Dupont to Hermitage street; Pennsdale street, from Ridge avenue to Mitchell street; Price street, from Sprague to Ardleigh street; Ringgold street, from Wharton to Reed street; Rockland street, from Windrim avenue to Fifteenth street; Sprague street, from Cheltenham avenue to Price street; Sydenham street, from Rockland to Loudon street; Twelfth street, from Lindley avenue to Duncannon avenue; Lindley avenue, from Windrim avenue to Warnock street; also, Tibbon street, from Lemont to Fountain street, with granite blocks; and Harrison street, from Oxford pike to Horrocks street, with filbertine with vitrified brick gutters. The portion of work to be paid for by the City shall be taken from the item

for intersections in the appropriation to the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Highways). The conditions of the contracts shall be that the contractors shall collect the cost of paving from the owners of property respectively fronting on said streets, and shall enter into an obligation with the City to keep said streets in good repair for five years after the paving is finished: *Provided*, That said streets shall be first dedicated or properly opened, and that the Director of the Department of Public Works shall advertise for proposals for paving said streets and award the contracts to the lowest responsible bidders, and that the owners of property fronting on said streets shall not be charged more than the contract price.

All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith be, and the same are hereby repealed.

APPENDIX No. 138.

Philadelphia, April 18, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to authorize the re-setting of curb and re-paving a portion of the south side of Harlan street, between Eighteenth and Nineteenth streets,” respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed ordinance and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch’n*), Fred. Schwarz, Jr., J. E. Lennon, W. A. Miller, Chas. A. Gillingham, Henry R. Shoch, H. J. Trainer, John W. Whitaker, Thomas J. Morton, Chas. Seger, Wm. H. Cross, David G. Frankenfield, Clarence S. Eldredge.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the re-setting of curb and re-paving a portion of the south side of Harlan street, between Eighteenth and Nineteenth streets.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works be authorized and directed to have the curb on the south side of Harlan street, between Eighteenth and Nineteenth streets, re-set on the confirmed curb line, and to re-pave so much of said street as may be necessary in connection therewith. The cost of said work to be taken from the item for emergencies in the annual appropriation to the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Highways).

APPENDIX No. 139.

Philadelphia, April 18, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance directing the Department of Public Works to require owners of property abutting on both sides of Midvale avenue, from Reading Railroad Bridge to Thirty-fifth street; on the west side of Thirty-fifth street, from Midvale avenue to New Queen street, and on the east side of Thirty-fifth street, from Midvale avenue to Ainslie street, to set curbs and lay foot-way pavements,” respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed ordinance and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch'u*), Fred. Schwarz, Jr., J. E. Lennon, W. A. Miller, Chas. A. Gillingham, Henry R. Shoch, H. J. Trainer, John W. Whitaker, Thomas J. Morton, Chas. Seger, Wm. H. Cross, David G. Frankenfield, Clarence S. Eldredge.

AN ORDINANCE

Directing the Department of Public Works to require owners of property abutting on both sides of Midvale avenue, from Reading Railroad Bridge to Thirty-fifth street; on the west side of Thirty-fifth street, from Midvale avenue to New Queen street, and on the east side of Thirty-fifth street, from Midvale avenue to Ainslie street, to set curbs and lay foot-way pavements.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works be, and is hereby directed to require owners of property abutting on both sides of Midvale avenue, from Reading Railroad Bridge to Thirty-fifth street; on the west side of Thirty-fifth street, from Midvale avenue to New Queen street, and on the east side of Thirty-fifth street, from Midvale avenue to Ainslie street, to set curbs and lay foot-way pavements; and if the said owners of property shall fail to lay such foot-ways and set said curbs, as required, after twenty days' previous notice in writing from the Department of Public Works to do the said work, the said Department is hereby directed to cause said work to be done, the cost thereof to be assessed upon the property of such owners so in default.

APPENDIX No. 140.

Philadelphia, April 18, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the message from the Mayor, accompanied with the communication from the City Solicitor requesting the repeal of bills authorizing the opening of certain streets, having considered the same, and believing that the streets should be opened, report the same back with

a negative recommendation, and ask the passage of the annexed resolution to discharge the Committee from the further consideration of said subject.

Robert Smith (*Ch'n*), Fred. Schwarz, Jr., J. E. Lennon, W. A. Miller, Chas. A. Gillingham, Henry R. Shoch, H. J. Trainer, John W. Whitaker, Thomas J. Morton, Chas. Seger, Wm. H. Cross, David G. Frankenfield, Clarence S. Eldredge.

RESOLUTION

Discharging the Committee on Highways from the further consideration of the message from the Mayor relative to the repeal of ordinances to authorize the opening of certain streets.

Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the Committee on Highways be discharged from the further consideration of the message from the Mayor, accompanied with the communication from the City Solicitor, recommending the repeal of ordinances authorizing the opening of the following streets, viz.: Roberts avenue, from Pulaski avenue to Wissahickon avenue; Chestnut street, north side, Tenth to Eleventh street; Hunting Park avenue extension, from Fifteenth street to York road; Wakeling street, from Oxford pike to Large street; Benner street, from Wakeling to Erdrick street, and Erdrick street, from Comly to Benner street; Lancaster avenue, from Fifty-sixth to Sixty-second street; Abbotsford avenue, from McKean to Morris street; Bustleton avenue, from Rhawn street to the Boulevard; Cottman street, from Torresdale avenue to the Boulevard; Torresdale avenue, from Talbut to Blakiston street, and Castor avenue, from Oxford avenue to Bustleton avenue; also, selecting plot of ground bounded by Olney avenue, Sixth street, Tabor street and the North Pennsylvania Railroad, for the health and enjoyment of the people.

APPENDIX No. 141.

Philadelphia, April 18, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Surveys, to whom was referred the bills to authorize the placing on the City plan of Gladstone, Roseberry, Fallon and Sepviva streets, respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Chas. A. Gillingham (*Ch'n*), George H. Kelley, Geo. W. Spielberger, James A. Humphrys, J. E. Lennon, George D'Autrechy, Henry R. Shoch, H. J. Trainer, Edward B. Howard, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., F. J. Cummiskey, W. W. Trinkle, Albert DePrefontaine, John P. Connelly.

AN ORDINANCE

To place on the City Plan Gladstone, Roseberry, Fallon and Sepviva streets.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works (Board of Surveyors) be authorized and directed to place on the City plan Gladstone and Roseberry streets, each of the width of forty feet, from Front to Second street; Fallon street, of the width of forty feet, from Chestnut to Ludlow street; Sepviva street, of the width of fifty feet, from Norris to Berks street: *Provided*, That before said streets shall be placed on the plan the owners of property within the lines thereof shall, within one year from the approval of this ordinance, dedicate the beds of the same to the City on the lines and grades as confirmed by the Board of Surveyors, or shall indemnify the City against all damages or claims for damages which may arise from placing said streets on the plan and their subsequent opening to the confirmed lines and grades.

APPENDIX No. 142.

Philadelphia, April 18, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Surveys, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to repeal ordinance approved October 5, 1911, entitled ‘An Ordinance to strike from the City plan Blabon street, from Roberts avenue to the Richmond Branch of the Philadelphia and Reading Railway,’ ” respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Chas. A. Gillingham (*Ch’n*), George H. Kelley, Geo. W. Spielberger, James A. Humphrys, J. E. Lennon, George D’Autrechy, Henry R. Shoch, H. J. Trainer, Edward B. Howard, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., F. J. Cummiskey, W. W. Trinkle, John P. Connelly.

AN ORDINANCE

To repeal ordinance approved October 5, 1911, entitled
“An Ordinance to strike from the City plan Blabon street, from Roberts avenue to the Richmond Branch of the Philadelphia and Reading Railway.”

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the ordinance approved October 5, 1911, entitled “An Ordinance to strike from the City plan Blabon street, from Roberts avenue to the Richmond Branch of the Philadelphia and Reading Railway,” be and the same is hereby repealed.

APPENDIX No. 143.

Philadelphia, April 18, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN—We, your Committee on Surveys, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance selecting and appropriating a certain tract of ground in the Twenty-third Ward as a park and open place for the health and enjoyment of the people,” respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Chas. A. Gillingham (*Ch’n*), George H. Kelley, Geo. W. Spielberger, James A. Humphrys, J. E. Lennon, George D’Autrechy, Henry R. Shoch, H. J. Trainer, Edward B. Howard, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., F. J. Cummiskey, W. W. Trinkle, A. De Prefontaine, John P. Connelly.

AN ORDINANCE

Selecting and appropriating a certain tract of ground in the Twenty-third Ward as a park and open public place for the health and enjoyment of the people.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That by virtue and in pursuance of the authority vested in them by the fourth section of an Act of Assembly approved May 13, 1857, they do hereby select and appropriate, for park purposes and for the health and enjoyment of the people forever, a certain tract of ground lying in the Twenty-third Ward, placed upon the City plan July 1, 1907, and bounded and described as follows: Beginning at the intersection of the northwest boundary line of the Philadelphia and Trenton Railroad and the southwest side of Wakeling street, at the distance of 175 feet $3\frac{1}{2}$ inches southeastwardly from the southeast side of Worth street; thence extending northwest along the southwest side of Wakeling street 1,895 feet $3\frac{1}{8}$ inches to

the southeast side of Jackson street; thence southwestwardly along the southeast side of Jackson street 346 feet 3 inches to a point near the southwest side of Fillmore street; thence extending northwestwardly along the southwestwardly side of Fillmore street 234 feet $1\frac{1}{8}$ inches to the southeast side of Valley street; thence extending southwardly along the southeast side of Valley street 762 feet $5\frac{1}{4}$ inches to the northeastwardly side of Margaret street; thence extending along the northeastwardly side of Margaret street south $8^{\circ} 38' 52''$ east 337 feet $8\frac{5}{8}$ inches to a point at the distance of 127 feet $8\frac{1}{4}$ inches southeastwardly from the southeast side of Ditman street; thence extending northeastwardly at right angles to said Margaret street north $81^{\circ} 21' 8''$ east 75 feet $10\frac{1}{2}$ inches to a point in the original line of the estate of Edwin H. Fitler, deceased; thence extending along said Fitler's line south $28^{\circ} 29' 15''$ east 1,011 feet $4\frac{3}{8}$ inches to a point on the southeast side of Worth street; thence extending along the southeast side of Worth street north $74^{\circ} 10' 54''$ east 164 feet $10\frac{5}{8}$ inches to an angle in Worth street, and thence extending still along the southeastwardly side of said Worth street north $77^{\circ} 26' 53''$ east 4 feet $2\frac{1}{4}$ inches to a point; thence extending by line of the Philadelphia Steel and Iron Company's property south $14^{\circ} 24' 28''$ east 207 feet $\frac{1}{2}$ inch to the northwestwardly boundary line of the Philadelphia and Trenton Railroad; thence extending northeastwardly along the same 548 feet $1\frac{1}{2}$ inches to the southwestwardly side of Wakeling street, the first mentioned point and place of beginning, containing 35 acres more or less.

SECT. 2. The City Solicitor is hereby directed to file in the Court of Quarter Sessions a petition on behalf of the City setting forth the ground herein appropriated, to the end that said Court shall appoint a jury to assess the damages as provided by law.

APPENDIX No. 144.

RESOLUTION

Rescinding the action of Councils in requesting the Board of Public Education to vacate certain rooms in City Hall.

WHEREAS, The Board of Public Education has been requested to vacate its quarters in City Hall not later than July 15th of the present year;

AND WHEREAS, It is learned that the Board has not at its disposal any building or buildings adequate and suitable for its purposes, nor sufficient funds available to secure the proper accommodations for its several departments, within the allotted time; therefore,

Resolved, That the action of City Councils in requesting the Board of Public Education to vacate the rooms now occupied by it in City Hall on or before July 15, 1912, be, and the same is hereby rescinded.

APPENDIX No. 145.

RESOLUTION

In relation to a proposed new lease with the United Gas Improvement Co.

WHEREAS, The present lease with the United Gas Improvement Company will expire December 31, 1927, and at the expiration of said lease the gas works will then revert to the City;

AND WHEREAS, It will be to the advantage of said United Gas Improvement Company, as well as to the citizens of Philadelphia if, under proper conditions, the gas works would remain under their control; therefore, be it

Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That if, in the judgment of the

United Gas Improvement Company, it would be desirable to cancel the present lease and execute a new lease for a longer period, say fifty years, from January 1, 1913, that the said United Gas Improvement Company will forward to these Councils a proposition for such new lease, on a basis, however, that the maximum price to consumers will in no event exceed eighty cents per thousand cubic feet of gas.

APPENDIX No. 146.

Philadelphia, March 31, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—In accordance with the provisions of the ordinance of May 7, 1857, the Commissioners of the Sinking Funds and Fire Insurance Fund of the City of Philadelphia respectfully present their report for the quarter ending March 31, 1912:

1911.		SINKING FUNDS.	
Dec. 31.	To cash Balance.....		\$123,197 02
	To Quarterly Appropriation	\$1,514,620 94	
	To Quarterly Appropriation, Board of Public Educa- tion	46,875 00	
			<hr/> 1,561,495 94
			<hr/> \$1,684,692 96

EXPENDITURES.

Unclaimed Matured Loans.....	\$1,450 00	
Unclaimed Interest	3,218 25	
Purchase of Securities for Sinking Funds Loans	714,583 33	
		<hr/> 719,251 58
Cash Balance		<hr/> \$965,441 38
Par Value City Securities in Sinking Funds.....		<hr/> 14,701,200 00
Total Cash and Securities.....		<hr/> \$15,666,641 38

FIRE INSURANCE FUND.

Dec. 31.	To Cash Balance	\$30,631 61
	To Annual Appropriation	25,000 00
		<hr/> \$55,631 61

EXPENDITURES.

By Cash paid account fire, Phila. Hospital, April 6, 1911	6.990 33
Cash Balance	\$48,641 28
Par Value Securities in Fund	345,900 00
Total Cash and Securities	\$394,541 28

Respectfully submitted,

RUDOLPH BLANKENBURG,

JNO. M. WALTON,

LOUIS WAGNER,

Commissioners of the Sinking Funds.

APPENDIX No. 147.

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR.

Philadelphia, May 2, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—I herewith enclose an ordinance regarding the keeping of hogs or swine in the City of Philadelphia. This ordinance explains itself, and I would ask your early and favorable consideration.

This question is one that will materially affect the Philadelphia Navy Yard. I have had communications from Commandant Grant, complaining about conditions prevailing in that section of the City owing to the proximity of the pigs, and not only from him but also from the Secretary of the Navy. We should do everything possible to make the surroundings of the Philadelphia Navy Yard as attractive and healthy as possible.

Yours respectfully,

RUDOLPH BLANKENBURG,

Mayor.

AN ORDINANCE

Declaring it to be a nuisance and making it unlawful to keep hogs or swine in the City of Philadelphia, except within certain limits; or in any part of the City of Philadelphia, excepting in a sanitary manner; and providing penalties for the violation of this ordinance.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That it is hereby made unlawful and declared to be a nuisance to keep hogs or swine in any part of the City of Philadelphia except within the limits hereinafter described: *Provided*, That this section shall not apply to hogs or swine kept at any licensed slaughter house for a period not exceeding five (5) days, for the purpose of being killed for use as food.

The limits within which hogs or swine may lawfully be kept in accordance with the provisions of this section shall be as follows:

1. In that portion of the City between Penrose avenue and Gallows lane and the Schuylkill river.

2. In that portion of the City of Philadelphia between the Delaware river and a line running from the Back Channel along the east house line of Eighth street north to the south house line of Packer street; thence east along the south house line of Packer street to the east side of Stonehouse lane; thence northwest along the east side of Stonehouse lane to the southeast line of Stampers lane; thence along the southeast line of Stampers lane northeast to the south line of Oregon avenue; thence along the south line of Oregon avenue to the Delaware river.

3. Between the City line at the southern boundary of the City and a line beginning at the intersection of Darby creek and the south house line of Eighty-seventh street; thence along the south house line of Eighty-seventh street to Church creek; thence along Church creek to the south house line of Eighty-first street; thence along the south house line of Eighty-

first street to the east house line of Ashwood avenue; thence along the east house line of Ashwood avenue to the south side of Jones lane; thence along the south side of Jones lane to the east side of Laycock avenue; thence along the east line of Laycock avenue to the south line of Powers lane; thence along the south line of Powers lane to the right-of-way of the Chester Branch of the Philadelphia and Reading Railroad; thence along said right-of-way to the south side of Sixty-first street; thence east along the south side of Sixty-first street to the west side of the Schuylkill river.

4. Within the limits of the Twenty-first, Twenty-second, Thirty-fifth, Forty-first, Forty-second and Forty-fifth Wards of the City.

Provided, That in no part of any of the above-described territory shall hogs or swine be kept within half a mile of any church, school house or hospital.

SECT. 2. It is hereby made unlawful and declared to be a nuisance to keep hogs or swine in any part of the City of Philadelphia excepting in a sanitary manner, so as not to be prejudicial to the health of the community.

SECT. 3. Any person violating any of the provisions of this ordinance, or committing a nuisance as herein defined, shall be liable to a penalty of twenty-five (25) dollars for each offence, and to an additional penalty of five (5) dollars for each day during which such violation or the continuation of such nuisance may be persisted in after not less than ten days' written notice from the Board of Health to abate the same, to be recovered as fines and penalties of a like amount are now by law recoverable.

SECT. 4. All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith be, and the same are hereby repealed.

APPENDIX No. 148.

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR.

Philadelphia, May 2, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The enclosed copy of communication from the Director of the Department of Supplies, with ordinance attached, explains itself.

Kindly give this ordinance your favorable consideration.

Yours respectfully,

RUDOLPH BLANKENBURG,

Mayor.

DEPARTMENT OF SUPPLIES.

Philadelphia, May 1, 1912.

HON. RUDOLPH BLANKENBURG,

Mayor of the City of Philadelphia.

MY DEAR MAYOR:—I herewith forward an ordinance for an additional appropriation to the Department of Supplies to provide for the payment of storing some 6,000 tons of coal for use in the City Hall. The storing of this coal was brought about in anticipation of a strike taking place at the mines, the coal being furnished by McKee & Co. at the schedule price.

I would respectfully request that you urge the passage of this ordinance, as the City in the event of a strike will have sufficient coal to last until early in September, and at a figure that is more than reasonable under the conditions.

Very truly yours,

(Signed) HERMAN LOEB,

Director.

AN ORDINANCE

To make an additional appropriation to the Department of Supplies, for the year 1912, to provide for the payment of storing coal in anticipation of a strike at the mines.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the sum of two thousand seven hundred (2,700) dollars be, and the same is hereby appropriated to the Department of Supplies (City Property), to Item 60, for the year 1912, to pay bill of McKee & Co. for storage of 6,000 tons of coal for use in the City Hall.

APPENDIX No. 149.

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR.

Philadelphia, May 2, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—I herewith enclose copies of communications received from Dr. Joseph S. Neff, Director of the Department of Public Health and Charities, with reference to the transfer of an appropriation of ten thousand (10,000) dollars for "rental of a steamboat," etc. He recommends that five thousand (5,000) dollars of this amount be appropriated towards the expense of the "Baby Saving Show" and five thousand (5,000) dollars "for the relief of children in the congested districts during the heated term."

I cordially approve this request and hope it may have your favorable consideration.

Very respectfully,

RUDOLPH BLANKENBURG,

Mayor.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH AND CHARITIES.

Philadelphia, April 20, 1912.

HON. RUDOLPH BLANKENBURG,

Mayor of the City of Philadelphia.

DEAR SIR:—At the meeting of the Philadelphia County Medical Society, held on April 17th, the following resolution was adopted:

“The Philadelphia County Medical Society endorses the request of the Executive Committee of the ‘Baby Saving Show’ to the Finance Committee of Councils for an appropriation of five thousand (5,000) dollars.”

This request is now in the hands of the Finance Committee, having been sent with the favorable recommendation of Your Honor, and I would respectfully ask your aid in having the Finance Committee act promptly and favorably upon the same.

Since starting this movement we find the scope has been enlarged to such an extent that we estimate the expenses to be in the neighborhood of sixteen thousand (16,000) dollars. We have secured an underwriting syndicate to date guaranteeing five thousand (5,000) dollars, and are strenuously working to procure additional subscriptions.

This show, I believe, will be one of the best of its kind ever held in Philadelphia. Four Departments of the United States government are co-operating, and the show must prove of great educational value to our citizens, which will tend to lessen preventable infant mortality.

The Committee has secured the services of many of the best known experts in the United States, who have agreed to deliver popular lectures during the week of the exhibit at Horticultural Hall.

If sufficient funds are in hand, a comprehensive report will be published quoting from these various authorities, which will be used for distribution among the homes. This

must benefit our people in dispelling ignorance, which is the greatest obstacle to-day in sanitary progress.

Very respectfully yours,

(Signed) JOSEPH S. NEFF,

Director.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH AND CHARITIES.

Philadelphia, May 1, 1912.

HON. RUDOLPH BLANKENBURG,

Mayor of the City of Philadelphia.

DEAR SIR:—I enclose herewith copies of resolutions and letters concerning the transfer of the ten thousand (10,000) dollars appropriated by Councils on April 13, 1912, to Item 12 (Director's Office), Department of Public Health and Charities, "for rental of a steamboat to be used for giving free daily (except Sundays) excursions, during July and August, for the children of the public and parochial schools," to Item 17, Bureau of Health, "for the relief of children in the congested districts during the heated term," and new item for a "Baby Saving Show," as follows:

Resolution from the Philadelphia County Medical Society, passed at its meeting held April 17, 1912, as follows:

"That the Philadelphia County Medical Society endorses the request of the Executive Committee of the Baby Saving Show to the Finance Committee of Councils, for an appropriation of five thousand (5,000) dollars."

Resolution from the Philadelphia County Medical Society, passed at its meeting held April 17, 1912;

Resolution from the Child Hygiene Committee of Philadelphia, passed at its meeting held April 25, 1912;

Resolution from the Executive Committee of the Child Hygiene Committee of Philadelphia, under date of April 11, 1912;

Letter from William B. Buck, Secretary, Committee on Municipal Charities, under date of April 11, 1912;

Letter from Roy Smith Wallace, Secretary, Pennsylvania Society to Protect Children from Cruelty, under date of April 11, 1912;

Letter from Edwin D. Solenberger, General Secretary, Children's Aid Society of Pennsylvania, under date of April 10, 1912;

Letter from J. Bruce Byall, Superintendent, the Children's Bureau, under date of April 11, 1912; and

Letter from Porter R. Lee, General Secretary, Society for Organizing Charity, under date of April 11, 1912.

Of the letters of the above mentioned societies, those dealing with child welfare, you will note, have practically the same tenor, to the effect that, notwithstanding daily excursions for healthy and well children would be a healthy enjoyment, yet the money is urgently needed for the much more important work of saving infant lives in the crowded districts during the heated term, as evidenced by work of this character during the past summer on the Recreation Piers on the Delaware river.

The Department desires to run the Chestnut Street Pier as an educational center for the training of mothers, nurses, and the care of children, and on the Race Street Pier run a hospital, where those who are desperately ill could be treated with better results than in the home congested sections, or even in other hospitals in the City.

I am not desirous of depriving the school children of their river outings, but feel that the recommendations incorporated in these communications are valuable, and that much better health-work and life-saving work can be ac-

complished by the maintenance of the Department's activities on these piers, than could be accomplished by the use of the steamboat for daily excursions.

The "Baby Saving Show," under the auspices of the Department of Public Health and Charities, and other co-operating associations, to be held for one week at Horticultural Hall, and for several days in Manayunk, Kensington, and Southeast Philadelphia, will be of great value in the education of those in charge of babies, and will become a prominent factor in the reduction of preventable infant mortality in Philadelphia. The expenses of this exhibition are estimated to be sixteen thousand (16,000) dollars. An appropriation of five thousand (5,000) dollars has been asked of Councils for this show.

Owing to the scarcity of money and the insufficient appropriation of Item 17, Bureau of Health, I would respectfully request you to ask Councils to transfer from the ten thousand (10,000) dollars appropriated under Item 12, Director's Office, Department of Public Health and Charities—above referred to—five thousand (5,000) dollars to the "Baby Saving Show," and five thousand (5,000) dollars to Item 17, Bureau of Health, "for the relief of children in the congested districts during the heated term." I am,

Very respectfully yours,

(Signed) JOS. S. NEFF,

Director.

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COMMITTEE ON MUNICIPAL CHARITIES,

Room 502 Morris Building,

1421 Chestnut street.

Philadelphia, April 11, 1912.

DR. JOSEPH S. NEFF,

Director, Department of Public Health and Charities.

DEAR DR. NEFF:—I understand that some time since Councils appropriated \$10,000 for transportation of

children up and down the river with a view to giving them the benefit of fresh air outings.

I understand also, from my own observations and from talking with others who are better informed, that while such outings are desirable, the need is not so imperative as for other uses. Would it not be possible to secure from Councils a transfer of this appropriation to another purpose, namely, the more important work of saving infant life in the crowded districts?

In view of the far greater importance of the last named work I desire to protest most strongly against the use of the \$10,000 for the purpose for which it is at present appropriated.

Very sincerely,

(Signed) W. B. BUCK.

THE PENNSYLVANIA SOCIETY TO PROTECT CHILDREN
FROM CRUELTY,

419 South Fifteenth street.

Philadelphia, April 11, 1912.

DR. JOSEPH S. NEFF,

Director, Department of Public Health and Charities.

MY DEAR DR. NEFF:—I have noticed that Councils have recently appropriated \$10,000 to your Department, to be used to hire a boat to take children up and down the river during the summer months.

I am wondering if you cannot persuade Councils to transfer this money to some more useful object. Of course, taking children up and down the river in the summer time in a boat is a very pleasant thing to do and would be of some use, but the money could be so much more valuably spent in your regular campaign for the reduction of summer infant mortality, that I should hope very much that Councils, now that they have once appropriated the money, would feel that they could transfer it to some other

purpose. For instance, the engagement of some more maternity nurses to work in the congested districts with the mothers of new-born babies, or to add to the efficiency of the out-door work on recreation piers, etc. It does seem to me very much too bad that this \$10,000, which is apparently available for children's work, should go to a comparatively useless, as compared with an essentially important, children's work.

Very sincerely yours,
(Signed) ROY SMITH WALLACE,
Secretary.

CHILDREN'S AID SOCIETY OF PENNSYLVANIA.
Charities Building, 419 South Fifteenth street.

Philadelphia, April 10, 1912.

DR. JOSEPH S. NEFF,
Director, Department of Public Health and Charities.

MY DEAR DR. NEFF:—Our attention has been called to a recent appropriation by Councils of \$10,000 for the purpose of providing daily excursions on a steamboat on the Delaware river during certain months of the summer for school children of the public and parochial schools. On inquiry it appears that no provision has been made for the supervision of these excursions nor for supplying food. Particularly, I understand that no provision is made for doctors or nurses, so that it would not be possible to take care of sick or convalescent children. Again, it is to be noted that it will not be possible to care for infants and young children under school age, and it is the younger children in the congested sections of the City that are particularly in need of fresh air and outings during the summer months, when the death rate among them is unusually high.

Without going into further details, it is our belief that those who promoted this plan of providing hot weather

relief for children were not sufficiently advised as to the classes of children in the greatest and most urgent need of help along this line. Moreover, providing daily excursions for school children would seem to be more properly a function of the Recreation Board of the City or the private playground associations rather than the Department of Health and Charities, which is charged with the responsibility for keeping down the death rate and relieving the suffering of the sick and the invalid classes. For this reason, as well as because the proposed plan lacks the necessary safeguards and provisions to make it accomplish the purposes desired, we beg to ask your earnest consideration to the matter of having this money transferred to some object in the Department that will more directly reach the children who particularly suffer during the heated months because of the conditions under which they live in the congested quarters of our City.

Very respectfully yours,

CHILDREN'S AID SOCIETY,

(Signed) EDWIN D. SOLENBERGER,

General Secretary.

CHILDREN'S BUREAU.

The Pennsylvania Society to Protect Children from Cruelty, The Seybert Institution for Poor Boys and Girls, The Children's Aid Society of Pennsylvania,

Charities Building, 419 South Fifteenth street.

Philadelphia, April 11, 1912.

DR. JOSEPH S. NEFF,

Director, Department of Public Health and Charities.

DEAR SIR:—I have recently learned that the Councils appropriated some ten thousand dollars for the purpose of renting a boat to give the children of the public and parochial schools picnic trips on the river next summer.

This is a very commendable purpose, but it has occurred to me that the ten thousand dollars might be used for even better purposes. Last year your Department, through its visiting nurses, was able to reduce the number of deaths among babies nearly one-half. This kind of work should be greatly extended. The river trips will give real pleasure, but the visiting nurses can save real lives. Why should it not be a good plan to ask to have these ten thousand dollars transferred to your Department for baby-saving purposes? As a representative of the Children's Bureau, I hope that you will ask for this transfer.

Very truly yours,

(Signed) J. BRUCE BYALL,
Superintendent.

SOCIETY FOR ORGANIZING CHARITY,
Charities Building, 419 South Fifteenth street.

Philadelphia, April 11, 1912.

DR. JOSEPH S. NEFF,

Director, Department of Public Health and Charities.

MY DEAR DR. NEFF:—I understand that Councils have appropriated \$10,000 for the purpose of chartering a boat on the river which is to be used for outings for the children of parochial and public schools. I desire to raise the question whether this is not a most undesirable use to make of \$10,000 when there are so many bits of work in your Department that have been only partially done because of inadequate appropriations? We have suffered a good deal in Philadelphia through the "half a loaf" policy, and I should like to urge upon you with all the earnestness I can that you do what you can to have this appropriation transferred from the use designated, and applied to your Child Hygiene Department, where it can be devoted to the prevention of infant mortality this summer. Infant mortality is one of the most important, and has proved itself one of the most successful, experiments

the City has tried since I have been in Philadelphia. It ought to be rapidly extended, and it is nothing short of crime, in view of its demonstrated success, to leave it with inadequate equipment.

I have perfect sympathy with summer outing work for children. The City, however, is fairly well equipped with provisions for summer outings with the Children's Country Week Association at the head. The net result in health and happiness could not be anywhere near as great by using this money for the chartering of a boat for outings as it would if it were to go into the extension of the infant mortality work. I imagine that any such transfer would require further action by Councils. If so, and you think I can be of any help to you, I should be very glad to have you use this letter or use me in any way you choose.

Very sincerely yours,

(Signed) PORTER R. LEE.

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HOWARD CHILDS CARPENTER, M. D.,

1805 Spruce street,

Philadelphia, April 11, 1912.

WHEREAS, The members of the Executive Committee of the Child Hygiene Committee of Philadelphia have learned, through the newspapers, that the City Councils have appropriated the sum of \$10,000 to the office of the Director of Public Health and Charities to provide a large steamboat for daily excursions (except on Sundays) during the months of July and August for children of the public and parochial schools, convalescents, and babies and mothers;

WHEREAS, The Executive Committee recognizes the worthy purpose of this appropriation and the benefits of such recreation to the recipients;

WHEREAS, The appropriation as made does not provide for physicians, nurses or attendants of any kind, and the benefits of such excursions will not be available for sick infants and children.

WHEREAS, There are not funds available for the purpose of caring for the health of sick babies or of children needing medical attention; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Executive Committee address a letter embodying the above resolution and asking that this money be appropriated to the development and maintenance of a summer hospital of the Department of Public Health and Charities on the Race Street Pier. Copies of this letter to be sent to the Mayor of the City, the Director of Public Health and Charities, and the Chairman of the Finance Committee of Councils.

(Signed) HOWARD CHILDS CARPENTER,
Secretary.

Philadelphia, April 18, 1912.

DR. ALEXANDER C. ABBOTT,
4229 Baltimore avenue., Philadelphia.

DEAR DR. ABBOTT:—At a business meeting of this Society, held last night, the following resolutions were adopted:

“That the Philadelphia County Medical Society endorses the request of the Executive Committee of the Baby Saving Show to the Finance Committee of Councils for an appropriation of \$5,000.

“WHEREAS, The Director of Public Health and Charities deems it for the best interests of the public health that moneys be appropriated for the continuance of a Nursery Hospital that was begun on the Race Street Pier last summer;

AND WHEREAS, A bill is also before Councils appropriating \$10,000 to hire a passenger boat, to be used for convalescents;

Resolved, That in case there is insufficient money for both of these propositions, the Philadelphia Medical Society requests that the proposition favored by Dr. Neff be given the preference."

Very truly yours,
(Signed) WILLIAM S. WRAY,
Secretary.

HOWARD CHILDS CARPENTER, M. D.,
1805 Spruce street,

Philadelphia, April 27, 1912.

DR. JOSEPH S. NEFF,

Director, Department of Public Health and Charities.

DEAR DOCTOR:—At a stated meeting of the Child Hygiene Committee of Philadelphia, held on April 25, 1912, I was instructed to forward to you the following resolutions:

WHEREAS, The members of the Committee on Child Hygiene of Philadelphia have learned that the City Councils have appropriated the sum of \$10,000 to the office of the Director of Public Health and Charities to provide for a large steamboat for daily excursions (except on Sundays) during the months of July and August for children of the public and parochial schools;

WHEREAS, The Child Hygiene Committee recognizes the worthy purpose of this appropriation and the benefits of such recreation to the recipients;

WHEREAS, The appropriation as made does not provide for physicians, nurses, or attendants of any kind, and the benefit of such excursions will not be available for sick infants and children;

WHEREAS, There are not funds available for the purpose of caring for the health of sick babies or of children needing medical care; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Child Hygiene Committee of Philadelphia address a letter embodying the above resolutions and asking that this money be appropriated to the development and maintenance of a Summer Hospital of the Department of Health on the Race Street Pier; and copies of this letter be sent to the Mayor of the City, the Presidents of Select and Common Councils, and the Director of Public Health and Charities.

(Signed) HOWARD CHILDS CARPENTER,
Secretary.

APPENDIX No. 150.

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR.

Philadelphia, May 2, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—Allow me to call your attention to the two communications of which copies are attached, which I have received from the Director of the Department of Public Safety, with reference to additional appropriations urgently needed by the Bureau of City Property and the Electrical Bureau.

I hope that these may receive your early and favorable consideration.

Yours respectfully,
RUDOLPH BLANKENBURG,
Mayor.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY.

Office of the Director,
City Hall.

Philadelphia, April 18, 1912.

HON. RUDOLPH BLANKENBURG,

Mayor of the City of Philadelphia.

SIR:—I am in receipt of the following communication from Mr. Clayton W. Pike, Chief of the Electrical Bureau, relative to the condition of certain items in the appropriation for his Bureau for the year 1912, to wit:

“At the coming session of Councils I would request that authority be given to transfer the appropriation for Item 3, Section 5, Electrical Bureau, so as to make it available for the maintenance of an automobile instead of a horse and wagon. An automobile is very badly needed, and a horse and wagon are of practically no utility.

“I would also call your attention to the fact that Item 2 will be exhausted in about one month. Out of this item we pay the men who perform the repairs on the overhead construction lines, which operate the police, fire alarm and telephone systems. It will, of course, be necessary to keep these in operation, and I therefore request an additional appropriation of \$15,000.”

The above has my approval, and I would respectfully request that you transmit the same to Councils for action at as early a date as possible.

Respectfully,

(Signed) GEO. D. PORTER,

Director.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY.

Philadelphia, April 3, 1912.

HON. RUDOLPH BLANKENBURG,

Mayor of the City of Philadelphia.

SIR:—I am in receipt of the following communication from the Chief of the Bureau of City Property, which you will find self-explanatory:

“For six or seven years the Clean Towel Supply Co. has been furnishing this Bureau with towels for the use of the Courts and this office. The item for the maintenance of the City Hall is quite exhausted, and I will be obliged to discontinue the towel service unless funds are appropriated for the purpose. This course is necessary upon the recent ruling of the Law Department that we cannot negotiate a bill in anticipation of funds. I might add that the same condition prevails with regard to locks and locksmithing in the building, which is quite a daily occurrence.”

The item for the maintenance of City Hall is an important one and is practically exhausted at this time. I would respectfully ask that this matter be presented to Councils, and that they be urged to take action with regard to the same at the very earliest possible moment.

Respectfully,

(Signed) GEO. D. PORTER,

Director.

APPENDIX No. 151.

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR.

Philadelphia, May 2, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The enclosed copy of letter received from George D. Porter, Director of the Department of Public

Safety, as well as draft of resolution for the consideration of your Honorable Bodies, explains itself. I heartily approve the proposed action; it seems to me to be the only way to adjust this difficult problem, and I think you will agree with me that no more just and equitable solution of the question could be adopted.

Bespeaking for this communication your earnest consideration and approval, I am,

Yours respectfully,

RUDOLPH BLANKENBURG,

Mayor.

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DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY.

Philadelphia, April 24, 1912.

HON. RUDOLPH BLANKENBURG,

Mayor, of the City of Philadelphia.

SIR:—I have the honor to forward herewith copy of resolutions, the result of a conference between Michael J. Ryan, Esq., City Solicitor, Frank Riter, Esq., President of the Board of Civil Service Commissioners, and myself, relative to the restoration of members of the Police and Fire Bureaus affected by the position of the Court of Common Pleas No. 2, and respectfully urge that you forward the same to Councils with your recommendation that it be passed.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) GEORGE D. PORTER,

Director.

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RESOLUTION

To authorize the Director of the Department of Public Safety to restore at the same rate of pay members of the police and fire forces affected by the decision of the Court of Common Pleas No. 2 of the County of Phila-

delphia in the case of Smith et al. *vs.* City of Philadelphia, C. P. No. 2, March Term, 1908, No. 2920, and who may hereafter be appointed to said forces after competitive examination, from eligible lists, in accordance with the provisions of the Civil Service Law, and suspending Joint Rule No. 30 of the Select and Common Councils.

WHEREAS, Since the early part of 1907, the Civil Service Commission furnished eligible lists for the positions of patrolman, mounted patrolman, and hoseman, divided into the number of districts covering the City;

AND WHEREAS, The legality of such action was duly questioned in the case of Smith et al. *vs.* City of Philadelphia, and it was subsequently decided by the Court of Common Pleas No. 2 of the County of Philadelphia that all appointments made under such lists were null and void;

AND WHEREAS, The Director of the Department of Public Safety has determined to give opportunity to all such appointees now in his Department to apply to the Civil Service Commission for provisional appointment; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Director of the Department of Public Safety is hereby authorized and empowered to restore such members of the police and fire forces who may hereafter be appointed to said forces after competitive examinations, from eligible lists established according to the Civil Service Law, to that rate of pay that they received before their positions were declared null and void by the decision in the case of Smith et al. *vs.* City of Philadelphia, and that the Director of the Department of Public Safety is to draw his several warrants in a manner to carry out the purposes and object of this resolution.

APPENDIX No. 152.

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR.

Philadelphia, May 2, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—I enclose herewith copy of a communication from George D. Porter, Director of the Department of Public Safety, also an ordinance covering his request.

I have no doubt this matter will commend itself to the favorable consideration of your Honorable Bodies, and I would therefore ask for early action.

Yours respectfully,

RUDOLPH BLANKENBURG,

Mayor.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY.

Philadelphia, May 1, 1912.

HON. RUDOLPH BLANKENBURG,

Mayor of the City of Philadelphia.

DEAR SIR:—I have the honor to forward herewith copies of ordinance which I would respectfully suggest that you have introduced in Councils to-morrow, Thursday, with a request that said ordinance receive favorable consideration.

I have had this ordinance drafted to meet the hundreds of complaints which have been received at this office of noises caused by what is commonly known as the cut-out and the offensive odors which emanate from smoking automobiles.

The portion of this ordinance which refers to the emission of obnoxious odors is strongly urged by Dr. Neff, Director of the Department of Public Health and

Charities, who states that it is not only disagreeable but deleterious to public health, but was not such a nuisance as could be acted upon by the Board of Health without Councilmanic action.

Yours respectfully,

(Signed) GEO. D. PORTER,

Director.

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AN ORDINANCE

To regulate the operation of motor vehicles within the City limits to prevent the emission of obnoxious odors and to prevent the use of any cut-out or other device to allow exhaust gases to escape without passing through a muffler.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That on and after the passage of this ordinance, all automobiles, wagons and other vehicles operated by power other than by animal power or hand power, within the City limits, shall, when combustion engines used therein are running, be equipped with a muffler or silencer, through which all the exhaust gases from the engine shall escape through the atmosphere.

SECT. 2. It shall be unlawful for the operator or driver of any motor vehicle as above described to use any cut-out, fitting or other apparatus or device which will allow the exhaust gases to escape into the atmosphere without passing through a suitable muffler or silencer.

SECT. 3. It shall be unlawful for any person to operate, within the City limits, a motor vehicle as above described which emits from the exhaust or muffler thereon offensive quantities of smoke or obnoxious odors.

SECT. 4. Any person violating any of the provisions of this ordinance shall be subject to a fine or penalty of ten (10) dollars, to be collected by conviction before a Magistrate as like fines and penalties are now by law collected; or in case of non-payment of said fine within

forty-eight (48) hours, bail in double the amount of fine and costs being first entered, to undergo an imprisonment in the County Prison for a period not exceeding ten (10) days.

All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith be, and the same are hereby repealed.

APPENDIX No. 153.

Philadelphia, May 2, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Police and Fire, to which was referred a message from the Mayor, relative to “An Ordinance to regulate the having, using, storing and keeping of gasoline by public and private garages in quantities over five gallons,” together with accompanying copies of communications from the Director of the Department of Public Safety and the Fire Marshal, respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Wm. A. Miller (*Ch’n*), W. E. Bonnick, Frank Hardart, John G. Voigt, Jr., Richard A. Cooper, James Ward, Richard Weglein, Simon Walter, Rudolph Ruedinger, Henry R. Shoch, G. W. Kucker, Wm. H. Quigley, George D’Autrechy, Albert De Prefontaine.

AN ORDINANCE

To regulate the having, using, storing and keeping of gasoline by public and private garages in quantities over five gallons.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain:*

Definitions.

(a) An automobile is any self-propelling vehicle.

(b) A public garage is a building where automobiles are kept and stored by the public; where automobiles are rented out to and hired by the public; where a charge is made for use of or for the storage and keeping of automobiles.

(c) A private garage is a building where one or more automobiles are kept and stored for private use only, and not rented or hired out to the public, or any charge made for storage.

(d) Gasoline shall mean the product now commercially known, used and accepted as such by that name.

(e) Approved, means by the Fire Marshal.

SECT. 2. That on and after the first day of July, 1912, it shall be unlawful for any person or persons, corporation, firm or co-partnership to keep, store or handle gasoline in any private or public garage in excess of five gallons, excepting in tanks of automobiles or approved safety containers, and in compliance with the conditions hereinafter mentioned.

SECT. 3. Quantity: The capacity of any tank shall not exceed five hundred and sixty (560) gallons, nor shall more than four tanks be permitted in connection with any one public or private garage.

SECT. 4. Gasoline tanks:

(a) All tanks shall be installed outside of buildings, underground, not less than two (2) feet below surface, entirely surrounded by earth well tamped in place and furnished with a footing or foundation of concrete, to be at least six (6) inches thick.

(b) If impracticable to locate storage tanks outside of buildings, they may be buried three (3) feet below level of the basement or cellar floor, imbedded in the earth, and covered by at least three (3) feet of earth, and to be furnished

with footing or foundation of concrete at least six (6) inches thick.

(c) All tanks of three hundred and twenty (320) gallons to five hundred and sixty (560) gallons capacity shall be made of at least twelve (12) gauge galvanized steel or at least one-quarter ($\frac{1}{4}$) inch black open hearth tank steel. All tanks of two hundred and twenty (220) gallons to three hundred and twenty (320) gallons capacity shall be of fourteen (14) gauge. All tanks of less than two hundred and twenty (220) gallons capacity shall be made of sixteen (16) gauge. All of these tanks shall be welded or riveted and in every respect substantially constructed, and galvanized or painted with not less than two (2) coats of rust-resisting material on the outside thereof. Where tanks are not more than four (4) feet in diameter, the thickness of the metal shall be increased proportionately: *Provided, however,* That the thickness of the metal for a tank four (4) feet in diameter need not be greater than six gauge galvanized steel or 5-16 inch black open hearth tank steel. Where steel is specified, iron or other approved metal of approved quality and thickness may be substituted.

(d) Filler pipes must be made of galvanized iron pipe one and one-half ($1\frac{1}{2}$) inches or more in diameter, entering at the top and extending to bottom of tank, upper end of said filler tank must terminate in an approved cap or plug, securely locked. Where tanks are located under the building, filler pipe must run to the outside of the building and terminate in an approved cap or plug, same to be securely locked. Where filler pipe runs to sidewalk, it must terminate in an approved cap or plug, securely locked, and be protected by a metal filler box, the same to be flush with the sidewalk, the cover to the said filler box to be securely locked. Filler pipes in alleyways shall terminate in an approved cap or plug, securely locked, and extending above the ground level close to the building.

(e) Tanks located within ten (10) feet of any building or within the building shall be provided with one inch diameter or larger vent pipe, same to be connected to the top of such tank. This pipe must be carried up to at least

four (4) feet above the roof of said building and terminate in a goose neck and spark arrester.

(f) Pipe connecting the tank with discharge point in building must be of galvanized iron and must enter top of tank. Said pipe must be buried at least ten (10) inches below the surface, and any exposed portion thereof must be thoroughly and properly protected. This connection pipe must not be lower at any point than where same leaves the tank.

SECT. 5. All tanks in garages used for storage of gasoline, now located on sidewalks or above ground, shall be removed and installed in accordance with this ordinance on or before the first day of July, 1912.

SECT. 6. All gasoline must be drawn from the tanks by means of an approved apparatus.

SECT. 7. Where gasoline is drawn inside the building, lighting shall be by incandescent electric lights, with all electric switches and cut-offs permanently located at least four (4) feet above the floor. No fire or open light shall be permitted in the room where filling of reservoir of automobile is done.

SECT. 8. Handling and storing of gasoline inside of garages:

(a) No gasoline or other volatile inflammable liquids shall be kept in any garage except in reservoirs of automobiles or when stored or handled in self-closing safety containers, or in portable filling tanks.

(b) When self-closing safety containers are used for the storing or handling of gasoline, not more than five (5) gallons of gasoline shall be kept in any building, and the self-closing containers must be made of metal and must be of approved construction, and must be of a capacity not to exceed five (5) gallons.

(c) When portable wheel tanks are used for the handling of gasoline, the tanks must be of a capacity not to exceed fifty (50) gallons, and must be of at least three-sixteenths (3-16) inch tank steel or other approved metal, and must be of approved construction. The said port-

able tanks shall be supported on wheels equipped with rubber or other approved tires, and the tank must be provided with an approved all-metal pump or other approved device. This pump to be provided with hose attachment, and hose must not exceed ten (10) feet in length. This pump must be equipped with approved ground key shut-off cock where hose is attached to pump, also with approved ground key shut-off cock at end of hose. Pump must be equipped with a convenient lock and the same must be locked when not in use.

SECT. 9. There shall be constantly kept and maintained convenient receptacles filled with sand, to be used in absorbing waste oils on the floor. In addition to this, sand shall be kept in box or boxes of approved construction, provided with hand scoop, to be used for fire extinguishing purposes only.

SECT. 10. No smoking shall be allowed in any rooms in which gasoline is kept or used.

SECT. 11. No public or private garage shall keep or store any gasoline in excess of five (5) gallons until application shall have been made to the Mayor and a license granted. No license shall be granted to any person or persons, corporation, firm or co-partnership until the Fire Marshal has examined the premises and certified to the Mayor that the requirements of this ordinance have been complied with, and that he approves such application for license. Upon such certificate being made to the Mayor and upon payment of a fee of three (3) dollars for each tank, the Mayor shall issue said license, which license shall continue in force for one year succeeding. This license to be renewed annually upon the payment of a fee of two (2) dollars for each tank: *Provided*, That if the Fire Marshal shall decide that an applicant for a license is not entitled to his license by reason of endangering the public safety, said applicant may appeal, in writing, to the Director of the Department of Public Safety, within five (5) days after having received notice of the decision of the Fire Marshal, specifying in such appeal the reason and ground therefor. The Director of the Department of Public Safety shall immediately refer such appeal to a

commission, which shall consist of the Chief of the Fire Department, the Chief of the Bureau of Building Inspection and the Fire Marshal. Said Commission shall carefully consider said appeal and make decision thereon, and the decision shall be final. The decision of any two shall be the decision of the Commission.

SECT. 12. No gasoline, benzine or naphtha shall be used in any garage for washing automobiles or parts thereof.

SECT. 13. Any person, firm or corporation violating any of the provisions of this ordinance shall be subject to a fine of twenty-five (25) dollars for each offence; said fine to be collected as like penalties are now collected, and his, their or its license shall be forthwith revoked by the Mayor, and no license shall be issued to any person, firm or corporation so offending, directly, or on his, their or its behalf, until all fines and penalties have been paid.

All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith be, and the same are hereby repealed.

APPENDIX No. 154.

RESOLUTION

Requesting the Board of Revision of Taxes to furnish Councils with list of real estate in Philadelphia owned by public service corporations now exempt from local taxation.

Resolved. By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the Board of Revision of Taxes be, and hereby is, requested to furnish these Councils with a list of the real estate owned by public service corporations within the boundaries of the City and County of Philadelphia now exempt from local taxation, giving location, dimension and value of each parcel, reporting to these Councils not later than the first meeting in June, 1912.

APPENDIX No. 155.

RESOLUTION

To request the Board of Public Education to permit the Board of Recreation to temporarily use the plot of ground on the east side of Germantown avenue, north of Washington lane, for a playground and recreation center.

WHEREAS, The use of the property on the east side of Germantown avenue, north of Washington lane, belonging to the Board of Public Education, has been granted to the Germantown and Chestnut Hill Improvement Association for several years; therefore, it is

Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the Board of Public Education be requested to permit the Board of Recreation to use the said property on the east side of Germantown avenue, north of Washington lane, for playground and recreation purposes until such time as the said property may be disposed of by the Board of Public Education.

APPENDIX No. 156.

RESOLUTION

Of request to the Board of Public Education to permit the Board of Recreation to temporarily use the school property on the east side of American street, north of Columbia avenue, for playground and recreation center.

WHEREAS, The school property on the east side of American street, north of Columbia avenue, has been abandoned by the Board of Public Education for school purposes, and the said property being located in a section badly in need of playground and recreation facilities; therefore

Resolved. By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the Board of Public Education be requested to permit the Board of Recreation to use said property on the east side of American street, north of Columbia avenue, for playground and recreation purposes until such time as the said property may be disposed of by the Board of Public Education.

APPENDIX No. 157.

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR.

Philadelphia, May 7, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—I beg to call your attention to the accompanying letters from the Director of the Department of Public Safety, the Chief of the Bureau of City Property and the City Architect, with reference to the condition of the Fire Headquarters at 1328 Race street.

The Director states that it will require the sum of \$135,000 for the building that is needed to meet the requirements of the Bureau of Fire.

As the present building is in a dangerous condition and likely to be the cause of accidents, I trust that his recommendation may have your early and favorable consideration.

Respectfully yours,

RUDOLPH BLANKENBURG,

Mayor.

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DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY.

Philadelphia, May 7, 1912.

HON. RUDOLPH BLANKENBURG,

Mayor of the City of Philadelphia.

MY DEAR SIR:—Since writing you on April 27th, relative to the condition of the Fire Headquarters at No. 1328 Race street, I have requested the City Architect to make a more careful examination of the property and to report to me definitely its needs.

In my previous communication, I advised you that if \$35,000 could be provided, the building could be sub-

stantially repaired, but I find, on a more thorough examination, that in order to have this building meet all the requirements of the Fire Department the sum of \$135,000 will be required.

The present headquarters are so cramped and unsafe that it is not possible to continue there any longer the heavy work heretofore done, and the recommendation of the City Architect, which I enclose, contemplates adding to the height of the building, thus making three floors; the top floor to be used for painting, etc., the second floor to be used for the wood-working department, and the first floor for the heavy machinery, etc.

I cannot urge upon you too strongly the necessity of prompt action in this matter, as it will be quite impossible to continue in these headquarters much longer, as a serious accident will most certainly result.

Respectfully yours,
(Signed) GEO. D. PORTER,
Director.

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Philadelphia, April 20, 1912.

MR. GEORGE D. PORTER,
Director, Department of Public Safety.

SIR:—In reply to your inquiry: The City Architect reports that it would cost about \$135,000 for new building for Fire Headquarters in order to meet the requirements laid down by the Chief of the Bureau of Fire. This would include the installation of individual motors to run the different machines.

Respectfully,
(Signed) A. S. EISENHOWER,
Chief of Bureau.

Philadelphia, February 8, 1912.

MR. ALFRED S. EISENHOWER,
Chief, Bureau of City Property.

DEAR SIR:—At your request, I have again examined the whole construction of the building used as Fire Headquarters, Juniper and Race streets, and am still of the same opinion as to my former report. I have consulted with the Chief of the Fire Department and his Master Mechanic, and they have agreed with me that the present building is inadequately planned to facilitate the constructing and repairing of fire and police apparatus.

I have been informed that the present building was originally constructed and was used as a market house, and on examination find the cellar constructed of brick piers and groined brick arches, on top of which, to the first floor level, a distance of approximately three feet, is a layer of solid stone. The stone and brick arches have been perforated, from time to time, with manholes, which have been promiscuously cut through the stone and brick arches, thus weakening the floors.

The windows in the outside walls, surrounding the machine shop, are small and in very poor condition; practically worthless to a shop of this kind, the character of whose work demands profuse lighting. These windows would have to be made larger in width and height, which would mean the cutting of the brick walls, and if two additional stories were added, the cutting of the walls would again be necessary to provide for the insertion of joists or other floor construction. This, in my opinion, would weaken the walls considerably.

There are numerous other defects in the planning of the present building that can only be made clear by a personal visit to the building.

The present conditions, in the handling of apparatus which is to be repaired, require the workmen to dismantle parts; this would not be necessary if a hand traveling crane was installed in the building, as it should

be, but which cannot be done in the present erected building.

The lathe room, blacksmith shop, paint shop, power room, and storage room are so small and poorly located that it is a hindrance to the mechanics in the proper execution of their work.

The Chief of the Fire Department, and his clerks' quarters on the second floor, facing Race street are inadequate and not well arranged, and would have to be torn out if the present walls were retained, which would be considerable more expense than if built anew.

My idea to improve these conditions, as I have previously reported to you, is to demolish the present building and erect a building of three stories, properly arranged to house the entire equipment in an up-to-date layout, and I think that a garage could be installed for housing all the officials' automobiles, which I understand are scattered throughout the City.

Respectfully,

(Signed) CARL B. ZILENZIGER,
City Architect.

APPENDIX No. 158.

Philadelphia, May 9, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize certain transfers in the annual appropriations to the Department of Supplies, Art Jury and Clerks of Councils, respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Jno. P. Connelly (*Ch'n*), John H. Hahn, G. P. Darrow (for report), G. W. Kucker, Chas. Seger, Chas. A. Gillingham, John H. Baizley (for report), Robert S. McElroy, E. B. Gleason, E. Buchholz, William J. McCloskey, W. E. Bonnick, H. J. Trainer, Thomas J. Morton, Wm. E. Finley.

ART JURY.

Philadelphia, April 17, 1912.

TO THE HONORABLE GEORGE MCCURDY,
President of Common Council.

DEAR SIR:—I enclose herewith an ordinance to make an appropriation for the expenses of the Art Jury, for the year 1912, with the request that it may be given favorable consideration by the Select and Common Councils of the City.

The Act of Assembly of May 25, 1907 (P.L. 249), provides that "in every city of the first class there shall be an Art Jury, composed of the Mayor of the city ex-officio and eight other members," possessing certain qualifications designated in the Act, to be appointed by him, subject to confirmation by the Select Council of said city.

The members of the jury serve without compensation, but the Act directs that "the Councils of said city shall by ordinance provide for the necessary expenses of the jury, including the salaries of such clerks as may be required."

Upon the first appointment of the Art Jury for the City of Philadelphia by Mayor Reyburn, the City Councils by an ordinance, approved December 1, 1911, as required by the terms of the Act, "provided for the necessary expenses of the jury" for the remainder of the year 1911, including the salaries of a clerk, designated as "Assistant Secretary," at the rate of \$3,600 a year, and a stenographer, at the rate of \$900 a year.

The same salaries, provided in the proposed ordinance for 1912, appear to all the members of the jury to be entirely reasonable. In the first three months of its existence, as shown in its first report to the Mayor, a proof of which is herewith enclosed, the Art Jury has effected a saving in the estimated cost to the City of the six public structures, whose plans have been finally acted upon by the jury, of over \$41,000.

Yours very truly,

CHAS. C. HARRISON,

President.

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AN ORDINANCE

To authorize certain transfers in the annual appropriations to the Department of Supplies, Art Jury and Clerks of Councils, for the year 1912.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain.* That the City Controller be, and he is hereby authorized to make the following transfers in the annual appropriations to the Department of Supplies, the Art Jury and Clerks of Councils, for the year 1912, viz.: Clerks of Councils from Item 7½ (1910), to pay Manufacturers' Appraisal Co., nine thousand

(9,000) dollars, to the following: Art Jury, to Item 1, for salaries; to provide for Assistant Secretary, at the rate of three thousand six hundred (3,600) dollars per annum; for stenographer and typewriter at the rate of nine hundred (900) dollars per annum; total, four thousand five hundred (4,500)• dollars. To Item 2, for stationery, printing, postage, transportation, hire of vehicles, traveling and hotel expenses, messenger service, books and periodicals for library and incidentals, two thousand (2,000) dollars. Department of Supplies (Art Jury), to Item 8, for ice, towels and soap, furniture, carpets, rugs and other office furnishings, and other supplies, two thousand five hundred (2,500) dollars.

APPENDIX No. 159.

Philadelphia, May 9, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred Mayor's messages, sundry communications and bills in relation to additional appropriations, respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill "To authorize certain transfers in the annual appropriations to the various Bureaus in the Department of Public Safety, Clerks of Councils, Coroner, Commissioners of Fairmount Park, City Controller and Register of Wills, for the year 1912," and ask its passage.

Jno. P. Connelly (*Ch'n*), Peter E. Costello, William J. McCloskey, Robert S. McElroy, John H. Baizley, E. Buchholz, G. P. Darrow, John H. Hahn, E. B. Gleason, Chas. A. Gillingham, W. E. Bonnick, H. J. Trainer, Thomas J. Morton, Wm. E. Finley.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize certain transfers in the annual appropriations to the various Bureaus in the Department of Public Safety, Clerks of Councils, Coroner, Commissioners of Fairmount Park, City Controller, and the Register of Wills, for the year 1912.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the City Controller be, and is hereby authorized to make the following transfers in the annual appropriations to the various Bureaus in the Department of Public Safety, Clerks of Councils, Coroner, Commissioners of Fairmount Park, City Controller and Register of Wills, for the year 1912, viz.: Department of Public Safety (Electrical Bureau): From Item 3, for keep of horse and wagon, four hundred (400) dollars; City Controller: From Item 7, for alterations, repairs, etc., fifty thousand (50,000) dollars; Register of Wills: From Item 6, for extensions, alterations, steel cases, etc., twenty-eight thousand (28,000) dollars; Clerks of Councils: From Item 7 $\frac{1}{2}$ (1910), to pay Manufacturers' Appraisal Company, twelve thousand nine hundred and eight (12,908) dollars; total, ninety-one thousand three hundred and eight (91,308) dollars, to the following: Department of Public Safety (Electrical Bureau): To Item 3, for the maintenance of an automobile, four hundred (400) dollars; to Item 9 $\frac{1}{2}$, for electric lights on Sanson street, between Seventh and Eighth streets, three hundred (300) dollars; Bureau of City Property, to Item 1, so as to provide for superintendent of a bath house in Tacony, from June 1, 1912, at the rate of six hundred (600) dollars per annum, three hundred and fifty (350) dollars, and to provide for two additional attendants for public toilets in Franklin Square, one at the rate of four hundred and eighty (480) dollars per annum and the other at the rate of three hundred (300) dollars per annum, from June 1st, four hundred and fifty-five (455) dollars; to Item 24, for band and maintenance, one hundred and ninety-two (192) dollars; to Item 71 (new), to pay for ex-

tensions, alterations, steel cases, office fixtures and electric light fixtures in the offices of the Register of Wills, twenty-eight thousand (28,000) dollars; to Item 72 (new), for alterations, repairs and equipment in the office of City Controller, fifty thousand (50,000) dollars; Clerks of Councils, to Item 14 (new), for prizes and other expenses incident to the public horse carnival and exhibition to be held in Fairmount Park in June, 1912, under the auspices of the Road Drivers' Association of Pennsylvania, four thousand (4,000) dollars, said amount to be expended under the supervision of the Committee on Finance: To Item 15 (new), to aid the following organizations of the Army and Navy Union of the United States in Memorial Day Services, Garrison Number 126, Garrison Number 133 and Garrison Number 137, at the rate of one hundred and thirty-seven (137) dollars each, four hundred and eleven (411) dollars; Coroner: To Item 8 (new), for oil, coal, ammonia, general supplies and maintenance of the Morgue, one thousand two hundred (1,200) dollars: To Item 9 (new), for the purchase and maintenance of an automobile and the salary of the chauffeur, five thousand (5,000) dollars; Commissioners of Fairmount Park: To Item 29 (new), to reimburse the Catholic Total Abstinence Union for the cost of restoration of the Father Mathew statue, one thousand (1,000) dollars.

APPENDIX No. 160.

Philadelphia, May 9, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred a bill entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the Director of the Department of Supplies to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in payment of supplies delivered between the awarding and exe-

cuting of certain contracts," respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

John P. Connelly (*Ch'n*), John H. Hahn, G. P. Darrow, G. W. Kucker, Chas. Seger, Chas. A. Gillingham, John H. Baizley, Robert S. McElroy, E. B. Gleason, E. Buchholz, William J. McCloskey, W. E. Bonnick, H. J. Trainer, Thomas J. Morton, Wm. E. Finley.

AN ORDINANCE

Authorizing the Director of the Department of Supplies to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in payment of supplies delivered between the awarding and executing of certain contracts.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Director of the Department of Supplies be authorized to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in amounts aggregating fifty-five thousand eight hundred and forty (55,840) dollars and twenty-four (24) cents, for supplies delivered under contracts between the awarding and the executing of the same and chargeable against certain items, as follows: Department of Supplies (Police): Item 11, David McMullin, Jr., for forage, four hundred and eighty-one (481) dollars and ninety-nine (99) cents; (Correction): Item 17, Frank X. Mathis, Jr., for meats, etc., one thousand six hundred and seventy-nine (1,679) dollars and fifty-three (53) cents; A. Salus & Son, for poultry, etc., sixty-two (62) dollars and thirty-four (34) cents; Andrew Frosch, for meats, etc., four hundred and seventy-one (471) dollars and forty-eight (48) cents; M. E. Benner, for fish, one hundred and fifty-nine (159) dollars and fifty (50) cents; The Fleischmann Co., for yeast, forty-eight (48) dollars and seventy-five (75) cents; Item 29, Henry J. Rife, for shoe findings, one hundred and thirteen (113) dollars and fifty-six (56) cents; (Fire): Item 35, Smith & Holthaus, for coal, one hun-

dred and thirty-six (136) dollars and fifty-six (56) cents; Robert Henderson & Co., for coal, four hundred and thirty-nine (439) dollars and fifty-six (56) cents; (Electrical): Item 42, Dunlap Printing Co., for printed blanks, etc., one hundred and twenty-five (125) dollars and fifty (50) cents; Item 50, Walker & Kepler, for electrical supplies, two hundred and thirty-five (235) dollars and fifty (50) cents; (City Property): Item 60, McKee & Co., for coal, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-two (1,892) dollars and thirty-three (33) cents; (Health): Item 2, Clean Towel Supply Co., for towel service, thirty-seven (37) dollars and thirty-seven (37) cents; Item 6, Frank X. Mathis, Jr., for meats, etc., one thousand three hundred and twenty-eight (1,328) dollars and eighty-seven (87) cents; Roesch Packing Co., for fish, oysters, etc., eighty-three (83) dollars and eighty-five (85) cents; Philip Hoffman, for butter and eggs, one thousand four hundred and seventy-nine (1,479) dollars and eight (8) cents; Kolbs Bakeries, for bread, five hundred and thirty-eight (538) dollars and eighty-six (86) cents; Wm. H. Root, for milk and cream, six hundred and ninety-six (696) dollars and forty-five (45) cents; Bryer Ice Cream Co., for ice cream, three hundred and twenty-five (325) dollars and sixty-six (66) cents; A. Salus & Son, for poultry, four hundred and fifty (450) dollars and nine (9) cents; Item 8, Edward Connor, for coal, one thousand nine hundred and forty-nine (1,949) dollars and thirteen (13) cents; Item 11, David McMullin, Jr., for hay, sixty-seven (67) dollars and twenty-eight (28) cents; (Charities): Item 14, The Fleischmann Co., for yeast, one hundred and eighty-seven (187) dollars and fifty (50) cents; Item 15, Andrew Frosch, for mackerel, three hundred and twelve (312) dollars; Chas. B. Herfurth, for fish, oysters, etc., nine hundred and seventeen (917) dollars and five (5) cents; M. Myers Sons, for hams, six hundred and ninety-one (691) dollars and eight (8) cents; Frank A. Maynes, for mutton, one thousand two hundred and seventeen (1,217) dollars and thirty-nine (39) cents; Item 16, Bougher & Bishop, for onions, three hundred and fifteen (315) dollars and twenty-seven (27) cents; John Kienzle, for potatoes, one thousand six hundred and eighty-eight

(1,688) dollars and fifty-one (51) cents; A. Salus & Son, for lard, one hundred and eighty-three (183) dollars and thirty-three (33) cents; Philip Hoffman, for butter and eggs, seven thousand three hundred and sixty-three (7,363) dollars and four (4) cents; Item 17, John A. Barry, for milk and cream, five thousand eight hundred and ninety (5,890) dollars and forty-eight (48) cents; Item 20, W. C. Kirk & Co., for coal, two thousand nine hundred and eight (2,908) dollars and three (3) cents; (Water): Item 14, The Bingham Co., for printed envelopes, one hundred (100) dollars; Item 15, Rogers-Corr Coal Co., for coal, ten thousand five hundred and eighteen (10,518) dollars and sixty-six (66) cents; Philadelphia and Reading Coal and Iron Co., for coal, nine thousand five hundred and forty-six (9,546) dollars and fifty-two (52) cents; Item 16, W. W. Hodgson, for linseed oil, one hundred and seventy-seven (177) dollars and eighty-eight (88) cents; Item 19, Canco's Mfg. Co., for packing, three hundred and ninety-one (391) dollars and sixty-three (63) cents; Double Service Packing Co., for packing, one hundred and seventy-one (171) dollars and thirty-six (36) cents; Clement Restein Co., for packing, seventy-four (74) dollars and seventy (70) cents; Item 20, John J. McGrath, for waste, three hundred and eighty-two (382) dollars and fifty-seven (57) cents.

APPENDIX No. 161.

Philadelphia, May 9, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred by the Committee on City Property with a favorable recommendation a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the purchase of lot of ground northeast corner Frankford avenue and Harrison street, in the Twenty-third Ward, for police station purposes." respectfully

report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

John P. Connelly (*Ch'n*), John H. Hahn, G. P. Darrow, G. W. Kucker, Chas. Seger, Chas. A. Gillingham, John H. Baizley, Robert S. McElroy, E. B. Gleason, E. Buchholz, William J. McCloskey, W. E. Bonnick, H. J. Trainer, Thomas J. Morton, Wm. E. Finley.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the purchase of lot of ground northeast corner of Frankford avenue and Harrison street, in the Twenty-third Ward, for police station purposes.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the City Solicitor be authorized and directed to examine the title to all that certain lot or piece of ground situate in Frankford, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of Philadelphia aforesaid, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a corner being the intersection of the southeastwardly side of Frankford avenue and the northeastwardly side of Harrison street, containing in front or breadth on said Frankford avenue one hundred and thirty feet, and extending southeastwardly of that width in length or depth one hundred and sixty-four feet and one-half inch; bounded northeastwardly by ground of the North Frankford Baptist Church; southeastwardly by other ground now or late of Wade Wilson; southwestwardly by Harrison street aforesaid, and northwestwardly by Frankford avenue aforesaid. Being part of the same premises which Thomas A. MacDonald by indenture dated the thirteenth day of May, A. D. 1900, duly stamped, registered and recorded at Philadelphia in Deed Book J. V. No. 300, page 356, etc., granted and conveyed unto the said Theodore M. Wilson in fee; and if he approves of the same to cause a conveyance of said property to the City of Philadelphia in fee, for police station purposes; the price of the same to be the sum of twenty-eight thousand (28,000) dollars, the said amount to be taken out of Item 62-D (loan) to the Department of Public Safety (Bureau of City Property).

APPENDIX No. 162.

Philadelphia, May 9, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred a bill entitled “An Ordinance to confer upon the Commissioners of Fairmount Park the care and management of Morris Park in the Thirty-fourth Ward,” together with a communication in relation thereto, respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

John P. Connelly (*Ch’n*), John H. Hahn, G. P. Darrow, G. W. Kucker, Chas. Seger, Chas. A. Gillingham, John H. Baizley, Robert S. McElroy, E. B. Gleason, E. Buchholz, William J. McCloskey, W. E. Bonnick, H. J. Trainer, Thomas J. Morton, Wm. E. Finley.

AN ORDINANCE

To confer upon the Commissioners of Fairmount Park the care and management of Morris Park, in the Thirty-fourth Ward.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the care and management of Morris Park, in the Thirty-fourth Ward, is hereby conferred upon the Commissioners of Fairmount Park, who shall exercise the same powers and authority over said Park as they now have over Fairmount Park.

APPENDIX No. 163.

Philadelphia, May 9, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred a bill entitled “An Ordinance to approve

the sureties on the official bonds of James Reed, Jr., Assistant Director of the Department of Public Works; Alexander M. Wilson, Assistant Director of the Department of Public Health and Charities; John Meigs, Assistant Director of the Department of Wharves, Docks and Ferries; and Andrew Stephen Murphy, Assistant Director of the Department of Public Safety," together with sundry communications pertaining thereto, respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

John P. Connelly (*Ch'n*), John H. Hahn, G. P. Darrow, G. W. Kucker, Chas. Seger, Chas. A. Gillingham, John H. Baizley, Robert S. McElroy, E. B. Gleason, E. Buchholz, William J. McCloskey, W. E. Bonnick, H. J. Trainer, Thomas J. Morton, Wm. E. Finley.

AN ORDINANCE

To approve the sureties on the official bonds of James Reed, Jr., Assistant Director of the Department of Public Works; Alexander M. Wilson, Assistant Director of the Department of Public Health and Charities; John Meigs, Assistant Director of the Department of Wharves, Docks and Ferries; and Andrew Stephen Murphy, Assistant Director of the Department of Public Safety.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the National Surety Company, of New York, be, and it is hereby approved as the surety on the official bond of James Reed, Jr., Assistant Director of the Department of Public Works, in the sum of ten thousand (10,000) dollars, for the faithful performance of his duties.

That the National Surety Company, of New York, be, and it is hereby approved as the surety on the official bond of Alexander M. Wilson, Assistant Director of the Department of Public Health and Charities, in the sum

of ten thousand (10,000) dollars, for the faithful performance of his duties.

That the Title Guaranty and Surety Company, of Scranton, Pa., be, and it is hereby approved as surety on the official bond of John Meigs, Assistant Director of the Department of Wharves, Docks and Ferries, in the sum of ten thousand (10,000) dollars, for the faithful performance of his duties.

That the Maryland Casualty Company, of Baltimore, Md., be, and it is hereby approved as the surety on the official bond of Andrew Stephen Murphy, Assistant Director of the Department of Public Safety, in the sum of ten thousand (10,000) dollars, for the faithful performance of his duties.

APPENDIX No. 164.

Philadelphia, May 9, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the Director of the Department of Public Works to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant to pay the McNichol Paving and Construction Company for work done in connection with the work of abolishing grade crossings along the Philadelphia, Germantown and Norristown Railroad, between Green street and Wayne Junction," respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

John P. Connelly (*Ch'n*), John H. Hahn, G. P. Darrow, G. W. Kucker, Geo. D'Autrechy, Chas. A. Gillingham, John H. Baizley, Robert S. McElroy, E. B. Gleason, E. Buchholz, William J. McCloskey, W. E. Bonnick, H. J. Trainer, Thomas J. Morton, Watson D. Upperman.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the Director of the Department of Public Works to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant to pay the McNichol Paving and Construction Company for work done in connection with the work of abolishing grade crossings along the Philadelphia, Germantown and Norristown Railroad, between Green street and Wayne Junction.

WHEREAS, The McNichol Paving and Construction Company, after due advertisement, entered into a contract for the grading, paving, repaving and appurtenant work on Allegheny avenue, Westmoreland, Nineteenth, Ontario and all adjacent streets affected by the change of grade, adjacent thereto, known as Contract No. 110, P., G. & N. Elevated, with a contract limit of one hundred and thirty thousand (130,000) dollars;

AND WHEREAS, In the execution of said contract unforeseen conditions were met with, the work amounting to four thousand three hundred and thirty-eight (4,338) dollars and sixty (60) cents was done in excess of the cash limit; therefore

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain,* That the Director of the Department of Public Works is hereby authorized and directed to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of the McNichol Paving and Construction Company in the sum of four thousand three hundred and thirty-eight (4,338) dollars and sixty (60) cents for work done in connection with the work of abolishing grade crossings on Contract No. 110, P., G. & N. Elevated, in excess of the cash limit of the contract, payment to be made from Item 27 (loan), in the appropriation to the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Surveys), for the year 1912.

APPENDIX No. 165.

Philadelphia, May 9, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred Mayor's messages, sundry communications and bills in relation to additional appropriations, respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill entitled "An Ordinance to make additional appropriations to the various Bureaus of Departments of Public Works, Public Safety, Public Health and Charities, Supplies, Wharves, Docks and Ferries, Commissioners of Fairmount Park and City Commissioners, for the year 1912, out of loan approved May 9, 1912," with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Jno. P. Connelly (*Ch'n*), John H. Hahn, G. P. Darrow, G. W. Kucker, Chas. Seger, Chas. A. Gillingham, John H. Baizley, Robert S. McElroy, E. B. Gleason, E. Buchholz, William J. McCloskey, W. E. Bonnick, H. J. Trainer, Thomas J. Morton, Wm. E. Finley.

AN ORDINANCE

To make additional appropriations for the purchase of materials and supplies and the maintenance of the various Bureaus of the Departments of Public Works, Public Safety, Public Health and Charities, Supplies, Wharves, Docks and Ferries, Commissioners of Fairmount Park and City Commissioners, for the year 1912, for the construction of main and branch sewers, the grading and paving of streets and the improvement of water supply in West Philadelphia, out of loan approved May 9, 1912.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the sum of four million two hundred and twenty-five thousand (4,225,000)

dollars authorized to be borrowed by ordinance approved May 9, 1912, be, and the same is hereby appropriated for the purchase of materials and supplies and the maintenance of the various Bureaus of the Departments of Public Works, Public Safety, Public Health and Charities, Supplies, Wharves, Docks and Ferries, Commissioners of Fairmount Park and City Commissioners, for the year 1912, for the construction of main and branch sewers, the grading and paving of streets, and the improvement of the water supply in West Philadelphia, viz.:

Department of Public Safety (Director's Office): To Item 2-E, for postage, carfare, meals, etc., one thousand five hundred (1,500) dollars; to Item 3-E, for maintenance of automobile, one thousand (1,000) dollars. (Bureau of Police): To Item 2-E, for cleaning station, patrol houses, etc., one thousand three hundred (1,300) dollars; to Item 3-E, for miscellaneous expenses of van service, five thousand (5,000) dollars; to Item 4-E, for meals, medical attendance, etc., five thousand (5,000) dollars; to Item 5-E, for drugs, medicines, etc., three hundred (300) dollars; to Item 6-E, for repairs to badges, batons, belts, etc., one hundred (100) dollars; to Item 7-E, for placing street names upon public lamps, etc., five hundred (500) dollars; to Item 8-E, for postage, incidentals, etc., one thousand eight hundred (1,800) dollars; to Item 10-E, for the detection, arrest and conviction of offenders, etc., three thousand five hundred (3,500) dollars; to Item 12-E, for maintenance, etc., of police boats, one thousand five hundred (1,500) dollars; to Item 14-E, for miscellaneous expenses of patrol wagons, one hundred (100) dollars; to Item 15-E, for horseshoeing, eleven thousand six hundred (11,600) dollars; to Item 16-E, for keep and pasturing of horses, etc., three thousand (3,000) dollars; to Item 17-E, for repairs to harness, etc., two hundred and fifty (250) dollars; to Item 18-E, for repairs to bedding and furniture, etc., five hundred (500) dollars; to Item 20-E, for repairs to bicycles, one hundred (100) dollars; to Item 21-E, for keep of horses, etc., for Fire Marshal, three thousand (3,000) dollars; to Item 22-E, for expenses, etc., for houses quarantined, two hundred (200) dollars; to Item

26-E, for maintenance of automobile police wagons, three thousand (3,000) dollars. (Bureau of Fire): To Item 2-E, for horseshoeing, etc., nine thousand (9,000) dollars; to Item 5-E, for cleaning bunk-rooms, etc., one thousand four hundred and seventy-six (1,476) dollars; to Item 8-E, for alterations and repairs to fire houses, two thousand five hundred (2,500) dollars. (Bureau of City Property): To Item 3-E, for postage, carfare, etc., five hundred (500) dollars; to Item 5-E, for repairs, etc., to Town Hall, Germantown, two hundred and fifty (250) dollars; to Item 8-E, for repairs, etc., to clocks, two hundred and fifty (250) dollars; to Item 10-E, for general repairs, etc., to Independence Hall, five thousand (5,000) dollars; to Item 11-E, for maintenance of recreation piers, five hundred (500) dollars; to Item 12-E, for fees of auctioneers, two hundred and fifty (250) dollars; to Item 16-E, for ground rents and interest, six hundred and sixty-nine (669) dollars and fifty (50) cents; to Item 18-E, for repairs of flags and flagpoles, fifteen hundred (1,500) dollars; to Item 20-E, for repairs to station and patrol houses, five thousand (5,000) dollars; to Item 21-E, for repairs to stoves, etc., two thousand five hundred (2,500) dollars; to Item 22-E, for patent pavements, etc., one thousand (1,000) dollars; to Item 23-E, for gas, etc., three hundred (300) dollars; to Item 25-E, for portraits and other pictures, etc., in Independence Hall, five hundred (500) dollars; to Item 26-E, for maintenance of City Hall, etc., ten thousand (10,000) dollars; to Item 27-E, for maintenance of Philadelphia Brigade Park, etc., eight hundred (800) dollars; to Item 31-E, for repairs to iron work of City Hall, etc., five thousand (5,000) dollars; to Item 73-E, for repairs and furnishing of Seventeenth District Police Station, ten thousand (10,000) dollars; to Item 74-E, for alterations and repairs, etc., to Fire Headquarters, or the construction of a new building for same, seventy-five thousand (75,000) dollars. (Electrical Bureau): To Item 2-E, for repairs, hauling, etc., twenty-five thousand (25,000) dollars; to Item 4-E, for postage, carfare, etc., three thousand (3,000) dollars; to Item 5-E, for painting telegraph poles, etc., five hundred (500) dollars; to Item 6-E, for telephone service, etc., four thousand (4,000) dollars; to Item 7-E,

for hauling, repairs, etc., forty thousand (40,000) dollars; to Item 8-E, for use of current and labor, etc., three thousand (3,000) dollars; to Item 10-E, for laying underground conduits, twenty thousand (20,000) dollars; to Item 11-E, for rental of telephones, etc., one hundred (100) dollars; to Item 13-E, for the improvement and extension of electrical system, etc., two thousand five hundred (2,500) dollars. (Bureau of Correction): To Item 3-E, for transportation of prisoners, car fare, etc., one hundred (100) dollars; to Item 4-E, for drugs, surgical instruments, etc., five hundred (500) dollars; to Item 5-E, for maintaining and extending gas works, etc., one thousand five hundred (1,500) dollars; to Item 7-E, for repairs to buildings and furniture, five hundred (500) dollars; to Item 12-E, for building bake ovens, dough troughs, proof and cooling racks, two thousand seven hundred (2,700) dollars; to Item 13-E (new), for the extension of gas main from the House of Correction plant via State Road to Torredale, fifteen thousand (15,000) dollars. (Bureau of Building Inspection): To Item 2-E, for postage, incidentals, etc., one hundred (100) dollars; to Item 3-E, for horse keep, repairs to automobile, etc., four thousand (4,000) dollars. (Bureau of Boiler Inspection): To Item 2-E, for transportation, keep of horses, etc., two hundred and twenty (220) dollars. (Bureau of Elevator Inspection): To Item 2-E, for postage, transportation, etc., one thousand (1,000) dollars. Total for the Department, two hundred and ninety-eight thousand nine hundred and sixty-five (298,965) dollars and fifty (50) cents.

Department of Public Works (Director's Office): To Item 3-E, for linoleum, rugs furniture, etc., six hundred (600) dollars; advertising, postage, incidentals, etc., one thousand (1,000) dollars; total, one thousand six hundred (1,600) dollars; to Item 4-E, for maintenance and equipment of automobiles and uniforms for chauffeurs and purchase of new automobiles, four thousand five hundred (4,500) dollars. (Bureau of Highways): To Item 5-E, advertising, one thousand (1,000) dollars; to Item 7-E, for incidentals, etc., one thousand five hundred (1,500) dollars; to Item 11-E, for grading, paving, etc., two thou-

sand (2,000) dollars; to Item 15-E, for setting curved curbing, etc., four thousand (4,000) dollars; to Item 17-E, for repaving around fire plugs, etc., five thousand five hundred (5,500) dollars; to Item 19-E, for maintenance of automobiles, five hundred (500) dollars; to Item 20-E, for repairs to sewers, etc., thirty thousand (30,000) dollars; to Item 21-E, for repairs to bridges, fifty thousand (50,000) dollars; to Item 22-E, for labor in repairs to streets not occupied by railway tracks, seventy-five thousand (75,000) dollars; to Item 23-E, for transportation of employees on repairs to bridges, sewers and streets, five hundred (500) dollars; to Item 25-E, for repairs to paved streets, including granite blocks, etc., fifty thousand (50,000) dollars; to Item 26-E, for the purpose of sprinkling and application of bituminous surface treatment to macadam roads, forty-five thousand (45,000) dollars; to Item 27-E, for repairs to asphalt streets, including resurfacing, five hundred thousand (500,000) dollars; to Item 70-E, for sprinkling streets in central portion of City, five thousand (5,000) dollars; to Item 71-E, for construction of trunks and guard rails, five thousand (5,000) dollars; to Item 72-E, for the purchase of a steam roller, three thousand five hundred (3,500) dollars; to Item 73-E, for installing additional telephone and switchboard in main office, six hundred and fifty (650) dollars; to Item 74-E, for grading, three hundred and fifty thousand (350,000) dollars, to be subject to future legislation by Councils; to Item 75-E, for paving intersections, etc., one hundred thousand (100,000) dollars. (Bureau of Surveys): To Item 3-E, for cleaning offices, miscellaneous expenses, etc., one thousand (1,000) dollars; to Item 4-E, for rent, postage, horse keep and miscellaneous expenses in the District Surveyor's Office, five thousand six hundred and forty-eight (5,648) dollars and fifty (50) cents; to Item 6½-E, for purchase and maintenance of automobiles and salary of chauffeur, three thousand (3,000) dollars; to Item 10-E, for engraving and printing maps, three hundred (300) dollars; to Item 12-E, for the maintenance of Pennypack Creek Sewage Disposal Plant, three thousand (3,000) dollars; to Item 39-E, for reconstruction of sewers, seventy-

five thousand (75,000) dollars, out of which amount the sewers in Forty-third street, from Sansom street to Chestnut street; in Chestnut street, from Forty-third to Forty-second street; in Forty-second street, from Chestnut to Market street; in the north side of Market street, from Forty-second street to Thirty-ninth street; and in the south side of Market street, from Forty-second to Fortieth street, shall be reconstructed; to Item 40-E, for new main sewers, three hundred and twenty-five thousand (325,000) dollars, subject to future legislation by Councils; to Item 41-E, for new branch sewers, three hundred and twenty-five thousand (325,000) dollars, subject to future legislation by Councils. (Bureau of Water): To Item 2-E, for wages, etc., one hundred and twenty-five thousand (125,000) dollars; to Item 3-E, for wages, etc., one hundred and twenty-five thousand (125,000) dollars; to Item 4-E, for wages, etc., fifteen thousand (15,000) dollars; to Item 6-E, for repairs to boilers and machinery, three thousand (3,000) dollars; to Item 9-E, for clerk hire, etc., seven hundred and fifty (750) dollars; to Item 11-E, for advertising, etc., five thousand (5,000) dollars; to Item 12-E, for hauling ashes, etc., seven thousand (7,000) dollars; to Item 13-E, for purchase of materials, etc., two thousand five hundred (2,500) dollars; to Item 14-E, for wages, etc., one hundred and twenty-five thousand (125,000) dollars; to Item 15-E, for resanding filters, etc., seven thousand (7,000) dollars; to Item 26-E, for reconstruction of one Queen Lane pump, forty thousand (40,000) dollars; to Item 27-E, for replacing boilers condemned at Queen Lane Pumping Station, forty-five thousand (45,000) dollars; to Item 28-E, for the purchase of working uniforms for the employees at the various pumping stations, to be worn while in the performance of their duties, three thousand (3,000) dollars; to Item 29-E, for the purchase of materials, gate, valves, and making connection to the 36-inch main to isolate the filtered and unfiltered water mains at the Roxborough filters, two thousand five hundred (2,500) dollars; to Item 30-E, for the improvement of West Philadelphia water supply, three hundred thousand (300,000) dollars; to Item 31-E, for hypo-chlorite of lime treatment of plants for filter sta-

tions, twenty-five thousand (25,000) dollars; total for the Department, two million eight hundred and three thousand nine hundred and forty-eight (2,803,948) dollars and fifty (50) cents.

Department of Public Health and Charities (Director's Office): To Item 2-E, for postage, carfare, etc., one thousand five hundred (1,500) dollars. (Bureau of Health): To Item 2-E, for the pay of cooks, nurses, etc., forty thousand (40,000) dollars; to Item 3-E, for postage, etc., one thousand (1,000) dollars; to Item 5-E, for maintenance and repairs of ambulances, etc., six thousand five hundred (6,500) dollars; to Item 6-E, for the abatement of nuisances, two thousand (2,000) dollars; to Item 8-E, for gas, fuel, etc., five hundred (500) dollars; to Item 11-E, for drugs, etc., one thousand one hundred (1,100) dollars; to Item 20-E, for painting Hospital for Contagious Diseases, two thousand (2,000) dollars. (Bureau of Charities): To Item 8-E, for repairs of harness and automobiles, etc., three thousand (3,000) dollars; to Item 9-E, for postage, carfare, and incidentals, one thousand five hundred (1,500) dollars; to Item 10-E, for general repairs to engine and ice plant, etc., three thousand one hundred and fifty (3,150) dollars; to Item 16-E, for equipment and maintenance of X-ray Laboratory, one thousand five hundred (1,500) dollars; to Item 23-E, for wages of attendants, twenty thousand (20,000) dollars; to Item 31-E, for removing ashes, five hundred (500) dollars; to Item 35-E, for sanitary flooring for Hospital, five hundred (500) dollars; to Item 40-E, for maintenance and equipment of automobile, one thousand (1,000) dollars; to Item 56-E, for care of horses, and wagons for disinfection, three thousand two hundred (3,200) dollars; to Item 57-E, for new boilers and repairs to old boilers, one thousand (1,000) dollars; to Item 58-E, for enlargement and equipment of dining-room for the insane at Byberry, three thousand (3,000) dollars; to Item 59-E, for Westinghouse air-pump and appliance tube cleaners, four hundred (400) dollars; total for the Department, ninety-three thousand three hundred and fifty (93,350) dollars.

Department of Wharves, Docks and Ferries: To Item 3-E, for advertising, etc., five hundred (500) dollars; to

Item 6-E, for auctioneers' fees, etc., five hundred (500) dollars; to Item 9-E, for repairs to ice boats, etc., four thousand (4,000) dollars; to Item 13-E, for maintenance of inspection boats "Eunomia" and "Inspector," two thousand (2,000) dollars; total for the Department, seven thousand (7,000) dollars.

Department of Supplies (Director's Office): To Item 1-E, for stationery, etc., two thousand (2,000) dollars; (Mayor): To Item 1-E, for stationery, etc., one thousand (1,000) dollars; to Item 2-E, for printing and binding Mayor's messages, five thousand (5,000) dollars; to Item 4-E, for coal, one thousand (1,000) dollars; for supplies, three thousand (3,000) dollars; total, four thousand (4,000) dollars; to Item 4½-E, for coal, etc., one thousand (1,000) dollars. (Law): To Item 6-E, for stationery, etc., three thousand (3,000) dollars. (Receiver of Taxes): To Item 7-E, for stationery, etc., three thousand five hundred (3,500) dollars. (Health and Charities) (Director's Office): To Item 1-E, for stationery, etc., one thousand (1,000) dollars. (Health): To Item 2-E, for printing, etc., three thousand (3,000) dollars; to Item 5-E, for disinfecting materials, two thousand five hundred (2,500) dollars; to Item 6-E, for groceries, etc., eight thousand (8,000) dollars; to Item 7-E, for clothing, etc., two thousand (2,000) dollars; to Item 8-E, for fuel, eight thousand (8,000) dollars; to Item 9-E, for horses, one thousand (1,000) dollars; to Item 9½-E, for feed, etc., two thousand (2,000) dollars; to Item 10-E, for materials, etc., for laboratory, five hundred (500) dollars. (Charities): To Item 13-E, for stationery, etc., five hundred (500) dollars; to Item 14-E, for flour, etc., two thousand (2,000) dollars; to Item 15-E, for meats, etc., twenty thousand (20,000) dollars; to Item 16-E, for groceries, etc., fifty thousand (50,000) dollars; to Item 17-E, for milk, etc., eighteen thousand (18,000) dollars; to Item 18-E, for dry goods, etc., five thousand (5,000) dollars; to Item 19-E, for furniture, etc., two thousand (2,000) dollars; to Item 20-E, for fuel, thirty thousand (30,000) dollars; to Item 21-E, for oil, etc., one thousand (1,000) dollars; to Item 22-E, for feed, etc., two thousand five hundred

(2,500) dollars; to Item 24-E, for tools, etc., five thousand (5,000) dollars. (Department of Public Safety, Director's Office): To Item 1-E, for stationery, etc., five hundred (500) dollars. (Police): To Item 2-E, for printing, stationery, etc., two thousand five hundred (2,500) dollars; to Item 3-E, for supplies, etc., five hundred (500) dollars; to Item 5-E, for badges, etc., five hundred (500) dollars; to Item 6-E, for fuel, eight thousand (8,000) dollars; to Item 7-E, for miscellaneous supplies, one thousand two hundred (1,200) dollars; to Item 8-E, for general supplies, one thousand (1,000) dollars; to Item 11-E, for straw and feed, twenty-five thousand (25,000) dollars; to Item 12-E, for harness, etc., two thousand (2,000) dollars; to Item 13-E, for bedding, etc., one thousand five hundred (1,500) dollars. (Correction): To Item 16-E, for stationery, etc., five hundred (500) dollars; to Item 17-E, for flour, etc., six thousand seven hundred (6,700) dollars; to Item 18-E, for tobacco, etc., five hundred (500) dollars; to Item 19-E, for clothing, etc., one thousand (1,000) dollars; to Item 21-E, for lumber, etc., five hundred (500) dollars; to Item 23-E, for farming utensils, etc., five hundred (500) dollars; to Item 24-E, for hardware, five hundred (500) dollars; to Item 26-E, for fuel, seven thousand (7,000) dollars; to Item 27-E, for cement, etc., five hundred (500) dollars; to Item 28-E, for furniture, etc., five hundred (500) dollars; to Item 29-E, for leather, etc., one thousand (1,000) dollars. (Fire): To Item 32-E, for straw and feed, fifteen thousand (15,000) dollars; to Item 33-E, for repairs, etc., two thousand (2,000) dollars; to Item 34-E, for supplies, four thousand (4,000) dollars; to Item 35-E, for fuel, ten thousand (10,000) dollars; to Item 37-E, for horses, five thousand eight hundred and fifty (5,850) dollars; to Item 38-E, for harness, etc., five hundred (500) dollars; to Item 41-E, for bedding, etc., five hundred (500) dollars. (Electrical): To Item 43-E, for general supplies, two thousand (2,000) dollars; to Item 45-E, for acids, etc., one thousand (1,000) dollars; to Item 47-E, for instruments, etc., one thousand (1,000) dollars; to Item 52-E, for coal and wood, one hundred and fifty (150) dollars. (City Property): To Item 61-E, for coal, etc., ten thousand (10,000) dollars; to Item 67-E, for toilet

room supplies, etc., five hundred (500) dollars. (Department of Public Works (Director's Office): To Item 1-E, for printing, stationery, etc., one thousand (1,000) dollars. (Highways): To Item 2-E, for printing, etc., one thousand (1,000) dollars; to Item 3-E, for printing, etc., supervisors, one hundred (100) dollars; to Item 4-E, for lumber for sewers and inlets, fifteen thousand (15,000) dollars; to Item 6-E, for lumber, sand, cement, tools and materials, etc., for repairs to streets, twenty thousand (20,000) dollars; to Item 8-E, for oil, coal, etc., one thousand (1,000) dollars. (Bureau of Surveys): To Item 10-E, for stationery, three thousand (3,000) dollars; to Item 11-E, for supplies for District Surveyors, two thousand five hundred (2,500) dollars; to Item 12-E, for plan books, etc., five hundred (500) dollars; to Item 13-E, for coal, etc., five hundred (500) dollars. (Bureau of Water): To Item 14-E, for stationery, two thousand five hundred (2,500) dollars; to Item 15-E, for coal, etc., one hundred and ninety thousand (190,000) dollars; to Item 16-E, for oil, etc., ten thousand (10,000) dollars; to Item 17-E, for iron water pipes, etc., one hundred thousand (100,000) dollars; to Item 18-E, for hardware, etc., fifteen thousand (15,000) dollars; to Item 19-E, for gum goods, seven thousand (7,000) dollars; to Item 20-E, for chandlery, two thousand five hundred (2,500) dollars; to Item 21-E, for wrought iron pipes, etc., two thousand five hundred (2,500) dollars; to Item 22-E, for fire brick, etc., two thousand five hundred (2,500) dollars; to Item 23-E, for brass fittings, etc., two thousand five hundred (2,500) dollars; to Item 24-E, for covering, etc., five hundred (500) dollars; to Item 25-E, for lumber, four thousand five hundred (4,500) dollars; to Item 26-E, for forage, three thousand (3,000) dollars; to Item 27-E, for iron and steel, one thousand (1,000) dollars; to Item 28-E, for cement, etc., two thousand five hundred (2,500) dollars; to Item 29-E, for electrical supplies, one thousand five hundred (1,500) dollars; to Item 30-E, for tapping, etc., five hundred (500) dollars; to Item 31-E, for horses, etc., five hundred (500) dollars; to Item 33-E, for special articles, etc., two thousand (2,000) dollars; to Item 34-E, for lead pipe, etc., two thousand

(2,000) dollars. (Department of Wharves, Docks and Ferries, Director's Office): To Item 1-E, for stationery, etc., one thousand (1,000) dollars. (Dredges): To Item 7-E, for fuel, two thousand (2,000) dollars; to Item 10-E, for chandlery, etc., two thousand (2,000) dollars; total for Department, seven hundred thousand (700,000) dollars.

Commissioners of Fairmount Park: To Item 2-E, for incidentals, etc., five hundred (500) dollars; to Item 3-E, for maintenance, etc., twenty-five thousand (25,000) dollars; to Item 5-E, for care of Horticultural Hall, five thousand (5,000) dollars; to Item 6-E, for care of nurseries, etc., five thousand (5,000) dollars; to Item 8-E, for sprinkling drives, etc., five thousand (5,000) dollars; to Item 11-E, for repairs and improving of Memorial Hall, six thousand five hundred (6,500) dollars; to Item 12-E, for improving and macadamizing drives, etc., two thousand five hundred (2,500) dollars; to Item 13-E, for repairs to buildings, erecting shelters, etc., three thousand (3,000) dollars; to Item 16-E, for extension and improvement of water supply, one thousand (1,000) dollars; to Item 18-E, for the purchase of manure, cutting grass, etc., four thousand (4,000) dollars; to Item 20-E, for the preservation of forest trees, four thousand five hundred (4,500) dollars; to Item 21-E, for the care and maintenance of Burholme Park, four thousand (4,000) dollars; to Item 25-E, for the planting and care of trees of highways (required by Act of Assembly), ten thousand (10,000) dollars; to Item 30-E, for dredging the Schuylkill river, forty thousand (40,000) dollars; to Item 31-E, to further construct the river wall, twenty thousand (20,000) dollars; total for the Department, one hundred and thirty-six thousand (136,000) dollars.

City Commissioners: To Item 2-E, for pay of jurors, sixty-four thousand (64,000) dollars; to Item 4-E, for witness fees, two thousand (2,000) dollars; to Item 12-E, to pay managers towards the House of Refuge, thirty-two thousand (32,000) dollars; to Item 16-E, to pay assessor, etc., forty-seven thousand and twenty-five (47,025) dollars; to Item 17-E, to pay for burial of indigent soldiers, two

thousand five hundred (2,500) dollars; to Item 18-E, to pay for printing of assessors' lists, eight thousand five hundred (8,500) dollars; to Item 19-E, for rent of room, etc., two hundred and fifty (250) dollars; to Item 24-E, for extra help, three thousand (3,000) dollars; to Item 26-E, to pay Pennsylvania Society and Women's Pennsylvania Society, two thousand five hundred (2,500) dollars; to Item 27-E, to pay State Hospital for the Insane at Danville, two hundred (200) dollars; to Item 33-E, for maintenance of House of Detention, so as to provide for Psychiatrist and Director of Physical and Mental Examination, at the rate of six hundred (600) dollars per annum, medical examiners for boys at the rate of six hundred (600) dollars per annum, medical examiners for girls at the rate of three hundred (300) dollars per annum and mental examiner and expert in child study at the rate of nine hundred and twenty (920) dollars per annum; total, two thousand four hundred and twenty (2,420) dollars; and for maintenance, five hundred and eighty (580) dollars; total, three thousand (3,000) dollars; to Item 37-E, for clerk hire, etc., so that the salary of the Recorder shall be at the rate of two thousand two hundred and fifty (2,250) dollars per annum, salary of one clerk shall be at the rate of one thousand five hundred (1,500) dollars per annum, salary of a second clerk shall be at the rate of one thousand two hundred (1,200) dollars per annum, so that the salary of attorney shall be at the rate of one thousand (1,000) dollars per annum, and for extra clerk hire, two hundred and ninety-five (295) dollars; total, one thousand two hundred and sixty-one (1,261) dollars; to Item 38-E, for printing, etc., fifteen thousand (15,000) dollars; to Item 39-E, to pay for the maintenance, etc., three thousand (3,000) dollars; to Item 38-E, for filing cases, etc., one thousand five hundred (1,500) dollars; total for Department, one hundred and eighty-five thousand seven hundred and thirty-six (185,736) dollars.

Provided, That all automobiles, the purchase or maintenance of which is provided for in this ordinance, shall have plainly lettered on the doors or sides, the name of the Department and Bureau to which they belong.

APPENDIX No. 166.

Philadelphia, May 9, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to permit the Trustees of the Jefferson Medical College to construct iron or steel and concrete bridges over and across Moravian street, west of Tenth street,” respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch'n*), John W. Whitaker, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., Wm. J. Harrington, Chas. A. Gillingham, W. A. Miller, Clarence S. Eldredge, John J. McKinley, Jr., Henry R. Shoch, Wm. E. Finley, J. E. Lemmon, Wm. H. Cross, H. J. Trainer, Chas. Seger.

AN ORDINANCE

To permit the Trustees of The Jefferson Medical College of Philadelphia to construct iron or steel and concrete bridges over and across Moravian street, west of Tenth street.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That permission be, and is hereby granted to the Trustees of The Jefferson Medical College of Philadelphia to construct two iron or steel and concrete bridges over and across Moravian street, at points west of Tenth street, for the purpose of connecting the hospital building of the said College with the second floor of the College building. The said bridges shall not exceed twenty-five feet in the clear width, respectively, and shall have a clearance of at least fourteen feet above the curb height, and shall be constructed under the supervision of the Department of Public Works, in accordance with plans to be approved by said Department. Before

exercising any privilege under this ordinance the said Trustees of The Jefferson Medical College of Philadelphia shall first enter into an agreement, satisfactory to the City Solicitor, protecting the City from all damages by reason of the construction and maintenance of said bridges, and shall pay into the City Treasury the sum of fifty (50) dollars for the publication of this ordinance. The privilege hereby granted shall be revocable at any time, and the bridges shall be removed upon the passage of an ordinance to that effect.

APPENDIX No. 167.

Philadelphia, May 9, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bill to open the Parkway, from Twentieth to Twenty-third street, respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch'n*), John W. Whitaker, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., Wm. J. Harrington, Chas. A. Gillingham, W. A. Miller, Clarence S. Eldredge, John J. McKinley, Jr., Henry R. Shoch, Wm. E. Finley, J. E. Lennon, Wm. H. Cross, H. J. Trainer, Chas. Seger.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the opening of the Parkway, from Twentieth to Twenty-third street.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works be authorized and directed to notify the owners of property over and through which the Parkway, from Twentieth to Twenty-third street, will pass, that

at the expiration of three months from the date of said notice said street will be required for public use.

SECT. 2. The Mayor of the City is hereby authorized and directed to enter security, on behalf of the City of Philadelphia, for the payment of any damages which may be assessed by reason of the opening of said street; upon the filing of said bond, and at the expiration of the said three months the Director of the Department of Public Safety shall forthwith proceed to open said street.

APPENDIX No. 168.

Philadelphia, May 9, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bills directing the Department of Public Works to require owners of property abutting on both sides of Crefeld street, from Springfield avenue to Willow Grove avenue; on the northwest side of Parkside avenue, from Bryn Mawr avenue to Monument road; on the east side of Fifty-second street, from Overbrook avenue to Woodbine avenue; and on both sides of Fifty-third street, from Wynnefield avenue to a point north of Woodbine avenue, to connect with the footways already laid, to set curbs and lay footway pavements, respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch'n*), John W. Whitaker, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., Wm. J. Harrington, Chas. A. Gillingham, W. A. Miller, Clarence S. Eldredge, John J. McKinley, Jr., Henry R. Shoeh, Wm. E. Finley, J. E. Lennon, Wm. H. Cross, H. J. Trainer, Chas. Seger.

AN ORDINANCE

Directing the Department of Public Works to require owners of property abutting on both side of Crefeld street, from Springfield avenue to Willow Grove avenue; on the northwest side of Parkside avenue, from Bryn Mawr avenue to Monument road; on the east side of Fifty-second street, from Overbrook avenue to Woodbine avenue; and on both sides of Fifty-third street, from Wynnefield avenue to a point north of Woodbine avenue, to connect with the footways already laid, to set curbs and lay footway pavements.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain.* That the Department of Public Works be, and is hereby directed to require owners of property abutting on both sides of Crefeld street, from Springfield avenue to Willow Grove avenue; on the northwest side of Parkside avenue, from Bryn Mawr avenue to Monument road; on the east side of Fifty-second street, from Overbrook avenue to Woodbine avenue; and on both sides of Fifty-third street, from Wynnefield avenue to a point north of Woodbine avenue, to connect with the footways already laid, to set curbs and lay footway pavements; and if the said owners of property shall fail to lay such footways and set said curbs, as required, after twenty days' previous notice, in writing, from the Department of Public Works to do the said work, the said Department is hereby directed to cause said work to be done, the cost thereof to be assessed upon the property of such owner so in default.

APPENDIX No. 169.

Philadelphia, May 9, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Surveys, to whom was referred the bills to authorize the construction

of sewers in Almond, Anderson, Apsley, Berks, Brandywine, Bristol, Cantrell, Chestnut, Cherry, Crowson, Daly, Drinker, Durfor, Earp, Edgewood, Fairhill, Felton, Filbert, Fitzgerald, Fox, Front, Forty-eighth, Fiftieth, Fifty-fourth, Fifty-sixth, Fifty-ninth, Garnet, Gerritt, Gillingham, Greene, Hancock, Harmony, Hicks, Hirst, Holly, Kennedy, Locust, Ludlow, Ludwig, Marshall, Montrose, Mower, Ninth, Pechin, Pennsdale, Pierce, Pratt, Redfield, Reese, Ringgold, Ritner, Robinson, Rockland, Ruscomb, Sansom, Second, Sixty-second, Sixty-fourth, Spencer, Springer, Sydenham, Twelfth, Twenty-sixth, Thirty-second, Thirty-sixth, Tree, Walnut, Watkins and Westmoreland streets, Columbia, Duncannon, Greenway, Lansdowne, Leverington, Lindley, Osage, Passyunk, Ridge, Rising Sun, Somerville, Southampton, Torresdale, Warrington, Washington, Wayne and Wynnefield avenues, Mermaid lane and Walnut lane, respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Chas. A. Gillingham (*Ch'n*), Stacy H. White, Albert De Prefontaine, Wm. J. Harrington, George H. Kelley, Daniel Cahill, Henry R. Shoch, Wm. E. Finley, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., Edward B. Howard, J. E. Lennon, James H. McGurk, John P. Connelly, Geo. W. Spielberg.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the construction of sewers in Almond, Anderson, Apsley, Berks, Brandywine, Bristol, Cantrell, Chestnut, Cherry, Crowson, Daly, Drinker, Durfor, Earp, Edgewood, Fairhill, Felton, Filbert, Fitzgerald, Fox, Front, Forty-eighth, Fiftieth, Fifty-fourth, Fifty-sixth, Fifty-ninth, Garnet, Gerritt, Gillingham, Greene, Hancock, Harmony, Hicks, Hirst, Holly, Kennedy, Locust, Ludlow, Ludwig, Marshall, Montrose, Mower, Ninth, Pechin, Pennsdale, Pierce, Pratt, Redfield, Reese, Ringgold, Ritner, Robinson, Rockland, Ruscomb, Sansom, Second, Sixty-second, Sixty-fourth, Spencer, Springer, Sydenham, Twelfth, Twenty-sixth, Thirty-second, Thir-

ty-sixth, Tree, Walnut, Watkins and Westmoreland streets, Columbia, Duncannon, Greenway, Lansdowne, Leverington, Lindley, Osage, Passyunk, Ridge, Rising Sun, Somerville, Southampton, Torresdale, Warrington, Washington, Wayne and Wynnefield avenues, Mermaid lane and Walnut lane.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works be authorized to enter into contracts for the construction of sewers in Almond street, from Orthodox street to Holy Redeemer Cemetery; Anderson street, from Mount Pleasant avenue to a point about two hundred and ninety-five feet northwest; Apsley street (reconstruct), from Greene street to a point about one hundred and seventy feet southwest; Berks street, from Fifty-fourth to Fifty-seventh street; Brandywine street, from Thirty-second to Thirty-third street; Bristol street, from Third to Fifth street; Cantrell street, from Ninth to Twelfth street; Chestnut street, from Sixty-second to Sixty-third street; Cherry street, from Twenty-second to Twenty-third street, and from Thirty-second to Thirty-third street; Crowson street, from Philellena to Hortter street; Daly street, from Second to Fifth street, from Seventh to Eighth street, and from Ninth to Eleventh street; Drinker street, from Wayne avenue to Lincoln drive; Durfor street, from Front to Second street; Earp street, from Eighth to Ninth street; Edgewood street, from Haddington to Jefferson street; Fairhill street, from Wolf to Tree street; Felton street, from Jefferson to Haddington street, and from Spruce to Locust street; Filbert street, from Thirty-ninth to State street; Fitzgerald street, from Front to Second street; Fox street, from Allegheny avenue to the Philadelphia, Germantown and Norristown Railroad; Front street, from Wolf to Porter street, and from Fairmount avenue to Poplar street; Forty-eighth street, from Walnut street to Larchwood avenue; Fiftieth street, from Spruce to Locust street; Fifty-fourth street, from Larchwood avenue to Cedar avenue; Fifty-fourth street, west side, from Susquehanna avenue to Berks street, west side only to be assessed; Fifty-sixth street, from Woodland

avenue to Chester avenue; Fifty-ninth street, from Jefferson to Haddington street; Garnet street, from Indiana avenue to a point about three hundred and eighty-five feet south; Gerritt street, from Third to Orianna street; Gillingham street, from Penn to Franklin street; Greene street, from Hortter street to Lincoln avenue; Hancock street, from Snyder avenue to Jackson street, and from Mountain to Fernon street; Harmony street, from Fairmount avenue to Aspen street; Hicks street, from Reed to Dickinson street; Hirst street, from Spruce to Locust street; Holly street, from Powelton avenue to Baring street; Kennedy street, from Tacony to James street; Locust street, from Forty-seventh to Forty-eighth street; Ludlow street, from Forty-sixth to Markoe street; Ludwig street, from Haverford to Wallace street; Marshall street, from Dickinson to Tasker street; Montrose street, from Fifteenth to Sixteenth street; Mower street, from Gorgas to Carpenter street; Ninth street, from Wingohocking street to the Boulevard; Pechin street, from Markle to Seville street, and from Leverington avenue to Dupont street; Pennsdale street, from Mitchell street to Ridge avenue; Pierce street, from Fourth to Fifth street; Pratt street, from James to Eadom street; Redfield street, from Jefferson to Haddington street; Reese street, from Wolf to Tree street; Ringgold street, from Wharton to Reed street; Ritner street, from Front to Second street; Robinson street, from Haddington to Jefferson street; Rockland street, from Fifteenth street to Windrim avenue; Ruscomb street, from Eleventh to Twelfth street; Sansom street, from Fifty-ninth to Sixtieth street, and from Sixty-second street to Cobbs Creek Parkway; Second street, from Ritner to Shunk street; Sixty-second street, from Cedar avenue to Catharine street; Sixty-fourth street, from Elmwood avenue to Theodore street; Spencer street, from Beechwood to Norwood street; Springer street, from Wayne avenue to Lincoln drive; Sydenham street, from Rockland to Loudon street; Twelfth street (reconstruct), from Market to Arch street, from Courtland to Loudon street, and from Lindley avenue to Windrim avenue; Twenty-sixth street, from Master to Stewart street; Thirty-second street, from Spring Garden to Brandywine

street; Thirty-sixth street, from Mantua avenue to Aspen street; Tree street, from Second to Sixth street, from Moyamensing avenue to Eighth street, and from Ninth street to a point about one hundred and fifty feet east of Thirteenth street; Walnut street, from Sixty-second street to Cobbs Creek Parkway; Watkins street, from Ninth to Tenth street; Westmoreland street, from Twenty-second to Twenty-third street; Columbia avenue, from Twelfth to Thirteenth street; Duncannon avenue, from Eleventh street to Windrim avenue; Greenway avenue, from Conestoga to Fifty-sixth street; Lansdowne avenue, from Gross to Sixty-sixth street; Leverington avenue, from Fleming to Mitchell street; Lindley avenue, from Windrim avenue to Warnock street; Osage avenue, from Fifty-eighth to Fifty-ninth street; Passyunk avenue, from Twenty-second to Twenty-third street; Ridge avenue, from Roxborough avenue to Jamestown avenue; Rising Sun avenue, from Wyoming avenue to the Boulevard; Somerville avenue, from Broad to Fifteenth street; Southampton avenue, from Germantown avenue to a point about four hundred feet southwest; Torresdale avenue, from Wakeling to Margaret street, and from Bridge to Kennedy street; Warrington avenue, from Fifty-seventh to Fifty-ninth street; Washington avenue, north side, from Front to Third street, north side only to be assessed; Washington avenue, south side, from Second street to Moyamensing avenue, south side only to be assessed; Washington avenue, south side, from Fifth to Randolph street, south side only to be assessed; Washington avenue, both sides, from Ninth to Tenth street, both sides to be assessed; Washington avenue, north side, from Passyunk avenue to Leithgow street, north side only to be assessed; Wayne avenue, from Horter to Arbutus street; Wynnefield avenue, south side, from Fifty-fourth to Fifty-sixth street, south side only to be assessed; Mermaid lane, from Germantown avenue to the east side of Cresheim Valley drive; Walnut lane, from Wissahickon intercepting sewer to Houghton street.

SECT. 2. That the Director of the Department of Public Works shall advertise, according to law, announcing that bids will be received for the sewers above designated,

and he shall allot them to the lowest responsible bidders, and it shall be a condition of the said contract that the contractors shall accept the sums assessed upon and charged to properties lying upon the lines of said sewers in manner and form authorized by existing ordinances, and any excess over and above the said assessment, in addition to that provided for by ordinance, shall be charged to the item for branch sewers in the appropriation to the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Surveys): *Provided*, That in all cases where the property on the lines of the sewers herein authorized is assessed at suburban rates the owners of such property shall first file an agreement to pay the regular frontage charges.

SECT. 3. That the Director of the Department of Public Works is authorized to pay for inspections, borings and expenses incidental to the work of constructing branch sewers, from the item for the construction of branch sewers.

APPENDIX No. 170.

Philadelphia, May 9, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Surveys, to whom was referred the resolution of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit C. S. Wurts to lay a temporary terra cotta drain in Clarkson street, west of Twenty-first street, respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed resolution with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Chas. A. Gillingham (*Ch'n*), Stacy H. White, Albert De Prefontaine, Wm. J. Harrington, George H. Kelley, Daniel Cahill, Henry R. Shoch, Wm. E. Finley, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., Edward B. Howard, J. E. Lennon, James H. McGurk, John P. Connelly, Geo. W. Spielberger.

RESOLUTION

Of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit C. S. Wurts to lay a temporary terra cotta drain in Clarkson street, west of Twenty-first street.

Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the Director of the Department of Public Works be requested to permit C. S. Wurts to lay a temporary terra cotta drain in Clarkson street, from a point eighty-five feet west of Twenty-first street for a distance of one hundred feet westward to existing sewer. The said drain to be laid under the supervision and to the satisfaction of the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Surveys) without expense to the City of Philadelphia, and shall not release the owners of property from paying the regular frontage charges whenever a sewer shall be laid in said street.

APPENDIX No. 171.

Philadelphia, May 9, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Surveys, to whom was referred the resolution of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit Henry Stapf to lay a temporary terra cotta drain in Loudon street, respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed resolution with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Chas. A. Gillingham (*Ch'n*), Stacy H. White, Albert De Prefontaine, Wm. J. Harrington, George H. Kelley, Daniel Cahill, Henry R. Shoch, Wm. E. Finley, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., Edward B. Howard, J. E. Lennon, James H. McGurk, John P. Connelly, Geo. W. Spielberger.

RESOLUTION

Of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit Henry Stapf to lay a temporary terra cotta drain in London street.

Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the Director of the Department of Public Works be requested to permit Henry Stapf to lay a temporary terra cotta drain in Loudon street, beginning from the present sewer in Mascher street to a point about one hundred and forty feet west on London street. The said drain to be laid under the supervision and to the satisfaction of the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Surveys) without expense to the City of Philadelphia, and shall not release the owners of property from paying the regular frontage charges whenever a sewer shall be laid in said street.

APPENDIX No. 172.

RESOLUTION

Appointing a Joint Special Committee of Councils to investigate the changes of standard height in the requirements for applicants for patrolman in the Department of Public Safety.

Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That a Joint Special Committee of five Members of each Chamber be appoined to investigate the changes in the standard of height required in applicants for the position of patrolman in the Department of Public Safety, to ascertain if the change incurs any hardship in the case of the men recently declared illegally appointed, reporting to these Councils on the third Thursday of May, 1912.

APPENDIX No. 173.

RESOLUTION

Of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit the Abrasive Material Co. to lay a temporary terra cotta drain in James street, from sewer in Kennedy street to northeast side of Fraley street.

Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the Director of the Department of Public Works be requested to permit the Abrasive Material Company to lay a temporary terra cotta drain in James street, beginning from the present sewer in Kennedy street to a point about 700 feet east of James street to the northeast side of Fraley street. The said drain to be laid under the supervision and to the satisfaction of the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Surveys) without expense to the City of Philadelphia, and shall not release the owners of property from paying the regular frontage charges whenever a sewer shall be laid in said street.

APPENDIX No. 174.

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR.

Philadelphia, May 16, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—I herewith enclose copy of a letter from Dr. Joseph S. Neff, Director of the Department of Public Health and Charities, also one from Mr. John B. Townsend, of the Philadelphia Modified Milk Society.

I would urge your Honorable Bodies to make the appropriation of five thousand (5,000) dollars that they recommend. It is stated on good authority that one baby out of seven dies in Philadelphia for the want of proper food, especially with reference to milk. To save their innocent lives should appeal to all of us.

By giving the enclosed ordinance your approval you will oblige,

Yours respectfully,

RUDOLPH BLANKENBURG,

Mayor.

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DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH AND CHARITIES.

Philadelphia, May 14, 1912.

HON. RUDOLPH BLANKENBURG,

Mayor of the City of Philadelphia.

DEAR SIR:—I enclose a copy of a letter from John B. Townsend, of the Philadelphia Modified Milk Society, to me, under date of May 13th, asking an appropriation of \$5,000 to place the City property at 1725 Wood street in condition for the proper modification of milk for the use of the above-mentioned Society.

I can corroborate the statements of Mr. Townsend in so far as they pertain to the immense advantage to the

babies, and particularly to the sick babies of Philadelphia. It is absolutely necessary, for the prevention of a great deal of unnecessary mortality in babies, that they should be supplied with a proper modified milk at very small cost. I believe New York City maintains seventy-one such stations.

The City, prior to this year, gave the Society the use of the building at 713 Filbert street, which was sold by the City to Lit Brothers last summer. An effort was made, about that time, to secure an appropriation to fit up the property at 1725 Wood street, but failed of passage. The estimate of cost at that time was in the neighborhood of \$9,000. That provided, however, for the purchase of considerable new machinery, which would make the entire plant up-to-date. I am informed by the representative of the Philadelphia Modified Milk Society that they believe, with a disbursement of \$5,000 by the City, that they could finance the balance, if necessary, to maintain this charity, otherwise it will, in all probability, go out of existence, much to the injury of the many people whom they have been reaching in the past years. I therefore would heartily recommend the appropriation asked for.

Very respectfully,

(Signed) J. S. NEFF,

Director.

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THE PRESS.

Philadelphia, May 13, 1912.

DR. JOSEPH S. NEFF,

Director, Department of Public Health and Charities.

MY DEAR MR. NEFF:—On behalf of the Philadelphia Modified Milk Society, I would earnestly urge the recommendation from you to the Councils of Philadelphia, through President McCurdy of the Lower Chamber, for an appropriation of five thousand dollars to the Department of Health for the improvement of the City prop-

erty at 1725 Wood street in the campaign for the saving of the lives of babies under five years of age.

In urging this recommendation, I want to call your attention to the fact that the Philadelphia Modified Milk Society has been carrying on one of the most worthy and successful charities in the City of Philadelphia. For several years, since July, 1903, it has distributed among the poorer babies of the City from one million to a million and a quarter bottles of milk annually. For some years this Society made its headquarters in the building at 713 Filbert street. This property was owned by the City and was loaned to the Society in which to carry on the work. Improvements in this building were necessary to equip it for the uses of the Society, and upwards of seven thousand dollars was spent by the Society to make the repairs necessary to carry on its work. Some time ago the City sold this property to Lit Brothers, and since then the Society has been compelled to make temporary arrangements with a large milk dealer in West Philadelphia, where the work has been carried on under very adverse conditions.

In view of the fact that this charity is one of the best and most worthy of all the City's charities; that it is under the direct supervision of the Bureau of Health; that its patrons include the heads of the various clerical denominations in the City, aside from some well known physicians, I am sure you will agree with me that no worthier cause could receive support.

I am sure, with your co-operation, and with your endorsement of this appropriation of five thousand dollars, we will receive the hearty co-operation of President McCurdy and the Members of the Finance Committee, and with this money I think that I can safely say that the Wood street property can be put in condition to enable the City to carry on this work in the interest of the lives of the babies of the City most successfully.

Thanking you for your co-operation and interest in this matter, I am,

Very truly yours,

(Signed) JOHN B. TOWNSEND.

AN ORDINANCE

To make an additional appropriation to the Department of Public Health and Charities, for the year 1912.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the sum of five thousand (5,000) dollars be, and the same is hereby appropriated to the Department of Public Health and Charities (Bureau of Health), to Item (new), for the purpose of placing the City property at 1725 Wood street in condition for the proper modification of milk, for the use of the Philadelphia Modified Milk Society.

APPENDIX No. 175.

Philadelphia, May 16, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Surveys, to which was referred, on May 16, 1912, the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the revision of the lines and grades and the relocation of Delaware avenue, from Christian street to Pattison avenue, and the revision of the lines and grades of streets intersecting the same or adjacent thereto," respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return it to Councils with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Chas. A. Gillingham (*Ch'n*), H. J. Trainer, F. J. Cummiskey, Wm. D. Bacon, Geo. W. Spielberger, Henry J. Klos, George D'Autrechy, Albert De Profontaine, Wm. J. Harrington, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., George H. Kelley, James H. McGurk, Edward B. Howard, Henry R. Shoch, John P. Connelly, Stacy H. White.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the revision of the lines and grades and the relocation of Delaware avenue, from Christian street to Pattison avenue, and the revision of the lines and grades of streets intersecting the same or adjacent thereto.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works (Board of Surveyors) be authorized to revise the lines and grades of Delaware avenue and relocate the same, as follows: Beginning at Christian street, with a width of not less than one hundred and fifty (150) feet; thence extending southward and along the line of Vandalia (formerly Meadow) street, widening the same upon the west side to the width of one hundred and fifty (150) feet, and curving eastwardly into Commercial avenue; thence extending along the same, widening it to the width of two hundred (200) feet and curving southward into Delaware avenue, at or near Porter street; thence extending southward along Delaware avenue, widening the same to the width of two hundred and fifty (250) feet to Pattison avenue; also to make such revision of the lines and grades of streets intersected by or adjacent to the said avenue or lying between it and the pierhead line of the Delaware river as may be necessary to complete the plan in accordance with the intent of this ordinance, and to strike from the City plan and vacate such streets now upon the plan within the area revised as may not be deemed necessary for proper development. The said avenue as above described shall be named Delaware avenue.

All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith be, and the same are hereby repealed.

APPENDIX No. 176.

RESOLUTION,

Of request to the Mayor to return Common Council bill (Appendix No. 132) entitled "An Ordinance designating the West Philadelphia Bank as a depository of the City's money."

Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the Mayor be, and is hereby requested to return to Common Council, Common Council bill (Appendix No. 132) entitled "An Ordinance designating the West Philadelphia Bank as a depository of the City's money."

APPENDIX No. 177.

RESOLUTION

Of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit George Woodward to lay a temporary terra cotta drain in Willow Grove avenue, from sewer in Crefeld street northeastwardly two hundred and forty feet.

Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the Director of the Department of Public Works be requested to permit George Woodward to lay a temporary terra cotta drain in Willow Grove avenue, beginning from the present sewer in Crefeld street to a point about two hundred and forty feet northeast of said Crefeld street. The said drain to be laid under the supervision and to the satisfaction of the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Surveys) without expense to the City of Philadelphia, and shall not release the owners of property from paying the regular frontage charges whenever a sewer shall be laid in said street.

APPENDIX No. 178.

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR.

Philadelphia, May 16, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—Complying with your resolution of even date, requesting the return of Common Council bill (Appendix No. 132) entitled “An Ordinance designating the West Philadelphia Bank as a depository of the City’s money,” I am returning the same to you herewith.

Respectfully yours,

RUDOLPH BLANKENBURG,

Mayor.

APPENDIX No. 179.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

Philadelphia, May 22, 1912.

WM. H. FELTON, ESQ.,

Chief Clerk of Common Council.

DEAR SIR:—I beg leave to submit the following report from the Chief of the Bureau of Surveys upon the resolution of Councils of March 7, 1912.

Reporting upon the resolution relative to the removal of grade crossings along the Norristown Branch of the Philadelphia and Reading Railway, and supplementary to my report upon the same matter under date of March 4, 1912, I beg leave to state that the Railway Company, on February 29, 1912, filed in this Bureau a set of plans showing a suggested scheme for the abolishment of all grade crossings upon that line between Broad street and Leverington avenue, Manayunk. The Company estimates that the cost of the work, covering changes to streets and railroad, under its plan, will be as follows:

Broad street to Hunting Park avenue.....	\$1,484,000
At Indian Queen lane.....	136,946
Ridge avenue at Wissahickon Station.....	147,850
Shurs lane to North Manayunk.....	1,091,000

Our own estimate for street work within the same limits, under the same plan, is as follows:

Broad street to Hunting Park avenue.....	\$165,401
Indian Queen lane.....	86,221
Ridge avenue at Wissahickon Station.....	109,818
Shurs lane to North Manayunk.....	63,250

We have made no estimate of the railroad work.

The plan submitted by the Railway Company is entirely feasible, and is probably the least expensive one that could be adopted, but there are several points upon which we are not fully agreed. One is the crossing at Nineteenth street, which, although the street is not now open, must be adjusted so that its future opening will be assured.

Five separate plans and estimates have been made for Ridge avenue and Wissahickon station, ranging in cost from \$100,000 to \$245,000, the one costing least being best for the City, but is objected to by the Railway Company.

From Shurs lane to North Manayunk the Company propose to elevate in its present location sufficiently to pass above all streets without any change of grade in the latter, but this plan involves the abandonment of Rector street, which is now a bridge crossing over the railroad. I understand that this plan is very much opposed by the people of Manayunk, and we are now making an estimate for elevating in a new location, which will, no doubt, cost considerable more, as it will involve land damages not occasioned by the plan of the Railroad Company.

The estimate given above does not include the abolishment of the grade crossing at School House lane. A revision of lines and grades for the removal of this crossing was confirmed January 7, 1907. Our estimate of the cost is \$160,000.

This work can be divided into five sections and each carried on independently of the others. Under the City's policy in the past, we would contribute one-half the cost, less such sums as might be agreed upon as betterments to the railroad and paid entirely by the Company.

Yours truly,

M. L. COOKE,

Director.

APPENDIX No. 180.

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR.

Philadelphia, May 23, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The accompanying copy of a letter from Captain John M. Walton, City Controller, calls attention

to the necessity of providing greater security for the City's deposits in banks and trust companies.

I entirely approve of the position taken by the Controller and the City Treasurer. We ought to have security for the City's deposits, and the ordinance accompanying this letter, it appears to me, will cover the ground.

I bespeak for this ordinance your careful and favorable consideration.

Respectfully yours,

RUDOLPH BLANKENBURG,

Mayor.

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DEPARTMENT OF CITY CONTROLLER.

Philadelphia, May 21, 1912.

HON. RUDOLPH BLANKENBURG,

Mayor of the City of Philadelphia.

DEAR SIR:—I enclose herewith an amendment to Section 1 of the ordinance of Councils approved the ninth day of April, A. D. 1892, entitled "An Ordinance to regulate the deposit of City moneys by the City Treasurer and the payment of interest thereon," which, in view of the security required in other States and cities from banks and trust companies receiving deposits of State and municipal funds, and the recent experience of the City with the American, Tradesmen's and other trust companies, renders it essential that the conditions contained in the amended section requiring depositories to be members of the Philadelphia Clearing House Association or furnish bonded security receives at an early date the approval of Councils.

Yours very truly,

(Signed) JOHN M. WALTON.

City Controller.

AN ORDINANCE

To amend an ordinance approved the ninth day of April, A. D. 1892, entitled "An Ordinance to regulate the deposit of City moneys by the City Treasurer and the payment of interest thereon," by striking out Section 1 and inserting the following:

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That it shall be the duty of the City Treasurer to deposit daily all moneys of the City entrusted to his care as City Treasurer, not required for the transaction of the daily business of his office, and not belonging to the Sinking Fund, in such banks or other institutions as are now or shall hereafter be designated as depositories of the City's money, so long as the same shall remain solvent and in good credit and standing, in such amounts as shall be in pro-rata proportion to the total sum of the capital stock and surplus of such depositories, respectively, who are members of the Philadelphia Clearing House Association, or who have furnished a good and sufficient bond containing a warrant of attorney to confess judgment in favor of the City in the amount of twenty-five (25) per cent. of the capital stock and surplus of said bank or trust company, said sureties to be approved by the Mayor of the City, the City Treasurer and the City Controller: *Provided*, There shall not be on deposit in any depository at any time an amount greater than twenty-five (25) per cent. of the capital and surplus thereof: *And provided further*, That such depositories shall agree to pay interest on the average balances deposited therein at the rate of two (2) per cent. per annum, which interest shall commence July 1, 1912, and shall be computed and paid into the City Treasury on December 31st and June 30th of each year, and the amount thereof recorded in the books provided for the entry of all moneys received at the City Treasury, and said entry shall be duly attested by the person making payment of said interest, and said depositories shall notify the City Controller of the amount of interest so paid. In case any of said depositories shall refuse to pay interest as aforesaid, the de-

posit therein shall be withdrawn and distributed among the several depositories which shall have complied with the terms of this ordinance, and it shall be the duty of the City Treasurer thereupon to notify the City Controller and Councils thereof.

APPENDIX No. 181.

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR.

Philadelphia, May 23, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The enclosed copy of a letter from George D. Porter, Director of the Department of Public Safety, suggesting the creation of a number of positions in the Bureau of Fire, explains itself. Good business administration seems to require the creation of the positions he recommends, and I would therefore request your favorable consideration for the ordinance enclosed herewith.

Respectfully yours,

RUDOLPH BLANKENBURG,

Mayor.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY.

Office of the Director.

Philadelphia, May 17, 1912.

HON. RUDOLPH BLANKENBURG,

Mayor of the City of Philadelphia.

SIR:—In order that High Pressure Pumping Station No. 2 may be properly organized and placed in commission at the very earliest possible moment, I respectfully recom-

mend the creation of the following named positions in the Bureau of Fire:

Superintendent of Line Repair.....	\$1,500	per annum
Two Foremen Repair Gang, each.....	1,200	“ “
Two Chauffeurs, each.....	900	“ “
Three Line-walkers, each.....	1,000	“ “
Three Line-walkers, each.....	720	“ “

I would further recommend that the position of Chief Engineer for the two high pressure pumping stations be created, at an annual salary of \$1,600 per annum. At the present time one of the regular engineers in each station is acting as Chief Engineer.

The foregoing is in accordance with the recommendation made to me by the Department of Public Works.

Respectfully,

(Signed) GEORGE D. PORTER,

Director.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the Director of the Department of Public Safety to appoint certain additional employees in the Bureau of Fire, and to make an appropriation therefor.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Director of the Department of Public Safety be, and is hereby authorized to appoint the following additional employees in the Department of Public Safety (Bureau of Fire). the appointments to date from July 1, 1912, to wit: Chief Engineer, at a salary of \$1,600 per annum; Superintendent of Line Repair, \$1,500 per annum; two Foremen Repair Gang, each \$1,200 per annum; two chauffeurs, each \$900 per annum; three line walkers, each \$1,000 per annum; three line walkers, each \$720 per annum.

SECT.2. That the sum of six thousand two hundred and thirty (6,230) dollars be, and the same is hereby appro-

priated to Item 1, for salary, in the annual appropriation to the Department of Public Safety (Bureau of Fire), for the year 1912, to carry into effect Section 1 of this ordinance.

APPENDIX No. 182.

Philadelphia, May 23, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred a bill entitled “An Ordinance amending an ordinance approved the twenty-ninth day of December, 1911, entitled ‘An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of Public Safety, for the year 1912,’” together with sundry communications in relation thereto, respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

John P. Connelly (*Ch’n*), G. W. Kucker, George D’Autrechy, Thomas J. Morton, John F. Flaherty, John H. Hahn, G. P. Darrow, John H. Baizley, Louis Hutt, H. J. Trainer, William J. McCloskey, W. E. Bonnick, Edw. W. Patton, Chas. Seger, Watson D. Upperman, Wm. E. Finley.

AN ORDINANCE

Amending an ordinance approved the twenty-ninth day of December, 1911, entitled “An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of Public Safety, for the year 1912.”

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the ordinance approved the twenty-ninth day of December, 1911, entitled “An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of Public Safety, for the year 1912,” be, and the same is hereby amended by adding to Item 3, of Section

6 of said ordinance, after the words "wagons and harness," in the second line thereof the words "and transportation of officers and employees of the Bureau in the performance of their duties," so that said item as amended shall read: "For horse keep, and maintenance and repairs to automobiles, wagons and harness and transportation of officers and employees of the Bureau in the performance of their duties."

APPENDIX No. 183.

Philadelphia, May 23, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred a bill entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the Director of the Department of Public Works to order and pay warrants for extra work to be performed by William A. Mundy in grading the Kensington and Oxford turnpike, from Levick street to Knorr street," together with a communication in relation thereto, respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

John P. Connelly (*Ch'n*), G. W. Kucker George D'Autrechy, Thomas J. Morton, John F. Flaherty, John H. Hahn, G. P. Darrow, John H. Baizley, Louis Hutt, H. J. Trainer, William J. McCloskey, W. E. Bonnick, Edw. W. Patton, Chas. Seger, Watson D. Upperman, Wm. E. Finley.

AN ORDINANCE

Authorizing the Director of the Department of Public Works to order and pay warrants for extra work to be performed by William A. Mundy in grading the Kensington and Oxford turnpike, from Levick to Knorr street.

WHEREAS, Contract was executed with William A. Mundy, on November 8, 1911, for grading the Kensington and Oxford turnpike, from Levick to Knorr street, and subsequent to the execution of the contract conditions made necessary a new estimate of quantities, materially reducing the amount of grading;

AND WHEREAS, The price paid for said grading included a large amount of contingent work, for which no extra price was paid, and which amount of contingent work was not reduced by the new estimate; therefore,

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Director of the Department of Public Works is hereby authorized to order this work, and, on completion, is authorized and directed to issue, and the City Controller to countersign, and the City Treasurer to pay, a warrant in favor of the said William A. Mundy in the amount of one thousand one hundred and forty-nine (1,149) dollars and forty-four (44) cents in addition to the amount to be paid under his contract for grading in accordance with the revised estimate; said payment to be made from money now set aside under this contract.

APPENDIX No. 184.

Philadelphia, May 23, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred a bill entitled "An Ordinance recognizing and approving the claim of John T. Windrim for one hundred and forty-one thousand four hundred and eighty (141,480) dollars for work done by him as an architect in the matter of the proposed Convention Hall and Auditorium in East Fairmount Park, and directing the payment of said claim," together with a communication in relation thereto, respectfully report that they have care-

fully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Jno. P. Connelly (*Ch'n*), G. W. Kucker, Thomas J. Morton, George D'Antrechy, John F. Flaherty, John H. Hahn, G. P. Darrow, John H. Baizley, Louis Hutt, H. J. Trainer, William J. McCloskey, W. E. Bonnick, Edw. W. Patton, Chas. Seger, Watson D. Upperman, Wm. E. Finley.

AN ORDINANCE

Recognizing and approving the claim of John T. Windrim for one hundred and forty-one thousand four hundred and eighty (141,480) dollars for work done by him as an architect in the matter of the proposed Convention Hall and Auditorium in East Fairmount Park, and directing the payment of said claim.

WHEREAS, By an ordinance of Councils dated March 31, 1911 (page 100), the sum of fifty thousand (50,000) dollars was appropriated "for the preparation of plans and specifications and the beginning of the work of construction of a Convention Hall in East Fairmount Park, north of Girard avenue;"

AND WHEREAS, By an ordinance of Councils dated June 19, 1911 (page 223), the Mayor was authorized "to enter into a contract for the construction of a Convention Hall in East Fairmount Park, north of Girard avenue, and authorizing the appointment of an architect to prepare plans and specifications, and superintending the construction thereof," who "shall be paid the usual rate of commission for work of a similar character;"

AND WHEREAS, The then Mayor duly appointed the said John T. Windrim as such architect and directed him to prepare at once the necessary plans and specifications for the construction of said Convention Hall, and on August 9, 1911, in the name of the City and by virtue of said last mentioned ordinance entered into a contract with said John T. Windrim to prepare said plans and specifications, at the cost of six per centum

of the total cost of the erection of said Convention Hall, when fully completed, ready for occupancy and accepted by the City, said amount to be paid at the times and in the manner and installments as set forth in Section 9 of the Schedule of Charges, etc., approved by the American Institute of Architects at the convention at Washington, December 15-17, 1908, a copy of said schedule being attached to said contract;

AND WHEREAS, Said Schedule of Charges provided that six per centum is the minimum charge based upon the total cost of the work complete, payable one-fifth thereof upon completion of the preliminary studies, two-fifths additional upon completion of the specifications and general working plans (exclusive of details), and the remainder from time to time in proportion to the amount of service rendered; and "in case of the abandonment or suspension of the work, the basis of settlement is to be" * * * "for preliminary studies, specifications and general working drawings (exclusive of details) three-fifths of the fee for complete services;"

AND WHEREAS, The said John T. Windrim did prepare the preliminary studies, specifications and general working drawings, and bids for the work were duly advertised for and received, and a contract therefor entered into by the City with the Charles McCaul Company, they being the lowest and best bidders, for the price or sum of four million four hundred and thirty thousand (4,430,000) dollars;

AND WHEREAS, The erection of said building was enjoined by the Court of Common Pleas No. 5, of this County, as of September term, 1911, No. 3377, at the suit of certain taxpayers, after said John T. Windrim had fully completed the preliminary studies, specifications and general working drawings, thereby compelling the abandonment of the work of construction, and whereby, had the contract been made with private parties, there would have been collectible by said John T. Windrim three-fifths of six per centum of said sum of four million four hundred and thirty thousand (4,430,000)

dollars, or one hundred and fifty-nine thousand four hundred and eighty (159,480) dollars, less any payments made on account thereof;

AND WHEREAS, The said John T. Windrim has received the sum of eighteen thousand (18,000) dollars, paid to him under the provisions of said ordinance of March 31, 1911, and nothing else from any source whatsoever, though he has expended large sums of money in addition thereto, as well as devoted his time and skill in the performance of said contract;

AND WHEREAS, No means has been provided for the payment to the said John T. Windrim of the balance of one hundred and forty-one thousand four hundred and eighty (141,480) dollars, and it is but just and equitable that he should be paid for his said expenditures and services; now therefore,

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Mayor is hereby authorized and directed to issue, the City Controller to countersign, and the City Treasurer to pay, a warrant or warrants in favor of said John T. Windrim for one hundred and forty-one thousand four hundred and eighty (141,480) dollars, in full payment and settlement of his claim for his expenditures and services as architect in the matter of the construction of said Convention Hall, said payment to be taken out of the appropriation made to the Mayor, July 21, 1911, for the erection of a Convention Hall, Item 41 D (loan).

APPENDIX No. 185.

Philadelphia, May 23, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize

the Department of Public Works to hire steam rollers and other necessary equipment for the maintenance of unpaved and macadamized roads." together with a communication pertaining thereto, respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Jno. P. Connelly (*Ch'n*), G. W. Kucker, George D'Autrechy, John F. Flaherty, John H. Hahn, G. P. Darrow, John H. Baizley, Louis Hutt, H. J. Trainer, Thomas J. Morton, William J. McCloskey, W. E. Bonnick, Edw. W. Patton, Chas. Seger, Watson D. Upperman, Wm. E. Finley.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the Department of Public Works to hire steam rollers and other necessary equipment for the maintenance of unpaved and macadamized roads.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works be, and is hereby authorized to hire steam rollers, road scrapers and sprinklers, and such other equipment, at a per diem rate, as may be required from time to time for the maintenance of unpaved and macadamized roads, and to pay for the same out of the annual appropriation and additional appropriations made to the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Highways) for the maintenance of unpaved and macadamized roads.

All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith be, and the same are hereby repealed.

APPENDIX No. 186.

RESOLUTION

Dispensing with the Stated Meeting of the Select and Common Councils on Thursday, May 30, 1912.

Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the Stated Meeting of both Chambers on Thursday, May 30, 1912, be, and the same is hereby dispensed with.

APPENDIX No. 187.

RESOLUTION

Of request to the Commissioners of Fairmount Park to reconsider their action prohibiting the 1912 automobile races in Fairmount Park.

WHEREAS, The Fairmount Park automobile races, which originated during Founders' Week in 1907, were continued annually under the auspices of the Quaker City Motor Club and the Philadelphia Municipal authorities;

AND WHEREAS, These races have given healthful enjoyment to hundreds of thousands of our citizens, free of charge, and have been the means of extensively advertising the City of Philadelphia throughout the country;

AND WHEREAS, By reason of the efficient management of the Quaker City Motor Club and the efficient and intelligent police protection given same by the Police Department, these races were entirely free from any and all accidents;

AND WHEREAS, About eighteen thousand (18,000) dollars has been distributed to various charitable institu-

tions during the last four years by reason of these races, and the Quaker City Motor Club in giving these races have no other object in view than that of being the instrument by which thousands of their fellow citizens can be entertained, and thousands of dollars being divided to charity;

AND WHEREAS, The citizens of Philadelphia unanimously deplore any efforts to discontinue the races; therefore, be it

Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the Commissioners of Fairmount Park be, and are hereby requested to reconsider their action prohibiting the 1912 automobile races in Fairmount Park.

APPENDIX No. 188.

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR.

Philadelphia, June 6, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—I beg to ask your favorable consideration of the enclosed communication from the Director of the Department of Public Safety, urging a prompt appropriation by Councils of the sum of \$7,500 to cover the cost of replacing the boilers at the House of Correction. The situation is critical, and I trust his recommendation may be acted upon by you at an early date.

Respectfully yours,

RUDOLPH BLANKENBURG,

Mayor.

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DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY.

Philadelphia, June 5, 1912.

HON. RUDOLPH BLANKENBURG,

Mayor of the City of Philadelphia.

MY DEAR SIR:—I beg to advise you that the six boilers at the House of Correction, which were installed thirty-eight years ago, are now in such a condition that it has been necessary for the Chief of the Bureau of Boiler Inspection to condemn them, with the result that two are now absolutely out of commission, and two are running on very low pressure.

Tests have been made in the laboratory to determine the deterioration, and the results show that the boilers are absolutely useless, and that loss of life is likely to result by the continuance of them.

At a meeting, yesterday, of the Prisons and Correction Committee, at the House of Correction, the Chairman of the Committee was instructed to introduce an ordinance for \$7,500, which will cover the cost of replacing these boilers.

I cannot urge too strongly the importance of an immediate appropriation to cover cost of the above-mentioned installation, in order that the work may be done during the summer months.

Respectfully yours,

(Signed) GEO. D. PORTER,

Director.

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APPENDIX No. 189.

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR.

Philadelphia, June 6, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—I beg to call your attention to the accompanying copies of letters from the Director of the Department of Public Safety and the Director of the Department of Public Works, recommending the passage of two ordinances—one to make an appropriation for the expense of furnishing electric light for the Temporary Convention Hall, and the other, to make an appropriation for the purchase of fire extinguishers and other supplies.

These matters both seem to be of urgent importance, and I trust that they may receive your early and favorable attention.

Respectfully yours,

RUDOLPH BLANKENBURG,

Mayor.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

Philadelphia, June 5, 1912.

HON. RUDOLPH BLANKENBURG,

Mayor of the City of Philadelphia.

MY DEAR SIR:—I am enclosing herewith draft of an ordinance to make an appropriation to pay the Philadelphia Electric Company for installing and furnishing electric light for the new Convention Hall. Chief Engineer Webster, who prepared this ordinance, conferred with Chief Pike, of the Electrical Bureau, who stated that he considered the proposal of the Philadelphia Electric Company a reasonable one.

For your information I am enclosing copy of correspondence on this subject, and would suggest that you have this ordinance forwarded to Councils, to be presented at their next session.

Yours very sincerely,

(Signed) M. L. COOKE,

Director.

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AN ORDINANCE

To make an appropriation to pay the Philadelphia Electric Company the cost of installing and furnishing electric light for the new Convention Hall, at Broad street and Allegheny avenue.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the sum of seven thousand (7,000) dollars be, and the same is hereby appropriated to Item in the Department of Public Safety (Electrical Bureau), to be expended as follows: To pay the Philadelphia Electric Company for installing electric light service into the new Convention Hall, at Broad street and Allegheny avenue, and for furnishing the necessary incandescent bulbs for lighting the Hall, five thousand four hundred (5,400) dollars; to pay for

electric current for lighting the Convention Hall, one thousand six hundred (1,600) dollars, this payment to be made in accordance with the regulations of the Electrical Bureau and for the actual amount of current used.

Philadelphia, June 6, 1912.

HON. RUDOLPH BLANKENBURG,
Mayor of the City of Philadelphia.

DEAR SIR:—I thoroughly approve of the proposed ordinance making an appropriation to the Department of Public Safety (Electrical Bureau) to provide for furnishing electric light for the temporary Convention Hall; and also the proposed ordinance making an appropriation to the Department of Supplies for the purchase of fire extinguishers and other supplies for the Convention Hall.

Respectfully yours,

(Signed) GEO. D. PORTER,
Director.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

Philadelphia, June 5, 1912.

HON. RUDOLPH BLANKENBURG,
Mayor of the City of Philadelphia.

MY DEAR SIR:—I am enclosing herewith draft of an ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of Supplies for the purchase of fire extinguishers and other supplies, in the sum of two thousand dollars, for the new Convention Hall.

Will you kindly have this sent to Councils for presentation at the coming meeting.

Yours very sincerely,

(Signed) M. L. COOKE,
Director.

AN ORDINANCE

To make an appropriation to the Department of Supplies for the purchase of fire extinguishers and other supplies for the new Convention Hall, at Broad street and Allegheny avenue.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the sum of two thousand (2,000) dollars be, and is hereby appropriated to the Department of Supplies for the purchase of the necessary fire extinguishers and other supplies for the equipment and maintenance of the new Temporary Convention Hall, located at the northeast corner of Broad street and Allegheny avenue.

APPENDIX No. 190.

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR.

Philadelphia, June 6, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—I have returned to you an ordinance (Appendix No. 159) entitled "An Ordinance to authorize certain transfers in the annual appropriations to the various Bureaus in the Departments of Public Safety, Public Health and Charities, Wharves, Docks and Ferries, Supplies, City Commissioners, City Treasurer, Clerks of Councils, Coroner, Commissioners of Fairmount Park, City Controller and Register of Wills, for the year 1912," with my approval, except for three items. I notified you on May 28, 1912, that I had withheld my approval of these.

One of these items is "To Clerks of Councils: To Item 14 (new), for prizes and other expenses incident to the public horse carnival and exhibition to be held in Fair-

mount Park, in June, 1912, under the auspices of the Road Drivers' Association of Pennsylvania, four thousand (4,000) dollars, said amount to be expended under the supervision of the Committee on Finance."

There are many purposes similar to this for which public funds might be appropriated if the condition of the City Treasury would permit it. With the Treasury in its present condition, however, and so many matters of strictly public interest suffering for want of sufficient appropriations, I did not feel free to give my approval to this item.

The next item is "To Clerks of Councils: To Item 16 (new), for rental and supervision of a steamboat to be used in giving free daily excursions (except Sundays) for children of the poor, during the months of July and August, ten thousand (10,000) dollars, said amount to be expended under the supervision of the Committee on Finance."

I do not feel that an expenditure of this kind should be made through Clerks of Councils. If such steamboat excursions were to be provided at all, it should be done through the Department of Public Health and Charities. There are, however, many other ways in which the Municipal Government can much more usefully serve the children of the poor than by means of such excursions as these. Appropriations for the Baby Saving Show, for the work of the Modified Milk Society, and for more thorough inspection of food supplies are much more important.

Another item of which I have withheld my approval is "To the Coroner: To Item 9 (new), for the purchase and maintenance of an automobile and the salary of the chauffeur, five thousand (5,000) dollars."

The needs of the Coroner's office for transportation of this kind are not clear enough to justify such an appropriation without taking into consideration the similar needs of many other City and County offices.

Respectfully yours,

RUDOLPH BLANKENBURG,

Mayor.

APPENDIX No. 191.

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR.

Philadelphia, June 6, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—I herewith return, without my approval, ordinance (Appendix No. 167) "To authorize the opening of a Parkway, from Twentieth to Twenty-third street."

The ordinance of December 9, 1909, authorized "the Mayor, City Solicitor and City Controller to continue the negotiations and purchase of property along the Parkway and pay for the same out of any funds appropriated for said purpose."

The Commission thus constituted has purchased during the past two months of April and May one hundred and nineteen (119) properties, costing three hundred and thirty-four thousand eight hundred and eighty (334,880) dollars—being upon the assessment of 1909 plus ten per cent. Some few weeks ago it was decided to confine additional purchases to the properties between Twentieth and Twenty-second streets. If these can be bought upon the same basis (and we see no reason to the contrary), it will about exhaust the fund that is now available for this improvement. The Commission thinks its progress is satisfactory and is as complete as could be expected under all the circumstances.

The proposed ordinance, requiring the opening of the Parkway and to proceed by condemnation proceedings would interfere with the purchases by consent, would subject property owners to needless trouble and expense, and would result in payments by mandamus from out the City Treasury, which the City at present cannot afford.

Believing that this proposed ordinance is ill-advised and untimely, I am returning it to your Honorable Bodies without my approval.

Very respectfully yours, •

RUDOLPH BLANKENBURG,

Mayor of Philadelphia.

APPENDIX No. 192.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

Philadelphia, May 31, 1912.

WILLIAM H. FELTON, ESQ.,

Chief Clerk of Common Council.

MY DEAR SIR:—In reply to the resolution of request from the Select and Common Councils to consider the advisability and cost of installing a high pressure fire system in the mill district of the Thirty-eighth Ward, and to report to Councils the result of such an investigation, I beg to submit copy of a report from Mr. James Reed, Jr., Assistant Director.

Yours very sincerely,

M. L. COOKE.

Director.

M. L. COOKE, ESQ.,

Director, Department of Public Works.

DEAR SIR:—The following report, called for by resolution of Councils of February 29, 1912, a copy of which is appended hereto marked "C," is submitted for your consideration:

The proposed installation to protect this district is indicated in *red* upon the blueprint plan transmitted herewith, and the detailed information with regard to the piping to be installed is given in the report of the Superintendent of High Pressure Service, Mr. John E. Codman, which is also transmitted herewith marked "D."

A report from the Chief of the Electrical Bureau gives the cost of the necessary conduit and installation therein, and high pressure telephone boxes as \$80,000, making the total cost as follows:

Pipe line, bridge and engineering expenses....	\$265,317
Electrical installation	80,000
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	\$345,317

The following comments are offered in connection with this proposed installation:

1. The territory to be protected contains many dangerous fire risks, as will be noted by reference to the plan.

2. No additional pumps or stations are required for this extension, which would tap in on the present pipe lines at Twelfth street and Lehigh avenue and Sixth and Clearfield streets, together with a new 12-inch lead from the station directly up Seventh street to Allegheny avenue, and would be fed from the high pressure pumping station No. 2, at Seventh street and Lehigh avenue.

Very truly yours,

(Signed) JAMES REED, JR.,

Assistant Director.

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DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY.

HIGH PRESSURE FIRE SERVICE SYSTEM.

Philadelphia, March 29, 1912.

MORRIS L. COOKE, ESQ.,

Director, Department of Public Works.

DEAR SIR:—I present, at your request, the following description and computation for extending the High Pressure Fire Service System in the northeast mill district, into the Thirty-eighth Ward, together with a map showing the proposed pipe lines, fire hydrants and stop valves, and the connections to the lines already laid.

After making a personal inspection of the area to be protected by this extension, together with my Assistant, Mr. Murphy, the accompanying plan was proposed.

It is proposed to continue the 20-inch line on Lehigh avenue, from Twelfth street to the Reading Railway bridge, reducing to 16-inch, and crossing the bridge on the north side of the pavement, as near the railing as possible. This will cause the least interference on the footway in case the depth over the girders is not sufficient to cover the lugs on the pipes entirely, and it may re

quire a slight rise in the cement covering to fully cover them.

The 16-inch pipe is to be continued out Lehigh avenue to a 16-inch x 16-inch x 12-inch x 12-inch cross connecting with a 12-inch line on Allegheny avenue.

On Allegheny avenue, it is proposed to extend the 16-inch line from Fifth street to Twenty-third street (crossing under the Reading Railway, as it is not possible from the construction of the bridge to cross over it). Branch lines are proposed on Glenwood avenue, 8-inch diameter to Broad street, connecting with 16-inch on Broad street to Lehigh avenue south and 12-inch to Allegheny avenue north; branch on Glenwood avenue, from Seventeenth to Nineteenth street, south from Lehigh avenue and north on Nineteenth street to Lehigh avenue; branch line, Sedgley avenue to Ninth street, north to Ontario street, Sedgley avenue, south from Allegheny avenue to Twelfth street; branch line on Fifteenth street, south from railroad to Cumberland street; branch line on Twenty-first street, north from Lehigh avenue to Somerset street, and from Allegheny avenue south to Clearfield street; branch north from Lehigh avenue to Pennsylvania Railroad, and south from Allegheny avenue to Clearfield street on Seventeenth street, all of this branch pipe to be eight inches in diameter.

This plan will cover nearly all of the mill district. Crosses and tees will be placed in the main lines and branches, to be used in a further extension.

The following is a computation of the cost of extending the lines as shown on the plans and description:

Computed cost of pipe lines	\$213,470 00
Add 10 per cent. for contingencies.....	21,347 00
Crossing bridge and under R. R., add for engineering expenses	10,500 00
Total	<hr/> \$245,317 00

Yours very truly,

(Signed) JOHN E. CODMAN,

Superintendent,

High Pressure Fire System.

APPENDIX No. 193.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

Philadelphia, May 31, 1912.

WILLIAM H. FELTON, Esq.,

Chief Clerk of Common Council.

MY DEAR SIR:—In reply to the resolution of request from the Select and Common Councils to consider the advisability and cost of installing a high pressure fire system in the mill district of the Twenty-first Ward, and to report to Councils the result of such an investigation, I beg to submit copy of a report from Mr. James Reed, Jr., Assistant Director.

You will note from the report submitted by Mr. Reed that the pressure of the present main throughout the district varies from 125 to 140 pounds, and are sufficient in size and pressure to meet the requirements of any fire that could possibly occur, and under these conditions does not recommend that a high pressure fire system be installed in this locality.

Yours very sincerely,

M. L. COOKE,

Director.

Philadelphia, May 25, 1912.

M. L. COOKE, Esq.,

Director, Department of Public Works.

DEAR SIR:—The following report, called for by resolution of Councils of February 29, 1912, a copy of which is appended hereto marked "A," is submitted for your consideration:

The proposed installation to protect this district is indicated in *red* upon the blueprint plan transmitted herewith, and the detailed information with regard to the station, pumps and piping to be installed is given

in the report of the Superintendent of High Pressure Service, Mr. John E. Codman, which is also transmitted herewith marked "B."

A report from the Chief of the Electrical Bureau gives the cost of the necessary conduit and installation therein, and high pressure telephone boxes at \$40,000, making the total cost as follows:

Cast iron pipe	\$360,689	
Electrical installation	40,000	
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Wrought iron pipe	\$400,000	
Electrical installation	40,000	
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The following comments are offered in connection with this proposed installation:

1. The buildings which it is proposed to protect are none of them of the height to demand a high pressure service, nor is the district to be protected a seriously congested one.

2. The pressure of the present fire mains throughout this district varies from 125 to 140 pounds, and the pipes are of sufficient diameter to supply water under these pressures in quantities to answer the requirements of any fire that could possibly occur in this district.

3. If a fire station with automobile combination hose and chemical apparatus were installed near Rector street intersection with the canal, for example, this territory would be amply protected. This installation could probably be made, including the necessary land, buildings and equipment, complete, for less than \$40,000.

4. In view of these facts, this installation is not recommended, especially in view of the grave necessity for further high pressure protection in the congested sections of the City, where high buildings, not only for factory but for all other business purposes, are located.

Very truly yours,

JAMES REED, JR.,

Assistant Director.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY.

HIGH PRESSURE FIRE SERVICE SYSTEM.

Philadelphia, March 19, 1912.

MORRIS L. COOKE, ESQ.,

Director, Department of Public Works.

DEAR SIR:—I present, at your request, the following description and computed cost of installing a High Pressure Fire Service System in the Twenty-first Ward mill district, together with a plan showing the proposed pipe line, with the fire hydrants and stop valves required.

The main features of the plan are as follows: A careful inspection of the ground to be protected by this system was gone over, with my Assistant, Murphy, and the location of the most probable places that the system could be used to advantage on was noted. Under the present conditions of the flow of the Schuylkill river, the summer flow is practically controlled by the head gates of the Schuylkill Navigation Co. at Flat Rock Dam. Very little, if any, water flows over the dam during the summer months for a number of days in succession, the greater portion flowing through the canal, which is now used to a large extent for power purposes. There is no suitable or practical location on the river bank for the pumping station, where a continuous and reliable supply of water can be obtained all the year through, between Flat Rock Dam and a point near the Queen Lane Pumping Station. This location would require a long and expensive pumping main to reach the proposed district to be protected.

These conditions suggest a location for the pumping station on the canal, and to take the water supply from the canal. A suggested location is shown on the plan of the main.

It is proposed to give the station a pumping capacity of 8,000,000 gallons per 24 hours, or, 5,600 gallons per minute, under a maximum pressure of 300 pounds per square inch.

This work can be done with four engines and pumps of 1,250 gallons per minute, and two smaller ones of 350 gallons per minute.

The station to be arranged to run one-half independently of the other or both together, and shall be equipped with alternate current motor and direct current generator, air compressor, air tanks and travelling crane and electrical lighting supplemented with gas fixtures.

The pumping main it is proposed to use need not be over 10-inch diameter if smooth wrought iron pipe is used. The advantages of wrought iron pipe are greater flexibility of the line and less liability to break or rupture. The principal objection to the use of this pipe is in the greater cost, and also liability to corrosion from the electric current used in the street.

Cast iron pipe with either bell and spigot or universal joints will require a nominally 12-inch diameter main, with cast steel or cast iron fittings, as used on the present line.

It is proposed to provide a stand pipe, connecting with the street mains, into which one of the small engines shall pump water and will be kept full to maintain a constant pressure on the mains when not in use for a fire.

The following table is given as the computed cost of such a system:

Engine House, 4 large engines, 2 small engines, air compressors, air tanks, stand pipe, fore- bay and suction main, traveling crane, ex- clusive of the plot of ground on which to build the pumping station	\$224,450
Pipe line, fire hydrants, stop valves, incidental damages	101,239
Engineering and incidental	15,000
Electric lighting and wiring	5,000
Purchase of lot	15,000
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Total, cast iron	\$360,689
Total, wrought iron (alternate)...	\$400,000

Yours truly,

(Signed) JOHN E. CODMAN,

Superintendent.

Approved:

(Signed) FRED. C. DUNLAP,

Chief, Bureau of Water.

APPENDIX No. 194.

BOARD OF REVISION OF TAXES.

Philadelphia, June 5, 1912.

GEORGE McCURDY, Esq.,

President of Common Council.

SIR:—In compliance with the request contained in the resolution of Councils of May 12, 1912, the Board of Revision of Taxes sends herewith a list of the real estate (other than the roadbed of railway companies) of public service corporations now exempt from local taxation, with the location, dimensions and value of each parcel.

Respectfully,

ALBERT LIST,

Chief Clerk.

Exempt Properties of Public Service Corporations.

Wards.	Title.	Location.	Description.	Value.
Fifth-----	Bell Telephone Company-----	Nos. 254 and 256 Fourth street, west side, northwest corner Manning street-----	Four-story brick building. Lot 45 x 102 feet 8 inches north line, 100 feet south line-----	\$85,000
Fifth-----	Union Traction Company-----	Nos. 501 and 503 South Fifth street, southeast corner Lombard street-----	Two-story brick power-house. Lot 42 x 50 feet	13,000
Sixth-----	Philadelphia Electric Company-----	Nos. 122 and 124 Arch street, southeast corner Mascher street-----	Four-story brick building, one story on Mascher street. Lot 32 x 110 x 77 feet rear-----	23,000
Eighth-----	Union Traction Company-----	Nos. 812 to 820 Sansom street, 169 feet 6 inches west of Eighth street-----	Three-story brick building (sold). Lot 105 x 107 feet 6 inches (power house)-----	120,000
Eighth-----	Edison Electric Light Company-----	Nos. 904 and 910 Sansom street, commencing 103 feet west of Ninth street-----	Nine-story brick building. Lot 69 feet 7 inches x 100 feet-----	180,000
Ninth-----	Brush Electric Light Company-----	Nos. 2011 to 2037 Ranstead street, north line, 85 feet 3 inches west of Twentieth street-----	Two-story brick power-house. Lot 258 feet 9 inches x 130 feet-----	150,000
Ninth-----	Bell Telephone Company-----	Nos. 1701 to 1705 Filbert street, north side, northwest cor. Seventeenth street-----	Eight-story brick office building and exchange. Lot 58 x 117 feet----- Taxable-----	125,000 125,000
Tenth-----	Philadelphia Electric Company-----	No. 1113 Arch street, north side, 98 feet west of Eleventh street-----	Three-story brick store, three-story brick building. Lot 30 x 91 feet. Taxable-----	45,000
Tenth-----	Philadelphia Electric Company-----	Rear of above, 91 feet north of Arch street-----	Three-story brick and concrete building. Lot 30 x 107 feet-----	60,000

Exempt Properties of Public Service Corporations—Continued.

Wards.	Title.	Location.	Description.	Value.
Tenth	Philadelphia Electric Company	Rear of above, 91 feet north of Arch street	Lot 20 x 85 feet on Cherry street. Exempt	\$6,000 3,000
Tenth	Keystone Telephone Company	Nos. 1522 to 1536 Summer street, 275 feet 8 inches west of Fifteenth street	Two-story brick work-shop. Lot 46 feet 3 inches x 65 feet	15,000
Tenth	Keystone Telephone Company	Nos. 231 to 235 North Sixteenth street, 110 feet north of Spring street	Four-story brick building. Lot 50 feet 2 inches x 120 feet	65,000
Eleventh	People's Passenger Railway Co.	Nos. 614 to 624 Delaware avenue, west side	Large brick power-house. Lot 87 feet ½ inch x 150 feet to Beach street	80,000
Eleventh	People's Passenger Railway Co.	Nos. 620 to 628 Beach street, 163 feet 9¼ inches north of Green street	Coal elevator. Lot 66 feet 9 inches x 112 feet	8,000
Eleventh	Philadelphia Rapid Transit Co.	No. 630 Beach street, 124 feet 6¾ inches north of Green street	Three-story brick store-house, covering entire lot. Lot 17 x 84 feet 4 inches	1,800
Eleventh	People's Passenger Railway Co.	Nos. 621 and 623 North Front street, 164 feet 1¾ inches north of Green street	Vacant lot. Lot 27 feet 8 inches x 70 feet	1,800
Eleventh	Philadelphia Rapid Transit Co.	No. 635 North Front street, 191 feet 9¾ inches north of Green street	Vacant lot. Lot 17 x 70 feet	1,500
Thirteenth	Philadelphia Electric Company	No. 443 Marshall street, northeast corner Noble street	One-story brick and stone building, three-story brick house in rear. Lot 38 feet 2½ inches x 75 feet 9 inches x 31 feet 3 inches rear Taxable	13,000 3,000

Exempt Properties of Public Service Corporations—Continued.

Wards.	Title.	Location.	Description.	Value.
Fourteenth	Philadelphia Traction Company	Northeast corner Thirteenth and Mt. Vernon streets	Two three-story brick power-houses. Lot 207 feet $\frac{1}{2}$ inch x 186 feet $\frac{1}{4}$ inch north line; south on Canine street 204 feet 8 inches, west 187 feet 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ inches	\$160,000
Sixteenth	Electric Traction Company	Nos. 921 to 947 Beach street, 149 feet north of Poplar street	Large two-story brick and stone power-house, two-story stone house and galvanized iron shed. Lot 272 feet 7 $\frac{1}{2}$ inches x 200 feet to Delaware avenue Taxable	100,000 25,000
Sixteenth	Market St. Elevated Railway Co.	Nos. 949 to 965 Beach street, 421 feet 7 $\frac{1}{2}$ inches north of Poplar street	Three-story brick power-house. Lot 162 feet 6 inches on Beach street, 142 feet 6 inches on Delaware avenue, 200 feet on north and south lines	500,000
Sixteenth	Northern Liberty Gas Company	Nos. 50 to 60 Laurel street, south side, 60 feet east of American street, 172 feet 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ inches west of Beach street	Two-story brick office, one and two-story retort house, one-story brick factory, one-story brick and frame house, three-story brick and frame house, one-story brick condensing scrub house, two-story engine and boiler house. Lot 333 feet 10 inches x 151 feet Taxable	76,000 4,000
Sixteenth	Northern Liberty Gas Company	Pollard street, north side, 23 feet east of Germantown avenue	Gasometer. Lot 100 x 100 feet	10,000
Sixteenth	Northern Liberty Gas Company	Pollard street, north side, 60 feet east of American street	Gasometer. Lot 68 feet 10 $\frac{1}{2}$ inches x 102 x 90 feet 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ inches Taxable	7,300 200

Exempt Properties of Public Service Corporations—Continued.

Wards.	Title.	Location.	Description.	Value.
Nineteenth-----	Northern Electric Light and Power Company-----	American street, northeast corner Susquehanna avenue-----	Two and one-story brick electric light and power station, 100 x 121 feet 9 inches; two-story brick electric light plant. Lot 121 feet 9 inches x 213 feet-----	\$70,000
Nineteenth-----	Bell Telephone Company-----	Northeast corner Hope and Berks streets-----	Two-story brick telephone station, 30 feet 9½ inches x 76 feet 2 inches x 70 feet on Hope st-----	15,000
Twenty-first-----	Bell Telephone Company-----	No. 4336 Terrace street, southwest corner Grape street-----	Three-story brick exchange. Lot 26 feet 9¾ inches x 130 feet-----	4,500
Twenty-first-----	Roxborough, Chestnut Hill and Norristown Railroad-----	Southwest side River road-----	Brick power house. 1¾ acres-----	8,000
Twenty-second-----	United Gas Improvement Co-----	Wister street, corner Collom and Armstrong streets-----	Gas holder and pumping station; 3 acres 23 perches-----	28,000
Twenty-second-----	Keystone Telephone Company-----	North side Collom street, 135 feet 3 inches east of Germantown avenue-----	Two-story brick building. Lot 43 x 79 feet 11½ inches to 5 foot alley-----	9,000
Twenty-second-----	Bell Telephone Company-----	No. 32 West Cheltenham avenue-----	Two-story brick building. Lot 30 x 161 feet 2½ inches-----	14,000
Twenty-second-----	Bell Telephone Company-----	No. 820 Germantown avenue-----	Two-story brick office building. Lot 40 x 310 feet 6½ inches-----	20,000
Twenty-second-----	Union Traction Company-----	No. 121 East Cheltenham avenue-----	Two-story stone and brick power-house. Lot 22 feet 6 inches x 135 feet 9½ inches-----	9,000
Twenty-second-----	Philadelphia Rapid Transit Co-----	No. 125 East Cheltenham avenue-----	Two-story brick and stone power-house. Lot 22 feet 6 inches x 134 feet 8 inches-----	14,000

Exempt Properties of Public Service Corporations—Continued.

Wards.	Title.	Location.	Description.	Value.
Twenty-second-----	Philadelphia Rapid Transit Co.-----	Northwest corner Germantown avenue and West Abington avenue-----	One-story brick power-house. Lot 32 feet 9 inches x 101 feet 3 3/4 inches-----	\$4,000
Twenty-third-----	Bell Telephone Company-----	No. 1640 Church street, 322 feet 8 inches southeast of Frankford avenue-----	Three and two-story brick telephone office. Lot 26 x 87 feet 9 inches-----	14,000
Twenty-fourth-----	Philadelphia Electric Company-----	No. 3945 Market street, 490 feet 3 inches west of Thirty-ninth street-----	Brick building. Lot 20 x 130 x 10 x 60 x 30 x 190 feet to Market street-----	20,000
Twenty-fourth-----	Keystone Telephone Company-----	Nos. 11 and 13 Preston street, southeast corner Filbert street-----	Two-story brick building. Lot 65 x 94 feet-----	20,000
Twenty-fourth-----	Bell Telephone Company-----	Nos. 8, 10 and 12 Preston street, 113 feet north of Market street-----	Two-story brick building. Lot 51 x 58 feet-----	35,000
Twenty-fifth-----	United Gas Improvement Co.-----	Nos. 2943 and 2945 Richmond street, east side, 409 feet 5 1/4 inches north of Cambria street-----	Two-story brick testing-house. Lot 40 x 90 feet-----	10,000
Twenty-fifth-----	Keystone Telephone Company, "Exchange"-----	Nos. 2757 and 2759 Frankford avenue-----	Two-story brick building. Lot 40 x 80 feet 6 inches x 85 feet 11 inches-----	15,000
Twenty-sixth-----	Bell Telephone Company-----	Nos. 1705 and 1707 South Broad street, 58 feet south of Morris street-----	Three-story brick building. Lot 53 feet 8 inches x 124 feet-----	30,000
Twenty-sixth-----	United Gas Improvement Co.-----	Southeast corner Seventeenth street and Passyunk avenue-----	Two-story brick testing station. Lot 67 feet 4 inches x 58 feet 10 inches x 62 feet south line, 85 feet 3 inches east line-----	11,000

Exempt Properties of Public Service Corporations—Continued.

Wards.	Title.	Location.	Description.	Value.
Twenty-seventh---	Philadelphia Rapid Transit Co----	Nos. 3300 to 3308 Market street, southwest corner Thirty-third street-----	Two-story brick building. Lot 77 feet 6 inches x 97 feet-----	\$45,000
Twenty-seventh---	Philadelphia Rapid Transit Co----	Nos. 3310 to 3328 Market street, 77 feet 5 inches west of Thirty-third street, 172 feet 6½ inches on Market street; thence south on west line 114 feet 6 inches; thence west 25 feet; thence south to Ludlow street 100 feet; thence east on Ludlow street 175 feet; thence north 50 feet 6 inches; thence east 22 feet 6 inches; thence north to Market street 161 feet----	Two-story brick building, power-house and coal supply yard, etc.-----	100,000
Twenty-eighth----	Ridge Avenue Passenger Railway Company-----	Ridge avenue, northeast side, southeast corner of Thirty-second and Dauphin streets -----	Power house, 145 feet 6 inches north on Thirty-second street, east on Dauphin street 97 feet----	13,500
Thirtieth-----	Southern Electric Light and Power Company-----	Christian street, south side, southwest corner Twenty-sixth street-----	Two four-story brick buildings, one one-story brick power-house on Grays Ferry road. Lot 240 x 349 feet 7 inches on Twenty-sixth street, 81 feet 6½ inches on south side Carpenter street, 250 feet 11½ inches on Grays Ferry road to Pennsylvania Railroad, 165 feet on Pennsylvania Railroad, 470 feet on west line to south side Christian street-----	150,000
Thirtieth-----	Philadelphia Electric Company-----	South side Christian street, 240 feet west of Twenty-sixth street-----	Power-house and storage ground. Lot 800 x 200 feet -----	450,000

Wards.	Title.	Location.	Description.	Value.
Thirtieth-----	Electric Traction Company of Philadelphia-----	Southwest corner South street and Schuylkill avenue-----	One-story brick power-house, engine-house and storage ground. Lot 130 x 537 feet 9 inches on north line, 576 feet on south line, 113 feet off river front-----	\$75,000
Thirtieth-----	Philadelphia Electric Company-----	Northwest corner Christian street and Schuylkill avenue-----	Two-story brick office. Lot 93 feet 2 inches x 322 feet on north line, 317 feet on south line-----	15,000
Thirtieth-----	Southern Electric Light and Power Company-----	West side of Schuylkill avenue, 93 feet south of Christian street-----	Coal elevator. Wharf lot 180 feet on west side Schuylkill avenue to Schuylkill river, exclusive of bed of railroad bridge-----	20,000
Thirty-second-----	Bell Telephone Company-----	Nos. 1632 to 1638 Diamond street, southeast corner Seventeenth street-----	Three-story brick office building. Lot 80 x 107 feet----- Taxable-----	43,200 26,800
Thirty-third-----	United Gas Improvement Co-----	East Atlantic street, north side, 200 feet east of G street-----	Iron gas tank, one-story brick office, one-story brick valve-house. Lot 225 x 250 feet-----	40,000
Thirty-fourth-----	Market Street Elevated Company--	Northwest corner Market and Allison streets-----	Sub-station power-house. Lot 58 feet 4½ inches x 143 feet 7½ inches on east line, 127 feet 1 inch on west line, 56 feet rear-----	20,000
Thirty-fifth-----	Holmesburg Water Company-----	Rear of the east corner Poor House lane and Township road, northeast side Township Line road, north of Bristol Pike-----	Stand pipe, engine room and boiler house, one-story pump-house, 14,500 acres-----	10,000

Exempt Properties of Public Service Corporations—Continued.

Wards.	Title.	Location.	Description.	Value.
Thirty-seventh-----	Keystone Telephone Company-----	Nos. 2216 to 2222 North Park avenue-----	Two-story brick telephone exchange. Lot 72 feet 6 inches x 96 feet to Watts street-----	\$18,000
Thirty-eighth-----	Diamond Electric Company-----	Southwest corner Seventeenth and Clearfield streets-----	Two-story brick building, one-story brick boiler-house. Lot 185 feet 6 inches x 230 x 168 x 140 feet, 50 feet on P., G. and C. H. R.-----	32,000
Thirty-eighth-----	Bell Telephone Company-----	No. 3200 North Seventeenth street, northwest corner Allegheny avenue-----	Two-story brick exchange, one-story brick annex. Lot 100 x 82 feet 10 inches-----	25,000
Thirty-ninth-----	Lomhard and South Passenger Railway Company-----	Southwest corner Thirteenth street and Snyder avenue-----	Brick power-house. Lot 107 feet 6 inches x 67 feet-----	14,000
Fortieth-----	Southwestern Railway Company-----	South side of Penrose Ferry road and Schuylkill river-----	One-story brick and iron power-house, ear barn and office (power house 35 x 85 feet). Lot 240.20 feet x 150.58 feet x 102.55 feet x 20.12 feet x 102.28 feet x 128.45 feet----- Balance taxable-----	4,500 4,500
Fortieth-----	Philadelphia Rapid Transit Co-----	North side Woodland avenue, 50 feet west of Fifty-eighth street-----	One-story brick storage power-house. Lot 54 x 125 feet-----	7,500
Fortieth-----	Bell Telephone Company-----	Nos. 5400 to 5408 Woodland avenue-----	Two-story brick building, "exchange." Lot 82 x 177 feet 11 7/8 inches-----	57,000
Forty-first-----	Suburban Electric Light Company-----	Robbins street, southwest side, east corner of Delaware avenue-----	One-story brick and frame coal shed, 1 1/2-story brick power-house. Lot 201 x 343 feet. Sub	20,000

Wards.	Title.	Location.	Description.	Value.
Forty-first-----	Holmesburg, Tacony and Frankford Electric Railway Company-----	Delaware avenue, east side, about 350 feet southeast of Robbins street-----	One-story brick power-house. Lot 102 feet 4 inches on Kensington Railroad, 183 feet 10 $\frac{1}{2}$ inches on southwest line, 181 feet 1 inch on northeast line, 102 feet 2 $\frac{3}{4}$ inches on rear end of lot. Sub-----	\$7,000
Forty second-----	Philadelphia Rapid Transit Co-----	Wyoming avenue, south side, in rear of Holding Company to northeast corner of Third and Ansburys streets-----	Power house, 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ acres----- Two-story stone house (old, no value), two-story frame stable; about 9 3-10 acres. Taxable-----	100,000
Forty-third-----	Union Traction Company-----	Nos. 3613 and 2645 Germantown avenue, northeast side, 66 feet 4 inches south-east of Vonango street-----	Two-story brick and stone power-house. Lot 12 feet 3 inches x 66 feet 8 $\frac{3}{8}$ inches on south line x 83 feet 4 inches on north line, 39 feet 1 inch on rear-----	30,500
Forty-third-----	Real Estate Holding Company-----	West side of Elder street, 54 feet 2 inches south of Erie avenue-----	Two-story brick power-house. Lot 54 feet 2 inches x 129 feet 11 $\frac{1}{8}$ inches on north line, 150 feet 9 $\frac{3}{4}$ inches on south line, 49 feet 8 $\frac{1}{2}$ inches on west line-----	8,400
Forty-fourth-----	Fairmount Park and Haddington Passenger Railway Company-----	Lancaster avenue, north side, northeast corner Fifty-second street-----	Brick power-house and storage ground. Lot 227 feet 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ inches x 97 feet 5 inches x 20 feet 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ inches x 93 feet 3 $\frac{3}{8}$ inches x 232 feet 1 inch x 172 feet 2 $\frac{3}{4}$ inches-----	8,000
Forty-fourth-----	Bell Telephone Company-----	Lancaster avenue, south side, southeast corner Media street-----	Two-story stone and brick building, "exchange." Lot 82 feet 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ inches x 100 feet-----	50,000

Exempt Properties of Public Service Corporations—Continued.

Wards.	Title.	Location.	Description.	Value.
Forty-fifth-----	United Gas Improvement Co-----	Venango street, north side, northeast corner Balfour to northwest corner Carbon street-----	Two-story frame building, two gas holders; 6 acres and 25 perches-----	\$31,000
Forty-fifth-----	United Gas Improvement Co-----	Venango street, south side, southeast corner Balfour street-----	Two-story frame building. Lot 1,650 feet on Venango street, 1,054 feet on south line, 207 feet 4¾ inches on Balfour street, 308 feet 2¾ inches on Carbon street. About 5 acres and 14 perches, including bed of Kingston street-----	17,500
Forty-sixth-----	United Gas Improvement Co-----	Southwest corner Forty-seventh and Market streets-----	Three-story rough-east office, etc. Lot 177 feet 8 inches x 218 feet 6 inches x 158 feet 11 inches x 245 feet 3¾ inches-----	30,000
Forty-sixth-----	United Gas Improvement Co-----	Northwest corner Forty-seventh and Chestnut streets-----	Gas holders, brick valve-house, etc. Lot 220 x 24 feet 6 inches-----	110,000
Forty-seventh-----	Bell Telephone Company-----	No. 1639 Poplar street, northeast corner Seventeenth street-----	Four-story brick office building, "exchange;" four-story brick building. Lot 26 x 102 feet--	25,000
			Total exempt-----	\$3,736,500

The foregoing is a list of the real estate (other than the roadbed of railway companies) of public service corporations now wholly or partially exempt from taxation in the City of Philadelphia.

ALBERT LIST,

Chief Clerk,

Board of Revision of Taxes,

Philadelphia, June 6, 1912.

APPENDIX No. 195.

THE FARMERS' AND MECHANICS' NATIONAL BANK.

Philadelphia, June 1, 1912.

GEORGE McCURDY, Esq.,

President of Common Council, Philadelphia.

DEAR SIR :—Agreeably to Section Three of Ordinance of Councils, approved the 16th day of March, 1872, we have the honor to submit a report showing the aggregates of City Loans on which interest is paid by the City ; and also a statement of the semi-annual interest due July 1, 1912, as it stands on the books at The Farmers' and Mechanics' National Bank on June 1, 1912.

Very truly yours,

H. B. BARTOW,

Cashier.

Report showing the aggregates of the Four Per Cent. Loans, Three and one-half Per Cent. Loans, Three and one-quarter Per Cent. Loan, Three and one-eighth Per Cent. Loan, and Three Per Cent. Loans of the City of Philadelphia, as they appear on the books at the Farmers' and Mechanics' National Bank, Philadelphia, Loan and Transfer Agent of the City, on June 1, 1912.

	Principal of Four Per Cent. Loans.	Principal of Three and one- half Per Cent. Loans.	Principal of Three and one- quarter Per Cent. Loan.	Principal of Three and one- eighth Per Cent. Loan.	Principal of Three Per Cent. Loans.
Total of Loans held by general holders, December 1, 1911.....	\$38,303,000 00	\$38,130,100 00	\$5,000 00	\$1,000 00	\$33,164,000 00
Total of Loans held by Sinking Funds, December 1, 1911	7,968,500 00	3,828,900 00	.....	.....	1,121,100 00
	\$46,271,500 00	\$41,959,000 00			\$14,285,100 00
Deduct three and one-half per cent. Loan converted into coupon bonds.....	.....	1,398,000 00			
Add 4 per cent. coupon loan converted into registered Loan for Sinking Fund. . . .	50,000 00	\$40,561,000 00			
	\$46,321,500 00				
Deduct matured Loan December 31, 1911.	.....	823,500 00		.....	970,300 00
		\$39,737,500 00			
Add new Loan, 4 per cent. Loan of Octo- ber 1, 1906, as amended May 10, 1907, due January 1942.....	\$700,000 00				
	\$47,021,500 00				
Add coupon bonds.....	7,193,200 00	1,306,000 00			
Add coupon bonds, registered as to princ- pal .....	.....	92,000 00			
	\$54,214,700 00	\$41,185,500 00	\$5,000 00	\$1,000 00	\$33,314,800 00

Report showing the aggregates of the Four Per Cent., Three and one-half Per Cent. Loans, etc., as they appear on the books at the Farmers' and Mechanics' National Bank, Philadelphia, June 1, 1912.

	Principal of Four Per Cent. Loans.	Principal of Three and one- half Per Cent. Loans.	Principal of Three and one- quarter Per Cent. Loan.	Principal of Three and one- eighth Per Cent. Loan.	Principal of Three Per Cent. Loans.
RECAPITULATION.					
Four per cent. Loans.	\$54,214,700 00				
Three and one-half per cent. Loans.	41,135,500 00				
Three and one-quarter per cent. Loan.	5,000 00				
Three and one-eighth per cent. Loan.	1,000 00				
Three per cent. Loans.	13,314,800 00				
	<u>\$108,671,000 00</u>				
Unregistered Loans, on which no appro- priation for interest is asked, as per Ordinance of Councils, approved June 16, 1885:					
Six per cent. Loans, Untaxed.	\$31,800 00	{ Unregistered Matured Loan, unclaimed and cancelled by decision of the City Solicitor by rea- son of limitation, being overdue for a period ex- ceeding 21 years.			
Six per cent. Loans, Taxed.	7,550 00				
Five per cent. Loans, Taxed.	1,170 22				
	<u>\$40,520 22</u>				

The Farmers' and Mechanics' National Bank, Philadelphia, Loan and Transfer Agent of the City,
Philadelphia, June 1, 1912.
H. B. BARTOW, Cashier.

Report of the aggregates of the Four Per Cent. Loans, Three and one-half Per Cent. Loans, Three and one-quarter Per Cent. Loans, Three and one-eighth Per Cent. Loans, and Three Per Cent. Loans of the City of Philadelphia, as they appear on the books at the Farmers' and Mechanics' National Bank, Philadelphia, Loan and Transfer Agent of the City, on June 1, 1912.

	Principal of Four Per Cent. Loans.	Principal of Three and one- half Per Cent. Loans.	Principal of Three and one- half Per Cent. Loans.	Principal of Three and one- quarter Per Cent. Loan.	Principal of Three and one- eighth Per Cent. Loan.	Principal of Three Per Cent. Loans.
Aggregates of the Three per cent. Loans, December 1, 1911.	\$14,285,100 00
Aggregates of the Three per cent. Loans, June 1, 1912	13,314,800 00
Aggregates of the Three and one-eighth per cent. Loan, December 1, 1911	\$1,000 00	\$970,300 00
Aggregates of the Three and one-eighth per cent. Loan, June 1, 1912	1,000 00	Decrease.
Aggregates of the Three and one-quarter per cent. Loan, December 1, 1911	\$5,000 00	.....	.....
Aggregates of the Three and one-quarter per cent. Loan, June 1, 1912	5,300 00	.....	.....
Aggregates of the Three and one-half per cent. Loans, Registered, December 1, 1911	\$40,560,000 00	.....	.....	.....
Aggregates of the Three and one-half per cent. Loan, Coupon, December 1, 1911	1,391,000 00	.....	.....	.....
Aggregates of the Three and one-half per cent. Loan, Coupon, Registered as to principal, December 1, 1911	8,000 00	.....	.....	.....
Aggregates of the Three and one-half per cent. Loans, Registered, June 1, 1912	\$39,737,500 00	.....	.....	.....	\$41,959,000 00
Aggregates of the Three and one-half per cent. Loan, Coupon, June 1, 1912	1,306,000 00	.....	.....	.....	.....

Report of the aggregates of the Four Per Cent., Three and one-half Per Cent. Loans, etc., as they appear on the books at the Farmers and Mechanics' National Bank, Philadelphia, June 1, 1912—Continued.

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	Principal of Four Per Cent. Loans.	Principal of Three and one- half Per Cent. Loans.	Principal of Three and one- quarter Per Cent. Loan.	Principal of Three and one- eighth Per Cent. Loan.	Principal of Three Per Cent. Loans.	
Aggregates of the Three and one-half per cent. Loan, Cou- pon, Registered as to phila- del, June 1, 1912....	.....	\$92,400 00	\$41,135,500 00	.....	\$823,500 00	Decrease.
Aggregates of the Four per cent. Loans:					\$1,793,800 00	Decrease.
Registered, December 1, 1911. Coupon, December 1, 1911....	\$46,971,500 00 7,243,200 00					
	\$53,514,700 00					
Aggregates of the Four per cent. Loans:						
Registered, June 1, 1912. \$17,021,500 Coupon, June 1, 1912....	54,214,700 00				700,000 00	Increase.
					\$1,093,800 00	Net Decrease.
Unregistered Loans, on which no appropriation for interest is asked, as per ordinance of Councils appro'd June 16, 1885; Six per cent. Loans, Un- taxed.....		{ Unregistered Ma- tured Loan, Uncallm- ed and cancelled by decision of the City Solicitor by reason of limitation, being overdue for a period exceeding 21 years.				
Six per cent. Loans, Taxed.	\$31,800 00					
Five per cent. Loans, Taxed	7,550 00					
	1,170 22					
	\$40,520 22					

The Farmers' and Mechanics' National Bank, Philadelphia, Loan and Transfer Agent of the City.
H. B. BARTOW, Cashier.

Semi-annual Statement of Interest due July 1, 1912, on Four per cent. Loans, Three and one-half per cent. Loans, Three and one-quarter per cent. Loans, Three and one-eighth per cent. Loan, and Three per cent. Loans of the City of Philadelphia, as they appear on the books at The Farmers' and Mechanics' National Bank, Philadelphia, Loan and Transfer Agent of the City, on June 1, 1912.

	Principal of Four Per Cent. Loans.	Interest of Four Per Cent. Loans.	Principal of Three and one-half Per Cent. Loans.	Interest of Three and one-half Per Cent. Loans.	Principal of Three and one-quarter Per Cent. Loan.	Interest of Three and one-quarter Per Cent. Loan.	Principal of Three and one-eighth Per Cent. Loan.	Interest of Three and one-eighth Per Cent. Loan.	Principal of Three Per Cent. Loans.	Interest of Three Per Cent. Loans.
Four per cent. Loans, Registered.....	\$47,021,500 00	\$940,430 00	\$39,737,500 00	\$695,406 25	\$5,000 00	\$81 25	\$1,000 00	\$15 63	\$13,314,800 00	\$199,722 00
Three and one-half per cent. Loans, Registered.....										
Three and one-quarter per cent. Loan, Registered.....										
Three and one-eighth per cent. Loan, Registered.....										
Three per cent. Loans, Registered.....										
Four per cent. Loans, Coupon.....	7,193,200 00	113,864 00	1,306,000 00	22,855 00						
Three and one-half per cent. Loan, Coupon.....			92,000 00	1,610 00						
Three and one-half per cent. Loan, Coupon, Registered as to prime paid.....										
	\$54,214,700 00	1,084,294 00	\$41,135,500 00	\$719,871 25	\$5,000 00	\$81 25	\$1,000 00	\$15 63	\$13,314,800 00	\$199,722 00
RECAPITULATION										
Four per cent. Loans, Registered.....	\$47,021,500 00									
Three and one-half per cent. Loans, Registered.....	39,737,500 00									
Three and one-quarter per cent. Loan, Registered.....										
Three and one-eighth per cent. Loan, Registered.....	5,000 00									
			INTEREST							
			\$940,430 00							
			695,406 25							
			81 25							

Semi-annual Statement of Interest due July 1, 1912, on Four per cent. Loans, etc., as they appear on the books at the Farmers' and Mechanics' National Bank, Philadelphia, Loan and Transfer Agent of the City, on June 1, 1912—Continued.

	Principal of Four Per Cent. Loans.	Interest of Four Per Cent. Loans.	Principal of Three and one-half Per Cent. Loans.	Interest of Three and one-half Per Cent. Loans.	Principal of Three and one-quarter Per Cent. Loan.	Interest of Three and one-quarter Per Cent. Loan.	Principal of Three and one-eighth Per Cent. Loan.	Interest of Three and one-eighth Per Cent. Loan.	Principal of Three Per Cent. Loans.	Interest of Three Per Cent. Loans.
Three and one-eighth per cent. Loan, Registered....	\$1,000 00	.....	\$15 63	.....					
Three per cent. Loans, Reg- istered.....	13,314,800 00	.....	199,722 00	.....					
	100,079,800 00	.....	\$1,855,655 13	.....					
Four per cent. loan, Coupon	7,193,200 00	.....	143,864 00	.....					
Three and one-half per cent. Loan, Coupon	1,398,000 00	.....	24,465 00	.....					
	108,671,000 00	.....	\$2,003,989 13	.....					
Unregistered Loans, on which no appropriation for interest is asked, as per Ordinance of Councils ap- proved June 16, 1885.										
Six per cent. Loans, Untaxed.....	31,800 00	Unregistered, Ma- tured Loan, Unclaim- ed and cancelled by decision of the City Solicitor by reason of limitation, being overdue for a period exceeding 21 years.								
Taxed.....	7,550 00									
Five per cent. Loans, Taxed.....	1,170 22									
	\$40,520 22									

The Farmers' and Mechanics' National Bank, Philadelphia, Loan and Transfer Agent of the City.

H. B. BARTOW, Cashier.

Philadelphia, June 1, 1912.

APPENDIX No. 196.

Philadelphia, June 6, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred a bill entitled “An Ordinance to authorize the Director of the Department of Public Works to expend balances of Items 13, 14 and 23 in the annual appropriation to the Bureau of Highways in any manner to secure the most efficient transportation of the employees of the Bureau of Highways,” together with a communication pertaining thereto, respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

John P. Connelly (*Ch'n*). Edw. W. Patton, W. E. Bonnick, John H. Hahn, E. B. Gleason, John H. Baizley, Wm. E. Finley, G. W. Kucker, George D'Autrechy, G. P. Darrow, William J. McCloskey, Robert S. McElroy, Thomas J. Morton, Watson D. Upperman, Louis Hutt, Chas. A. Gillingham.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the Director of the Department of Public Works to expend balances of Item 13, Item 14 and Item 23 in the annual appropriation to the Bureau of Highways in any manner to secure the most efficient transportation of the employees of the Bureau of Highways.

WHEREAS, The ordinance to make an appropriation to the Department of Public Works, for the year 1912, approved December 29, 1911, contains the following items: “Item 13, for carriage hire and keep of horses for Assistant Commissioners, Assistant Superintendent of Bridges, and inspectors in such districts where deemed necessary in the discretion of the Director, four hundred (400) dollars each; for Assistant Commissioner of bridge

and Sewer Repairs, six hundred (600) dollars each; for inspectors of repairs to bridges, five hundred (500) dollars each; for general inspector and inspectors of repairs to sewers, two horses, six hundred (600) dollars each; for inspectors of repairs to bridges, five hundred (500) dollars each; total, twenty-nine thousand four hundred (29,400) dollars; Item 14, for car fare for inspectors, seven thousand five hundred and fifty (7,550) dollars: *Provided*, That each inspector not supplied with horse and carriage to be paid at the rate of one hundred and fifty (150) dollars per annum, and the two inspectors of electrical connections, four hundred (400) dollars each; Item 23, for transportation of employees on repairs to bridges, sewers and streets, two thousand (2,000) dollars; therefore,

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Director of the Department of Public Works be, and he is hereby authorized to employ any unexpended balances in the aforesaid items for car fare, horse hire, automobile hire, purchase of motor vehicles, or in any other manner which in his judgment will secure the most efficient transportation of any of the employees of the Bureau of Highways.

All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith be, and the same are hereby repealed.

APPENDIX No. 197.

Philadelphia, June 6, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize a certain transfer in the annual appropriation to the Mayor and the City Treasurer, for the year 1912, for the purchase of standard scales for the purpose of protecting the public from fraudulent manipulation of

weights and measures," together with sundry communications in relation thereto, respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

John P. Connelly (*Ch'n*), Edw. W. Patton, W. E. Bonnick, John H. Hahn, E. B. Gleason, John H. Baizley, Wm. E. Finley, G. W. Kucker, George D'Autrechy, G. P. Darrow, William J. McCloskey, Robert S. McElroy, Thomas J. Morton, Watson D. Upperman, Louis Hutt, Chas. A. Gillingham.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize a certain transfer in the annual appropriations to the Mayor and the City Treasurer, for the year 1912, for the purchase of standard scales for the purpose of protecting the public from the fraudulent manipulation of weights and measures.

WHEREAS, The prevalence of fraud and dishonest practices by certain dealers in food stuffs and other commodities, in giving short weight or measure, has materially added to the increased cost of living, and as the installation of a standard scale in every household would materially check these abuses;

AND WHEREAS, Families of moderate circumstances are naturally the greatest sufferers in this respect, while the purchase of these scales might prove a hardship for them, even at a nominal cost;

AND WHEREAS, The City could purchase accurate scales for household use in large numbers at very moderate prices with a view of selling them at cost or lending them to families desiring these scales under certain restrictions; therefore,

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the City Controller be, and he is hereby authorized to make the following transfers in the annual appropriations to the De-

partments of City Treasurer and Mayor, for the year 1912, viz.: City Treasurer: From Item 16, for Sinking Fund, etc., five thousand (5,000) dollars (being a portion of an excess appropriation made to this item before the new School Code went into effect, and now rendered unnecessary owing to the fact that the Board of Education has paid in its proportion of the Sinking Fund charges) to the Mayor: To Item 50 (new), for the purchase of scales, at a price not exceeding \$2.75 each, and the Mayor is directed to distribute these scales to the public by sale at cost, by loan, or in any manner deemed best by him.

APPENDIX No. 198.

Philadelphia, June 6, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize certain transfers in the annual appropriations to the various Bureaus in the Departments of Public Safety, Public Works, Public Health and Charities, Supplies, Mayor, Clerks of Councils and City Treasurer, for the year 1912," together with sundry communications pertaining thereto, respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

John P. Connelly (*Ch'n*), Edw. W. Patton, W. E. Bonnick, John H. Hahn, E. B. Gleason, John H. Baizley, Wm. E. Finley, G. W. Kucker, George D'Autrechy, G. P. Darrow, William J. McCloskey, Robert S. McElroy, Thomas J. Morton, Watson D. Upperman, Louis Hutt, Chas. A. Gillingham.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize certain transfers in the annual appropriations to the various Bureaus in the Departments of Public Safety, Public Works, Public Health and Charities, Supplies, Mayor, Clerks of Councils and City Treasurer, for the year 1912.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the City Controller be, and he is hereby authorized to make the following transfers in the annual appropriations to the various Bureaus in the Departments of Public Safety, Public Works, Public Health and Charities, Supplies, Mayor, Clerks of Councils and City Treasurer, for the year 1912, viz.: Department of Public Safety (Electrical Bureau): From Item 10, for laying underground conduits, etc., four thousand eight hundred (4,800) dollars; City Treasurer: From Item 16, for Sinking Fund, etc. (being a portion of an excess appropriation made to this item before the new School Code went into effect, and now rendered unnecessary owing to the fact that the Board of Education has paid in its proportion of the Sinking Fund charges), eighty thousand three hundred and seventy-six (80,376) dollars and nine (9) cents, to the following: Department of Public Safety (Bureau of Police): To Item 24, for purchase of motor cycles, etc., two thousand five hundred (2,500) dollars; (Electrical Bureau): To Item 2, for repairs, etc., four thousand eight hundred (4,800) dollars; to Item 23 (new), to pay Philadelphia Electric Company for installing electric light service in the new Convention Hall, Broad street and Allegheny avenue, and for furnishing the necessary incandescent bulbs for lighting Hall, five thousand four hundred (5,400) dollars; to pay for electric current for lighting Convention Hall, one thousand six hundred (1,600) dollars: total, seven thousand (7,000) dollars. Department of Public Works (Bureau of Highways): To Item 76 (new), for repairing wood block pavement, five thousand (5,000) dollars; (Bureau of Water): To Item 14, for wages, etc., thirty-three thousand (33,000) dollars; and

the Director of the Department of Public Works is hereby authorized to draw, and the City Controller to counter-sign, a warrant in favor of the City Treasurer for such amount as he may have advanced to pay wages chargeable to this item. Supplies (Mayor): To Item 1½ (new), for the purchase of the necessary fire extinguishers and other supplies for the equipment and maintenance of the new temporary Convention Hall, located at the northeast corner of Broad street and Allegheny avenue, two thousand (2,000) dollars. Mayor: To Item 10, for Free Library, etc., for maintenance, etc., of Southwark Branch, two thousand five hundred (2,500) dollars; to Item 11, for Commercial Museums, etc., for overhead water system, labor, etc., five thousand (5,000) dollars; to Item 49 (new), for incidental expenses connected with the Sængerfest, ten thousand (10,000) dollars. Clerks of Councils: To Item 2, for printing of Journals, etc., to pay bill of the Dunlap Printing Company for printing the first volume of the Journal and Appendix of Common Council and 112 pages of approved ordinances, four thousand three hundred and seventy-six (4,376) dollars and nine (9) cents; to Item 14 (new), to entertain delegates to the Congress of German Physicians and Surgeons, to be held in September, five thousand (5,000) dollars; and for prizes and other expenses incident to the public horse carnival and exhibition to be held in Fairmount Park, in June, under the auspices of the Road Drivers' Association of Pennsylvania, four thousand (4,000) dollars; total, nine thousand (9,000) dollars; said amounts to be expended under the supervision of the Committee on Finance.

APPENDIX No. 199.

Philadelphia, June 6, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize

certain transfers in the annual appropriations to the Departments of Public Health and Charities and City Treasurer, for the year 1912," together with sundry communications in relation thereto, respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

John P. Connelly (*Ch'n*), Edw. W. Patton, W. E. Bonnick, John H. Hahn, E. B. Gleason, John H. Baizley, Wm. E. Finley, G. W. Knicker, George D'Autrechy, G. P. Darrow, William J. McCloskey, Robert S. McElroy, Thomas J. Morton, Watson D. Upperman, Louis Hutt, Chas. A. Gillingham.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize certain transfers in the annual appropriations to the Departments of City Treasurer and Public Health and Charities, for the year 1912.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain.* That the City Controller be, and he is hereby authorized to make the following transfers in the annual appropriations to the Departments of City Treasurer and Public Health and Charities, for the year 1912, viz.: City Treasurer: From Item 16, for Sinking Fund, etc., five thousand (5,000) dollars (being a portion of an excess appropriation made to this item before the new School Code went into effect, and now rendered unnecessary owing to the fact that the Board of Education has paid in its proportion of the Sinking Fund charges). To the Department of Public Health and Charities (Director's Office): To Item 13 (new), for the City's proportion of the cost of the Baby Saving Show; and the Director of the said Department is hereby authorized to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant to the order of E. T. Stotesbury, Treasurer, for that amount.

APPENDIX No. 200.

Philadelphia, June 6, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred a bill entitled “An Ordinance authorizing the Director of the Department of Public Works to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, warrant in favor of A. K. Smith in the sum of one thousand seven hundred and forty-three (1,743) dollars and fifteen (15) cents for cleaning filters at Torresdale Station,” together with sundry communications in relation thereto, respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

John P. Connelly (*Ch’n*), Edw. W. Patton, W. E. Bonnick, John H. Hahn, E. B. Gleason, John H. Baizley, Wm. E. Finley, G. W. Kucker, George D’Autrechy, G. P. Darrow, William J. McCloskey, Robert S. McElroy, Thomas J. Morton, Watson D. Upperman, Louis Hutt.

AN ORDINANCE

Authorizing the Director of the Department of Public Works to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, warrant in favor of A. K. Smith in the sum of one thousand seven hundred and forty-three (1,743) dollars and fifteen (15) cents for cleaning filters at Torresdale Station.

WHEREAS, Due to the extreme turbidity of the Delaware river water previous to February 28th, the filters at Torresdale were required to remove hundreds of tons of mud from the water, and consequently they became clogged, and it was essential, in order to maintain the supply of two hundred million gallons or more per day, to clean and remove the dirty sand at once, and to do so

it was necessary to largely increase the number of workmen and to work twenty-four hours per day. The force was not sufficient to do this, and while new appointments were made each day from the Civil Service list the Bureau of Water was unable, due to the disinclination of the men appointed to do the work required of them, to maintain a sufficient number to man the night shift. The Bureau of Water, therefore, as an emergency measure, arranged with Mr. A. K. Smith to clean filters at night until such times as the Bureau could obtain the requisite force of reliable men to do the work. This has been done, the emergency work did not cost more than if the regular employees of the Bureau had done it, and payment is due Mr. Smith for services rendered; therefore,

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain.* That the Director of the Department of Public Works is hereby authorized and directed to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, warrant in favor of A. K. Smith in the sum of one thousand seven hundred and forty-three (1,743) dollars and fifteen (15) cents, the same to be paid from Item 14 (Bureau of Water).

APPENDIX No. 201.

Philadelphia, June 6, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred a bill entitled “An Ordinance authorizing and empowering the Director of the Department of Wharves, Docks and Ferries to adjust the claim of the Italia Societa di Navigazione a’Vapore, Hartfield, Solari & Company, General Agents, by temporary and partial abatement of rent,” together with a communication in

relation thereto, respectfully report that they have carefully considered this matter, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and request its passage.

John P. Connelly (*Ch'n*), Edw. W. Patton, W. E. Bonnick, John H. Hahn, E. B. Gleason, John H. Baizley, Wm. E. Finley, G. W. Kucker, George D'Autrechy, G. P. Darrow, William J. McCloskey, Robert S. McElroy, Thomas J. Morton, Watson D. Upperman, Louis Hutt, Chas. A. Gillingham.

AN ORDINANCE

Authorizing and empowering the Director of the Department of Wharves, Docks and Ferries to adjust the claim of the Italia Societa di Navigazione a'Vapore, Hartfield, Solari & Company, General Agents, by temporary and partial abatement of rent.

WHEREAS, The Department of Wharves, Docks and Ferries, under date of the seventeenth day of July, A. D. 1911, leased to the Italia Societa di Navigazione a'Vapore, through their General Agents, Hartfield, Solari & Company, a corporation of the State of Delaware, the south side of Municipal Pier No. 19, North Wharves (Vine Street), Delaware river, for the term of one year, to date from the first day of November, A. D. 1911, together with appurtenances, with the distinct understanding that the pier would be in complete working order by the first day of December, A. D. 1911;

AND WHEREAS, Owing to the delay in the delivery and installation of the electrical supplies, the electric freight elevators were incapable of operation prior to April 1, 1912;

AND WHEREAS, Owing to the lack of elevator accommodations, the Italia Societa di Navigazione a'Vapore, through their General Agents, Hartfield, Solari & Company, were put to extra expense in handling the cargo of the Steamship "Ancona" on her arrival at this port,

March 15, 1912, and for which they have made a claim of one thousand and forty-five (1,045) dollars; therefore,

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Director of the Department of Wharves, Docks and Ferries be authorized and empowered to make such settlement of the claim of the Italia Societa di Navigazione a'Vapore, Hartfield, Solari & Company, General Agents, as he may deem proper, in the shape of a temporary and partial abatement of rent, which shall not exceed one thousand (1,000) dollars.

APPENDIX No. 202.

Philadelphia, June 6, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred a bill entitled “An Ordinance authorizing and directing settlement of the claim of the Filbert Paving and Construction Company against the City for the annulment of the contract for a bulkhead on the Schuylkill river in front of Bartram Park, by payment to said company of the sum of ten thousand (10,000) dollars; and authorizing a certain transfer from the City Treasurer to the Department of Wharves, Docks and Ferries for payment of the same,” together with sundry communications in relation thereto, respectfully report that they have carefully considered this matter, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and request its passage.

John P. Connelly (*Ch'n*). Edw. W. Patton, W. E. Bonnick, John H. Hahn, E. B. Gleason, John H. Baizley, Wm. E. Finley, G. W. Kucker, George D'Autrechy, G. P. Darrow, William J. McCloskey, Robert S. McElroy, Thomas J. Morton, Watson D. Upperman, Louis Hutt, Chas. A. Gillingham.

AN ORDINANCE

Authorizing and directing the settlement of the claim of the Filbert Paving and Construction Company against the City for the annulment of the contract for a bulkhead on the Schuylkill river in front of Bartram Park, by payment to said company of the sum of ten thousand (10,000) dollars; and authorizing a certain transfer in the annual appropriation to the City Treasurer and Department of Wharves, Docks and Ferries, for the year 1912.

WHEREAS, A contract between the City of Philadelphia (Department of Wharves, Docks and Ferries) and the Filbert Paving and Construction Company for the construction of a bulkhead on the Schuylkill river in front of Bartram Park was executed on December 1, 1911, the amount of said contract to be one hundred and forty-one thousand five hundred (141,500) dollars;

AND WHEREAS, It being deemed premature and unwise by the Mayor and Director of the Department of Wharves, Docks and Ferries to proceed with the performance of the said contract at this time, said contract was annulled by the Mayor, in consultation with the said Director, on December 14, 1911;

AND WHEREAS, The damages to the Filbert Paving and Construction Company arising out of the annulment of said contract as aforesaid have been fixed by agreement between the said company and the Mayor at the sum of ten thousand (10,000) dollars; therefore,

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the claim and controversy between said Filbert Paving and Construction Company and the City of Philadelphia so arising be, and the same is hereby authorized and directed to be settled and adjusted by the payment to the said Filbert Paving and Construction Company of the said sum of ten thousand (10,000) dollars.

SECT. 2. For the purpose of settling and adjusting the said claim, the City Controller is hereby authorized and

directed to transfer from Item 16, for Sinking Fund charges, etc., in the annual appropriation to the City Treasurer, for the year 1912, the sum of ten thousand (10,000) dollars (being a portion of an excess appropriation made to this item before the new School Code went into effect, and now rendered unnecessary owing to the fact that the Board of Education has paid in its proportion of the Sinking Fund charges), to the Department of Wharves, Docks and Ferries, to Item 31 (new), and the Director of the said Department is hereby directed to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, and the City Treasurer to pay, a warrant for said amount in favor of the Filbert Paving and Construction Company in satisfaction of said claim.

APPENDIX No. 203.

Philadelphia, June 6, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred a message from the Mayor with bill entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the Mayor to abrogate the contract between the City of Philadelphia and the Sax & Abbott Construction Company, dated December 22, 1911, for the erection of a Home for the Feeble Minded in the Forty-first Ward, and authorizing a certain transfer in the annual appropriations to the Mayor and the City Treasurer, for the year 1912, to carry same into effect," together with sundry communications in relation thereto, respectfully report that they have carefully considered this matter, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and request its passage. The Committee, however, desires to place itself on record as fearful of the risk of incurring an expense of many thousands of dollars in making the change recommended, and further, through the delay, of the possible loss of the State appropriation

of two hundred thousand (200,000) dollars, which was made upon the condition that the City first expend the same amount.

John P. Connelly (*Ch'n*), Edw W. Patton (for report), Thomas J. Morton, W. E. Bonnick, John H. Hahn, E. B. Gleason, John H. Baizley, Wm. E. Finley, G. W. Kucker (for report only), George D'Autrechy, G. P. Darrow, William J. McCloskey, Robert S. McElroy, Watson D. Upperman, Louis Hutt, Chas. A. Gillingham (for report only).

AN ORDINANCE

Authorizing the Mayor to abrogate the contract between the City of Philadelphia and the Sax & Abbott Construction Company, dated December 22, 1911, for the erection of a Home for the Feeble Minded in the Forty-first Ward, and authorizing a certain transfer in the annual appropriations to the Mayor and the City Treasurer, for the year 1912, to accomplish the same.

WHEREAS, The City of Philadelphia has entered into a contract for the construction of a Home for the Feeble Minded on the tract of ground known as the Brown Farm, adjoining the Torresdale Filters, with the Sax & Abbott Construction Company;

AND WHEREAS, The said contractor has agreed to accept the sum of ten thousand (10,000) dollars as compensation for the abrogation of said contract; therefore,

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Mayor be, and he is hereby authorized to agree, on behalf of the City of Philadelphia, that the said contract for the construction of a Home for the Feeble Minded on the tract known as the Brown Farm, adjoining the Torresdale Filters, in the Forty-first Ward, shall be abrogated and annulled, the said City of Philadelphia paying to said contractor the sum of ten thousand (10,000) dollars as compensation for the abrogation of said contract.

SECT. 2. The City Controller be, and he is hereby authorized and directed to make the following transfer in the annual appropriations to the City Treasurer and the Mayor, for the year 1912, viz.: City Treasurer, From Item 16, for Sinking Fund, etc., ten thousand (10,000) dollars (being a portion of an excess appropriation made to this item before the new school code went into effect, and now rendered unnecessary, owing to the fact that the Board of Education has paid in its proportion of the Sinking Fund charges), to the Mayor: To Item 5 (new), to pay the Sax & Abbott Company the amount agreed upon for the abrogation of said contract; and the Mayor is hereby authorized to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant for said amount in favor of the said firm for the purposes aforesaid.

APPENDIX No. 204.

Philadelphia, June 6, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Police and Fire, to which was referred the bill entitled "An Ordinance relating to minors working in the streets and public places in Philadelphia," respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

W. A. Miller (*Ch'n*), John S. McQuade, W. E. Bonnick, James Ward, Richard A. Cooper, Albert DePfontain, Rudolph Ruedinger, John G. Voigt, Jr., Robert Lombardi, Simon Walter, Frank Hardart, Richard Weglein, Wm. Boal, G. W. Kucker, Geo. B. Davis, Henry R. Shoch.

AN ORDINANCE

Relating to minors working in the streets and public places in Philadelphia.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain,* That no boy under ten (10) years of age, and no girl under sixteen (16) years of age, shall at any time distribute, sell, expose or offer for sale any newspapers, magazines, periodicals or any other articles or merchandise of any description, or exercise the trade of bootblack or work at any other trade or occupation in any street or public place in this City.

SECT. 2. No boy under sixteen (16) years of age shall work at any of the occupations mentioned in Section 1 in any street or public place in this City after the hour of eight o'clock in the evening nor before five o'clock in the morning, nor during the hours when the school which such boy attends is in session.

SECT. 3. Any minor who violates any of the provisions of this ordinance shall be warned by the officers whose duty it is to enforce the provisions of this ordinance and the parents or guardian notified. In case of a second violation such minor may be arrested and dealt with as a delinquent. Any parent or other person having any minor under his or her control who permits such minor to violate any of the provisions of this ordinance, or any person or corporation who employs such minor contrary to the provisions of this ordinance, or who knowingly procures or encourages any child to violate any of the provisions of this ordinance, shall, upon conviction, be punished by a fine of not less than five (5) dollars or more than fifty (50) dollars for each offence.

SECT. 4. The Director of Public Safety shall detail at least two (2) police officers whose duty it shall be to supervise the enforcement of the provisions of this ordinance. It shall also be the duty of all regular police officers to enforce the provisions of this ordinance.

SECT. 5. This ordinance shall take effect upon its passage.

APPENDIX No. 205.

Philadelphia, June 6, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Health and Charities, to which was referred a message from the Mayor enclosing a bill entitled “An Ordinance declaring it to be a nuisance and making it unlawful to keep hogs or swine in the City of Philadelphia, except within certain limits; or in any part thereof, excepting in a sanitary manner; and providing penalties for the violation of this ordinance.” respectfully report that they have carefully considered and amended the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

W. W. Trinkle (*Ch'u*), Henry J. Klos, Thomas J. Ryan, John J. Harrigan, Isaac Deutsch, John H. Stuebing, E. B. Gleason, R. D. Burke, David G. Frankenfield, Richard Weglein, John Bethke, William C. Williams, Frank Hardart, Geo. J. Van Houten, Geo. B. Davis.

AN ORDINANCE

Declaring it to be a nuisance and making it unlawful to keep hogs or swine in the City of Philadelphia, except within certain limits; or in any part thereof, excepting in a sanitary manner; and providing penalties for the violation of this ordinance.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That it is hereby made unlawful and declared to be a nuisance to keep hogs or swine in any part of the City of Philadelphia except within the limits hereinafter described: *Provided*, That this section shall not apply to hogs or swine kept at any licensed slaughter-house for a period not exceeding five (5) days, for the purpose of being killed for use as food. The limits within which hogs or swine may lawfully be

kept in accordance with the provisions of this section shall be as follows:

1. In that portion of the City between Penrose avenue and Thirty-first street, north on Thirty-first street to Maiden lane and on Maiden lane west to the Schuylkill river.
2. In that portion of the City between the Delaware river and a line running from the Back Channel along the east house line of Eighth street north to the south house line of Packer street; thence east along the south house line of Packer street to Fifth street, north on Fifth street to Johnston street, along Johnston street east to Stampers lane, from Stampers lane to Oregon avenue, and from Oregon avenue to the Delaware river.
3. Between the City line at the southern boundary of the City and a line beginning at the intersection of Darby creek and the south house line of Eighty-seventh street; thence along the south house line of Eighty-seventh street to Church creek; thence along Church creek to the south house line of Eighty-first street; thence along the south house line of Eighty-first street to the east house line of Ashwood avenue; thence along the east house line of Ashwood avenue to the south side of Jones lane; thence along the south side of Jones lane to the east line of Laycock avenue; thence along the east line of Laycock avenue to the south line of Powers lane; thence along the south line of Powers lane to the right-of-way of the Chester Branch of the Philadelphia and Reading Railroad; thence along said right-of-way to the south side of Sixty-seventh street; thence east along the south side of Sixty-seventh street to the west side of the Schuylkill river.
4. Within the limits of the City east of Bath street, south of Bristol street and north of Pacific street, in the Forty-fifth Ward.
5. Within the limits of the Twenty-first, Twenty-second, Thirty-fifth, Forty-first and Forty-second Wards: *Provided*, That in no part of any of the above described territory shall hogs or swine be kept within half a mile of any church, school house or hospital.

SECT. 2. It is hereby made unlawful and declared to be a nuisance to keep hogs or swine in any part of the City of Philadelphia excepting in a sanitary manner and so as not to be prejudicial to the health of the community.

SECT. 3. Any person violating any of the provisions of this ordinance, or committing a nuisance as herein defined, shall be liable to a penalty of twenty-five (25) dollars for each offence, and to an additional penalty of five (5) dollars for each day during which such violation or the continuation of such nuisance may be persisted in after not less than ten (10) days' written notice from the Board of Health to abate the same, to be recovered as fines and penalties of like amount are now by law recoverable.

SECT. 4. All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith be, and the same are hereby repealed.

APPENDIX No. 206.

RESOLUTION

Of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit Hamilton J. Farrell to lay a temporary terra cotta drain in Cemetery avenue, from Kingsessing avenue eastward about 105 feet.

Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the Director of the Department of Public Works be requested to permit Hamilton J. Farrell to lay a temporary terra cotta drain in Cemetery avenue, from Kingsessing avenue eastward about 105 feet. The said drain to be laid under the supervision and to the satisfaction of the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Surveys) without expense to the City of Philadelphia, and shall not release the owners of property from paying the regular frontage charges whenever a sewer shall be laid in said street.

APPENDIX No. 207.

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR.

Philadelphia, June 13, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—As directed by the Bullitt Bill, the Bureau of City Property should be under the Department of Public Works. It has for years been attached to the Department of Public Safety.

After careful investigation and consultation with the Director of Public Safety and the Director of Public Works, we have arrived at the conclusion that it would be wise to transfer the Bureau of City Property, with most of its present functions, to the Department of Public Works. This step meets with the approval of both Directors.

I am forwarding to you herewith two ordinances for your consideration. One provides for the transfer of the Bureau and of the major portion of its functions to the Department of Public Works. The other transfers the care and maintenance of police stations and markets to the Bureau of Police.

I trust that they may have your favorable consideration.

Respectfully yours,

RUDOLPH BLANKENBURG,
Mayor.

AN ORDINANCE

To transfer the Bureau of City Property from the control and direction of the Department of Public Safety to the control and direction of the Department of Public Works.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain.* That the Bureau of City

Property, which has heretofore been under the control and direction of the Department of Public Safety, with its powers and duties, except those which pertain to the construction, protection, supervision and repair of police and fire stations and markets, shall, with the passage and approval of this ordinance, be transferred to the control and direction of the Department of Public Works.

SECT. 2 All officers and employees now on duty under the Bureau of City Property, except those employed in the care and supervision of police and fire stations and markets, shall continue in service with the same duties and salaries or wages, unless dismissed for cause or their emoluments and duties changed by future legislation.

• SECT. 3 All items of unexpended appropriations to the Bureau of City Property, except those providing for the care and maintenance of police and fire stations and markets, are hereby transferred to the control and direction of the Department of Public Works. Warrants shall be drawn by the Chief of the Bureau of City Property and approved by the Director of the Department of Public Works.

SECT. 4 All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith be, and the same are hereby repealed.

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AN ORDINANCE

To transfer the employees and unexpended appropriations, for the care and maintenance of police stations and City markets from the Bureau of City Property to the Bureau of Police.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain.* That the employees charged with the care and maintenance of police stations and City markets, heretofore under the control and direction of the Bureau of City Property, be, and the same

are hereby transferred to the control and direction of the Bureau of Police, in the Department of Public Safety.

SECT. 2. All items of unexpended appropriations to the Bureau of City Property, for the care and maintenance of police stations and city markets, are hereby transferred to the Bureau of Police. Warrants for these items shall be drawn by the Superintendent of Police and approved by the Director of the Department of Public Safety.

SECT. 3. All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith be, and the same are hereby repealed.

APPENDIX No. 208.

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR.

Philadelphia, June 13, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The enclosed copy of a letter from Mr. Otto T. Mallery, Secretary of the Board of Recreation, explains itself.

I heartily approve of the acquisition of the playground at Twenty-eighth and Passyunk avenue. The price seems reasonable, and I would urge your Honorable Bodies to appropriate money for its acquisition.

Respectfully yours,

RUDOLPH BLANKENBURG,

Mayor.

BOARD OF RECREATION.

Philadelphia, June 11, 1912.

HON. RUDOLPH BLANKENBURG,

Mayor of the City of Philadelphia.

DEAR SIR:—In reply to your letter of June 10th, the Board of Recreation is anxious that a playground be secured for the City at Twenty-eighth and Passyunk avenue. The matter is now before Common Council. This little piece of ground has been used as though it were public property for many years. It was the desire of the neighborhood, of the Councilmen from that ward and of this Board that it should be conducted as a supervised playground under the Board of Recreation.

Consequently, if you will give us your assistance in bringing this matter properly before Common Council at the next meeting, it would be very much appreciated.

The plot of ground is assessed at \$2,000, and is said by the owner to be worth \$4,000. The owner is particularly anxious to have it used as a playground, as she is interested in this work. Therefore, she is willing, if necessary, to sell to the City at the assessed value of \$2,000, provided that it shall be used as a playground.

Very respectfully yours,

OTTO T. MALLERY,

Secretary.

APPENDIX No. 209.

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR.

Philadelphia, June 13, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—I beg to ask your attention to the accompanying copy of a letter received by me from Wil-

liam Clarke Mason, Esq., Chairman of the recently appointed Vice Commission. I believe that the Commission are right in the feeling that they express that this Commission should be recognized as a part of the Municipal Administration, and that its necessary and moderate expenses should be provided for by an appropriation by your Honorable Bodies. I therefore submit for your consideration a draft of an ordinance formally constituting the Vice Commission and making an appropriation therefor, and I trust that it may have your favorable consideration.

Respectfully yours,

RUDOLPH BLANKENBURG,

Mayor.

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Philadelphia, June 12, 1912.

HON. RUDOLPH BLANKENBURG,

Mayor of the City of Philadelphia.

MY DEAR MR. MAYOR:—The Vice Commission appointed by you has met and organized and outlined a plan for its work. The information available to the Commission through the Department of Public Safety will largely reduce the labor upon that phase of its investigation. In order, however, that the other phases of its work may be properly investigated, and the information furnished to it through the Department of Public Safety verified to the satisfaction of the Commission, it has been decided to secure the services of expert investigators.

The plans of the Commission include not only an investigation concerning the places where vice exists, but the economic and social causes thereof. The collection of satisfactory information will take some little time and will involve some expense.

The Commission therefore asks that its position as a part of your Administration be recognized officially by City Councils, and that an appropriation of five thousand dollars be made to meet the expenses of its work.

I believe that the total amount of this sum will not be needed, although the amount appropriated by City Councils of Chicago for similar work in that city was ten thousand dollars.

In my own opinion, the investigation which is planned will show that our City maintains a higher moral standard than any other municipality of its size in this country. I am also of opinion that our investigation will show that existing evils can be still greatly reduced, and that the moral sentiment in this community, together with the generous co-operation of your Administration, will cause the labors of this Commission to result in great permanent good to our City.

With respect, I am,

Yours sincerely,

(Signed) WM. CLARKE MASON,
Chairman of Vice Commission.

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AN ORDINANCE

Authorizing the creation of a Commission to be known as the "Vice Commission;" providing for the appointment of members of the said Commission; regulating their powers and duties, and to make an appropriation to defray the necessary expenses.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That a Commission be created to be known as the "Vice Commission." This Commission shall be composed of twenty-two members, to be appointed by the Mayor, one member to be selected by the Mayor to act as Chairman.

SECT. 2. The duties of the Commission are to make a thorough and exhaustive investigation of the conditions of the City with reference to the social evil, and to furnish, from time to time, written reports of their findings to the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Pub-

lic Safety, and to make such suggestions for the correction and suppression of vice as they may deem wise and proper.

SECT. 3. The Director of the Department of Public Safety shall co-operate with and tender such assistance to the Commission as in his judgment may be required.

SECT. 4. There is hereby appropriated to the Department of Public Safety (Director's Office), to Item , five thousand (5,000) dollars to defray the necessary expenses of the Vice Commission, for the year 1912.

APPENDIX No. 210.

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR.

Philadelphia, June 13, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—I enclose copy of letter received from Morris L. Cooke, Director of the Department of Public Works; and also an ordinance with reference to the construction of a sewer in Romain street, from Frankford creek to Deal street, and in Deal street from Kensington avenue to 577 feet northwest of Romain street, in the Twenty-third Ward.

I bespeak for this ordinance your favorable consideration.

Respectfully yours,

RUDOLPH BLANKENBURG,

Mayor.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

Philadelphia, June 6, 1912.

HON. RUDOLPH BLANKENBURG,

Mayor of the City of Philadelphia.

MY DEAR SIR:—On March 4th you forwarded me a communication in relation to a letter you had received,

written in German, from Mrs. Veronica Schneiderer, 1518 Deal street, which was signed by twenty-four owners of small properties in that street. This matter has been gone into from every phase at our command, and to afford the relief which is asked by these petitioners it will be necessary to first construct a sewer in Deal street, as well as one in Romaine street from Deal street through private property to the Frankford creek. Chief Engineer Webster recommends that Councils authorize the construction of this sewer with the proviso empowering the City to enter upon private property and the Mayor to enter a bond of indemnity for the payment of any damages which might be suffered by reason of its construction.

I think that under all the conditions it is advisable that this be done and I am enclosing herewith draft of ordinance which, if you approve, you can transmit to Councils with the request that it be passed.

I am returning herewith the list of signers to the petition.

Yours very sincerely,

(Signed) M. L. COOKE,

Director.

APPENDIX No. 211.

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR.

Philadelphia, June 13, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—I enclose a copy of a letter and also a statement from Charles C. Harrison, Esq., President of the Art Jury. The letter and statement explain themselves.

The Art Jury has been working for over six months without any appropriation whatever for their expenses, and its members feel that the amount asked is very moderate.

The unanimous opinion of the members of the Art Jury, who are giving their time and labors gratis, is that the salary asked for the Executive Secretary is reasonable and that such an Executive Secretary is essential to the success of the work.

Under all circumstances I would ask your favorable consideration of the appropriation asked for by them.

Respectfully yours,

RUDOLPH BLANKENBURG,

Mayor.

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ART JURY.

Philadelphia, June 13, 1912.

HON. RUDOLPH BLANKENBURG,

Mayor of the City of Philadelphia.

DEAR SIR:—The Art Jury of Philadelphia begs to inform you that up to this time no appropriation has been made by the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia for the necessary expenses of the Art Jury for the year 1912. The total of this appropriation amounts to the sum of \$9,000.

The duties and purposes of the Art Jury have become well known, and from your constant presence at its meetings the Jury feels that it enjoys your growing approval. While the main object of the Art Jury's work is to be helpful in the matter of the design and location of all public and semi-public structures, such as buildings, bridges, parks and plans for public grounds, and in considering the merit of any work of art proposed to become the property of the City, the Jury feels that its suggestions will naturally lead to many economies in the expenditure of public funds. As a matter of fact, during the few months of the existence of the Art Jury it has already effected such economies to several times the amount of the necessary annual appropriation for the conduct of its affairs.

The Art Jury will not lengthen this letter by giving illustrations of the work already accomplished. It wishes to serve the City of Philadelphia in every way in its power, and with a high degree of efficiency in its organization. The intention of the Art Jury is to be helpful, and not critical, and this attitude has already brought before its consideration public and semi-public work far beyond the original expectation of the Act of Assembly which created it.

As an instance of the importance and extent of the public work transacted by the Art Jury, I beg to enclose the business submitted to it at a single meeting.

On behalf of the Art Jury,

Very respectfully yours,

(Signed) CHAS. C. HARRISON.

President.

Suggested proceedings for the Twelfth Meeting of the Art Jury:

Reading of minutes of previous meeting, unless waived, the minutes having been sent to all members of the Jury.

Submission No. 7.—Report of Committee on Submission No. 7, covering the revised design for the Pennsylvania Railroad bridge across North Broad street at the North Philadelphia Station.

Committee: Mr. Breckenridge, Chairman, Messrs. Cret, Miller, Price and Webster.

Submitted by Director Cooke of the Department of Public Works.

Action on report.

Submission No. 31.—Report of Committee on Submission No. 31, covering the design of the Pennsylvania Railroad bridge over the Schuylkill.

Committee: Mr. Breckenridge, Chairman, Messrs. Cret, Miller, Price and Webster.

Submitted by the Commissioners of Fairmount Park.

Action on report.

Submission No. 32.—Report of Committee on Submission No. 32, covering the design of the Pennsylvania Railroad bridge across Girard avenue, west of the Schuylkill.

Committee: Mr. Breckenridge, Chairman, Messrs. Cret, Miller, Price and Webster.

Submitted by Director Cooke of the Department of Public Works.

Action on report.

Submissions Nos. 17-A and 21 to 28.—Report of Committee on Submissions Nos. 17-A and 21 to 28, inclusive, covering designs for overhead signs.

Committee: Eli Kirk Price, Chairman, Messrs. Stotesbury and Grafty.

Submitted by Chief Pike of the Electrical Bureau.

Action on report.

Submission No. 18.—Report of Committee on Submission No. 18, covering the design of a fountain in the form of a mask, proposed to be given to the City by Mrs. Lucy Pancoast Smith.

Committee: E. T. Stotesbury, Chairman, and Mr. Price.

Action on report.

Submission No. 19.—Report of Committee on Submission No. 19, covering the design for a pedestal for the Columbus statue.

Committee: Mr. Grafty, Chairman, Messrs. Cret and Stotesbury.

Submitted by the Commissioners of Fairmount Park.

Action on report.

Submission No. 20.—Report of Committee on Submission No. 20, covering the design for a memorial fountain to Dr. Harriet S. French.

Committee: Mr. Grafty, Chairman, Messrs. Cret and Stotesbury.

Submitted by the Commissioners of Fairmount Park.

Action on report.

Submission No. 29.—Report of Committee on Submission No. 29, covering the plans for a second-story addition to the Pennsylvania Barge Club.

Committee: Mr. Miller, Chairman, Messrs. Cret and Breckenridge.

Submitted by the Commissioners of Fairmount Park.
Action on report.

Submission No. 30.—Report of Committee on Submission No. 30, covering the design of an automobile danger sign at crossings.

Committee: Mr. Breckenridge, Chairman, Messrs. Miller and Cret.

Submitted by Director Porter, Department of Public Safety.

Action on report.

Submission No. 34.—Report of Committee on Submission No. 34, consisting of a model for a monument to Francis Daniel Pastorius.

Committee: Mr. Miller, Chairman, Messrs. Grafty and Cret.

Submitted by the National German-American Alliance.
Action on report.

Communications.—Communication from Mr. Milligan, Chief Clerk of Select Council, concerning portrait busts of financiers to be placed in Conversation Hall, fourth floor, City Hall.

Communication from Mr. Edward Biddle, concerning shelters for switchmen of the Philadelphia Rapid Transit Company.

APPENDIX No. 212.

Philadelphia, June 13, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred a bill entitled "An Ordinance authorizing

the Director of the Department of Public Works to employ expert landscape architects to advise with the Department in the preparation of plans and specifications for the completion of the improvement of the Plaza, South Broad street and League Island Park, to provide for the supervision of carrying out the same, and to provide for the payment of the said experts," together with a communication pertaining thereto, respectfully report that they have carefully considered this matter, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and request its passage.

Jno. P. Connelly (*Ch'n*), John F. Flaherty, G. W. Kucker, George D'Autrechy, John H. Baizley, H. J. Trainer, Edw. W. Patton, Watson D. Upperman, G. P. Darrow, John H. Hahn, Louis Hutt, Wm. E. Finley, Chas. Seger, E. B. Gleason.

AN ORDINANCE

Authorizing the Director of the Department of Public Works to employ expert landscape architects to advise with the Department in the preparation of plans and specifications for the completion of the improvement of the Plaza, South Broad street and League Island Park, to provide for the supervision of the carrying out of the same, and to provide for the payment of the said experts.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Director of the Department of Public Works be authorized to employ expert landscape architects to advise with the Department in the preparation of plans and specifications for the completion of the improvement of the Plaza, South Broad street and League Island Park. Upon the approval of the said plans and specifications, the Director is further authorized to employ the said expert landscape architects to supervise the carrying out of the said improvements under his direction.

SECT. 2. The compensation of the said expert landscape architects for the services herein provided for shall be paid from such sums as are now available, or may hereafter be appropriated, for the carrying on of said improvements.

APPENDIX No. 213.

Philadelphia, June 13, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred a bill entitled “An Ordinance to authorize and direct the Director of the Department of Public Safety to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant to pay the Millard Construction Company twenty-six thousand two hundred and forty-two (26,242) dollars and seventy-seven (77) cents as final settlement for work done by said company on the Fairhill High Pressure Fire Service contract,” together with a communication in relation thereto, respectfully report that they have carefully considered this matter, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and request its passage.

Jno. P. Connelly (*Ch’n*), John F. Flaherty, G. W. Kucker, George D’Autrechy, John H. Baizley, H. J. Trainer, Edw. W. Patton, Watson D. Upperman, G. P. Darrow, John H. Hahn, Louis Hutt, Wm. E. Finley, Chas. Seger, E. B. Gleason.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

Philadelphia, June 5, 1912.

JOHN P. CONNELLY, ESQ.,

Chairman, Committee on Finance.

MY DEAR MR. CONNELLY:—I am sending you herewith for introduction in Councils to-morrow an ordinance

authorizing the payment to the Millard Construction Company of \$4,316.95 for work done and material furnished under the contract for Queen Lane Filters No. 154, Bureau of Water. Also, ordinance to pay the Millard Construction Company \$26,242.77 for work done on the Fairhill High Pressure Fire Service contract.

I am sending these two ordinances to you at the suggestion of Senator McNichol, who requests that you introduce them. I have talked these matters over with His Honor, the Mayor, and Director Porter, under whose Department the High Pressure work is being done, and you are authorized to state that the ordinances have their approval as well as mine. In case the question should be raised, the Millard Construction Company and its successor, the Keystone State Construction Company, have agreed to the abrogation of the contract, so that we can readvertise and proceed with the completion of both projects at once.

I am also sending you herewith a transfer ordinance in which we ask to have \$150,000 taken from the item for repairs to asphalt streets, and transferred so it can be made available for repairs to country and macadam roads; with it I send a letter of explanation from the Chief of the Bureau of Highways.

I realize this is a fairly radical step which I have not had the pleasure of discussing with you, but I am convinced from an inspection of the suburban thoroughfares that something of this kind will have to be done if we are to avoid severe and reasonable criticism.

Thanking you for your interest in these several matters, I am

Yours very sincerely,

M. L. COOKE,

Director.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize and direct the Director of the Department of Public Safety to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant to pay the Millard Construction Company twenty-six thousand two hundred and forty-two (26,242) dollars and seventy-seven (77) cents as final settlement for work done by said company on the Fairhill High Pressure Fire Service contract.

WHEREAS. In making up the estimate of work done by the Millard Construction Company at the time the former statement was presented to City Councils, upon which information payment was made to the above firm by ordinance of Councils approved November 28, 1911, certain material in transit which was later delivered on ground as well as other work already performed was omitted, and since the said statement was made the work as a whole has been carefully measured and calculated and the results show that the above firm is entitled to the sum stated for work actually performed and materials delivered and for which payment has not been made them. The above sum also includes three thousand and seventy (3,070) dollars and ninety-two (92) cents for watchmen, oil and lanterns furnished by the above company upon the authority of the Director of the Department of Public Safety in safe-guarding the public from accidents due to open trenches and pipe being distributed along the streets, from the time work was suspended (November 14, 1911, to January 19, 1912), after which time the work was performed by the Bureau of Water; also the sum of three thousand six hundred and sixty-two (3,662) dollars and forty-four (44) cents for emergency work in connecting the mill section service with the Race street Pumping Station, which it was essential to have done, and the said company realizing the extreme necessity for the work, performed such service under direct instructions from the Director of the Department of Public Safety;

AND WHEREAS. The said Millard Construction Company is ready to abrogate and annul all contracts in con-

nection with said work upon the payment of said amount; therefore,

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain.* That the Director of the Department of Public Safety be authorized and directed to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of the Millard Construction Company in the sum of twenty-six thousand two hundred and forty-two (26,242) dollars and seventy-seven (77) cents as a final settlement for work done by said company on the Fairhill High Pressure Fire Service contract, payment to be made from 1912 Item 14-D (loan), Department of Public Safety (Bureau of Fire).

APPENDIX No. 214.

Philadelphia, June 13, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize and direct the Director of the Department of Public Works to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of the Millard Construction Company for four thousand three hundred and sixteen (4,316) dollars and ninety-five (95) cents, for work done and material furnished under Contract No. 154, Queen Lane Filters," together with a communication in relation thereto, respectfully report that they have carefully considered this matter, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Jno. P. Connelly (*Ch'n*), John F. Flaherty, G. W. Kucker, George D'Autrechy, John H. Baizley, H. J. Trainer, Edw. W. Patton, Watson D. Upperman, G. P. Darrow, John H. Hahn, Louis Hutt, Wm. E. Finley, Chas. Seger, E. B. Gleason.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize and direct the Director of the Department of Public Works to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of the Millard Construction Company for four thousand three hundred and sixteen (4,316) dollars and ninety-five (95) cents for work done and material furnished under Contract No. 154, Queen Lane Filters.

WHEREAS, In preparing the statement to City Councils upon which information payment was made the above firm by ordinance of Councils dated November 28, 1911, certain work done and materials furnished were omitted, and since the said statement was prepared the entire work has been carefully calculated and measured, and the final figures show that the Millard Construction Company is entitled to the sum noted for work actually performed and for materials furnished and for which payment has not been made them;

AND WHEREAS, The said Millard Construction Company is ready to abrogate and annul all contracts in connection with said work upon the payment of said amount; therefore,

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Director of the Department of Public Works be authorized and directed to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, a warrant in favor of the Millard Construction Company in the sum of four thousand three hundred and sixteen (4,316) dollars and ninety-five (95) cents as a final settlement for work done and materials furnished under Contract No. 154, Queen Lane Filters, unaccounted for in original estimate, payment to be made from 1912 Item 23-C (loan), Department of Public Works (Bureau of Water).

APPENDIX No. 215.

Philadelphia, June 13, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred a bill entitled “An Ordinance to authorize certain transfers in the annual appropriations to the various Bureaus in the Departments of Public Safety, Public Works, Public Health and Charities, Supplies, City Commissioners, District Attorney, Recorder of Deeds and City Treasurer, for the year 1912,” together with sundry communications in relation thereto, respectfully report that they have carefully considered this matter, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and request its passage.

Jno. P. Connelly (*Ch’n*), John F. Flaherty, G. W. Kueker, George D’Autrechy, John H. Baizley, H. J. Trainer, Edw. W. Patton, Watson D. Upperman, G. P. Darrow, John H. Hahn, Louis Hutt, Wm. E. Finley, Chas. Seger, E. B. Gleason.

AN ORDINANCE

Authorizing certain transfers in the annual appropriations to the various Bureaus in the Departments of Public Safety, Public Works, Public Health and Charities, Supplies, City Commissioners, District Attorney, Recorder of Deeds and City Treasurer, for the year 1912.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the City Controller be, and he is hereby authorized to make the following transfers in the annual appropriations to the various Bureaus in the Departments of Public Safety, Public Works, Public Health and Charities, Supplies, City Commissioners, District Attorney, Recorder of Deeds and City Treasurer, for the year 1912, viz.: Department of Pub-

lie Safety (Bureau of Correction): From Item 11, for rebuilding steel tank, etc., two thousand four hundred and twenty (2,420) dollars. Bureau of Elevator Inspection: From Item 1, for salaries, one hundred and fifty (150) dollars. Department of Public Works (Bureau of Highways): From Item 68, to pay for laying storm water pipe sewer, etc., four hundred (400) dollars. City Treasurer: From Item 16, for sinking fund, etc., one hundred and eighteen thousand five hundred and seventy-eight (118,578) dollars and thirty-five (35) cents (being a portion of the excess appropriation made to this item before the new School Code went into effect, and now rendered unnecessary owing to the fact that the Board of Public Education has paid in its proportion of the Sinking Fund charges), to the following:

Department of Public Safety (Bureau of Correction): To Item 11½ (new), for the rebuilding of a steel tank, two thousand four hundred and twenty (2,420) dollars; to Item 13 (new), for new boilers, seven thousand five hundred (7,500) dollars. Bureau of Elevator Inspection: To Item 2, for stationery, postage, etc., one hundred and fifty (150) dollars. Bureau of City Property: To Item 26½, to pay bills of Chas. T. Groswith for removal of ashes, etc., from City Hall, one thousand and twenty-two (1,022) dollars; for removal of ashes, etc., from public squares, four hundred and eighty-eight (488) dollars, and for removing ice and snow from City Hall court yard and pavements, two hundred and four (204) dollars; total, one thousand seven hundred and fourteen (1,714) dollars.

Department of Public Works (Bureau of Highways): To Item 21½ (new), to pay bill of American Supply Company for installing a filing system and purchase of necessary materials, seven thousand one hundred (7,100) dollars, and to pay bill of Dunlap Printing Company for printing, during 1911, specifications for Bureau of Highways, one thousand five hundred and ninety-four (1,594) dollars and thirty-five (35) cents; total, eight thousand six hundred and ninety-four (8,694) dollars and thirty-five (35) cents; to Item 16, for improving water

courses, ten thousand (10,000) dollars; to Item 20, for wages, etc., four hundred (400) dollars; to Item 42, to macadamize Benner street, from Torresdale avenue to Keystone street; Homestead street, from Tacony street to Milner street; and Craig street, from Rhawn street to Welsh street, five thousand five hundred (5,500) dollars; to Item 62, for maintenance of unpaved roads, etc., fifty thousand (50,000) dollars. (Bureau of Surveys): To Item 42, for the reconstruction of a foot bridge on the line of Blabon street, over the Richmond Branch of Philadelphia and Reading Railway, seven thousand (7,000) dollars.

Department of Public Health and Charities (Bureau of Health): To Item 30, for relief of children, etc., five thousand (5,000) dollars.

Department of Supplies (Department of Public Works, Director's Office): To Item 1½ (new), for installing a filing system and purchase of necessary materials, three thousand one hundred and twenty (3,120) dollars.

City Commissioners: To Item 17, toward defraying funeral expenses of Francis Kink, Elias Henry Davis and Charles Yocum, indigent soldiers, one hundred and fifty (150) dollars; to Item 30, for keep of incurables at Wernersville, ten thousand three hundred (10,300) dollars.

District Attorney: To Item 3, for incidentals and expenses incident to prosecution of cases, etc., five thousand (5,000) dollars.

Recorder of Deeds: To Item 3, for blank books, etc., three thousand (3,000) dollars.

City Treasurer: To Item 2, for postage, meals, etc., one thousand (1,000) dollars; to Item 3, for printing, binding, etc., six hundred (600) dollars.

APPENDIX No. 216.

Philadelphia, June 13, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to authorize and direct the Director of the Department of Public Safety to sell at public sale the lot or piece of ground in the Forty-first Ward of the City of Philadelphia, commonly known as the Brown Farm, subject to the confirmation of Councils,” respectfully report that they have carefully considered said bill, and return the same with a negative recommendation, and ask the passage of the annexed resolution discharging the Committee from the further consideration of the subject.

Jno. P. Connelly (*Ch’n*), Louis Hutt, John H. Hahn, George D’Autrechy, G. W. Kucker, H. J. Trainer, Chas. Seger, E. B. Gleason, William J. McCloskey, W. E. Bonnick, Robert S. McElroy, Thomas J. Morton, Watson D. Upperman, John H. Baizley, Chas. A. Gillingham.

RESOLUTION

Discharging the Committee on Finance from the further consideration of bill entitled “An Ordinance to authorize and direct the Director of the Department of Public Safety to sell at public sale the lot or piece of ground in the Forty-first Ward of the City of Philadelphia, subject to the confirmation of Councils.”

Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the Committee on Finance be, and is hereby discharged from the further consideration of bill entitled “An Ordinance to authorize and direct the Director of the Department of Public Safety to sell at public sale the lot or piece of ground in the Forty-first Ward of the City of Philadelphia known as the Brown Farm, subject to the confirmation of Councils.”

APPENDIX No. 217.

Philadelphia, June 13, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to authorize the grading of certain streets, to be paid for out of the appropriation made from loan approved May 9, 1912,” respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed ordinance and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch’n*), Thomas J. Morton, H. J. Trainer, Chas. Seger, W. A. Miller, Wm. E. Finley, J. E. Lennon, Wm. Boal, Wm. J. Harrington, Clarence S. Eldredge, Chas. A. Gillingham, John W. Whitaker, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., Edw. W. Patton.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the grading of certain streets, to be paid for out of the appropriation made from loan approved May 9, 1912.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Director of the Department of Public Works be authorized and directed to enter into contracts for grading the following streets, with the necessary drains, etc., viz.: A street, from Allegheny avenue to Westmoreland street; Anderson street, from Philellena street to a point two hundred and forty feet southeast; Berks street, from Fifty-fourth to Fifty-seventh street; Cobbs Creek Parkway, from Market to Locust street; Conestoga street, from Media street to Lansdowne avenue; Catharine street, from Sixty-first to Sixty-second street; Courtland street, from York road to the Boulevard; Coral street, from Ontario to Tioga street; Christian street, from Sixty-second street to Cobbs Creek Parkway; Carpenter street, from Sixty-second

street to Cobbs Creek Parkway; Devereaux street, from Dittman to Walker street; Dyre street, from Castor road to Wakeling street; Eightieth street, from Lyons avenue to Dicks avenue; Fifteenth street, from Fishers lane to Ruscomb street; Fifty-ninth street, from Walnut to Spruce street; Fifty-fifth street, from Thomas avenue to the Philadelphia and West Chester Railroad; Fifty-fourth street, from Thomas avenue to Whitby avenue; Federal street, from Sixtieth street to Baltimore avenue; Frazier street, from Hoffman avenue to Thomas avenue; Fourth street, from Bristol to Cayuga street; Forty-ninth street, from Reno to Brown street; Fifty-ninth street, from Vine to Callowhill street; Graham street, from Vine to Callowhill street; Grays avenue, from Sixty-second to Sixty-third street; Haddington street, from Sixty-first to Sixty-second street; Indiana street, from Twenty-third to Twenty-fourth street; Ithan street, from Hoffman avenue to Thomas avenue; Knorr street, from Cottage to Erdrick street; Ludlow street, from Forty-eighth to Forty-ninth street; Magee street, from Torresdale avenue to Cottage street; Montgomery avenue, from Sedgley avenue to a point two hundred feet east; Marvine street, from Wagner avenue to Clarkson avenue; Mentor street, from York road to Thirteenth street; Media street, from Sixty-second to Sixty-third street; Oxford pike, from Leiper street to the Boulevard; Porter street, from Front to Fifth street; Passyunk avenue, from Eighteenth street to Passyunk bridge; Pike street, from Sixteenth to Seventeenth street; Rodney street, from Vernon street to Mt. Pleasant avenue; Ruscomb street, from Fifteenth to Sixteenth street; Shunk street, from Front to Fifth street; Sansom street, from Forty-sixth to Forty-eighth street; Seventeenth street, from Butler to Pike street; Stenton avenue, from Limekiln pike to Ogontz avenue; Stokley street, from Hunting Park avenue to Roberts avenue; Salford street, from Chester avenue to Kingsessing avenue; Tyson street, from Jackson street to Frankford avenue; Twelfth street, from Wingohocking to Loudon street; Vernon road, from Stenton avenue to Cheltenham avenue; Wakeling street, from Castor road to Summer-

dale street; Wakeling street, from Oxford to Large street; Webster street, from Sixty-second street to Cobbs Creek Parkway; Washington avenue, from Sixty-second street to Cobbs Creek Parkway; Wynnefield avenue, from Fifty-fourth to Fifty-seventh street; Wagner avenue, from Eleventh street to Olney avenue; together with the streets authorized to be graded by ordinance approved by the Mayor May 16, 1912. The cost of said grading to be taken from Item 73-E out of the appropriation from loan approved May 9, 1912, to the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Highways).

APPENDIX No. 218.

Philadelphia, June 13, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to authorize the Director, Department of Public Works, to repave certain streets adjacent to hospitals,” beg leave to report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed ordinance and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch’n*), Thomas J. Morton, H. J. Trainer, Chas. Seger, W. A. Miller, Wm. E. Finley, J. E. Lennon, Wm. Boal, Wm. J. Harrington, Clarence S. Eldredge, Chas. A. Gillingham, John W. Whitaker, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., Edw. W. Patton.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the Director of the Department of Public Works to repave certain streets adjacent to hospitals.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Director of

the Department of Public Works be, and he is hereby authorized and directed to repave certain streets adjacent to hospitals, as follows:

Streets occupied by tracks of the Philadelphia Rapid Transit Company, to be repaved with creosoted wood blocks: Woodland avenue, between Forty-eighth street and Pennsylvania Railroad; Fifth street, between Reed and Dickinson streets; Thirteenth street, between Wolf and Ritner streets; Ninth street, between Spruce and Pine streets; Tenth street, between Bainbridge and Catharine streets; Wallace street, between Eighteenth and Nineteenth streets; Seventh street, between Locust street and Washington Square; Lombard street, between Fifteenth and Sixteenth streets; Eleventh street, between Arch and Cherry streets; Huntingdon street, between Front and B streets; Huntindgon street, between Lawrence and Fifth streets; Twenty-second street, between Norris and Diamond streets; Frankford avenue, between Harrison and Wakeling streets; Allegheny avenue, between Aramingo and Cedar streets; Tenth street, between Jefferson and Oxford streets; Fifth street, between Brown street and Fairmount avenue; Catharine street, between Watts and Broad streets.

Streets occupied by tracks of the Philadelphia Rapid Transit Co. to be repaved with creosoted wood blocks, between rails, and creosoted wood blocks or asphalt adjacent to rails: Fifteenth street, between Mifflin and McKean streets; Race street, between Eighteenth and Nineteenth streets; Spruce street, between Eighth and Ninth streets; Eighth street, between Spruce and Pine streets; Lombard street, between Eighteenth and Nineteenth streets; Twenty-second street, between Chancellor and Locust streets; Eighteenth street, between Vine and Summer streets; Spruce street, between Fifth and Sixth streets; Fifteenth street, between Race and Vine streets; Eighteenth street, between Cherry and Race streets; Seventeenth street, between Cherry and Race streets; Franklin street, between Girard avenue and Thompson street; South College avenue, between Corinthian avenue and Twenty-second street; Frankford avenue, between Palmer

and Dyre streets; Seventeenth street, between Summer and Vine streets; Pine street, between Second and Third streets; Thirty-third street, between Race street and Powelton avenue; Vine street, between Eighteenth and Bouvier streets; Spruce street, between Seventh and Eighth streets; Christian street, between Tenth and Delhi streets; Seventeenth street, between Fitzwater and Bainbridge streets; Girard avenue, between Sixteenth and Seventeenth streets.

Streets to be repaved with creosoted wood blocks: Forty-eighth street, between Woodland avenue and Grays Ferry road; Ritner street, between Thirteenth and Broad streets; Hamilton street, between Twentieth and Twenty-first streets; Hamilton street, between Eighteenth and Nineteenth streets; Cherry street, between Eleventh street and Philadelphia and Reading Railway; Mascher street, between Fontaine and Diamond streets; Ridge avenue, between Jamestown avenue and Rector street.

Streets occupied by street railway tracks to be paved with asphalt and with creosoted wood blocks or asphalt adjacent to rails: Grays Ferry road, between Paschall avenue and Forty-eighth street; Thirty-third street, between Lancaster avenue and Arch street; Lehigh avenue, between Front and B streets; Front street, between Huntingdon street and Lehigh avenue; Germantown avenue, between Chestnut Hill and Sunset avenues.

Streets occupied by tracks of Philadelphia Rapid Transit Co. to be repaved with asphalt between the rails and with creosoted wood blocks or asphalt adjacent to rails: Spruce street, between Thirty-fourth street and Woodland avenue; Lancaster avenue, between Thirty-third and Cuthbert streets.

Granite blocks adjacent to rails to be replaced by asphalt or creosoted wood blocks on the following streets occupied by railways: Tenth street, between Sansom and Walnut streets; Sansom street, between Tenth and Eleventh streets; Fifteenth street, between Race and Vine streets.

Streets to be repaved with asphalt: Lawrence street,

between Huntingdon street and Lehigh avenue; Franklin street, between Dyer and Wakeling streets; Fifty-fourth street, between Girard avenue and Thompson street; Thompson street, between Franklin and Eighth streets.

The cost of said repaving to be paid out of appropriate items in the Bureau of Highways, except that the cost of repaving with wood blocks on streets occupied by street railways shall be paid out of Item 56-D in the loan of June 19, 1911, repaving streets with wood blocks.

All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith be, and the same are hereby repealed.

APPENDIX No. 219.

Philadelphia, June 13, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to authorize the repaving with wood block of certain streets, and the work incident thereto,” respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed ordinance and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch’n*), Thomas J. Morton, H. J. Trainer, Chas. Seger, W. A. Miller, Wm. E. Finley, J. E. Lennon, Wm. Boal, Wm. J. Harrington, Clarence S. Eldredge, Chas. A. Gillingham, John W. Whitaker, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., Edw. W. Patton.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the repaving with wood blocks of certain streets, and the work incident thereto.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain.* That the Department of

Public Works be authorized and directed to enter into contracts with competent pavers for repaving the following streets with long leaf Southern yellow pine wood blocks, and doing all the necessary contingent work, viz.: Arch street, from Twenty-first to Twenty-second street; Market street, west side of bridge over the Schuylkill river to Thirty-third street; Locust street, from Thirteenth to Fifteenth street; Thirty-third street, from Woodland avenue to Spruce street; Fourth street, from Market to Chestnut street; Fifth street, from Market to Chestnut street; Sixth street, west side, from Chestnut to Walnut street; Sansom street, from Seventh to Ninth street; Queen street, from Second to Sixth street; Christian street, from Front to Fifth street; Moyamensing avenue, from Mifflin street to Snyder avenue; Carpenter street, from Thirteenth to Broad street; Twenty-third street, from Ranstead to Chestnut street; Spring Garden street, from Fifth to Seventh street; Twenty-first street, from Market to Lombard street; Catharine street, from Front to Eighth street; Alter street, from Twentieth street to a point about one hundred and sixty feet westward, without a curb on the north side of said street; Cypress street, from Seventeenth to Chadwick street; Chadwick street, from Pine to Cypress street. The stones removed from said streets to become the property of the contractors. The conditions of the contracts for the foregoing work shall be that the contractor shall enter into an obligation with the City to keep said streets in good repair for five years after the work is finished. The Director of the Department of Public Works shall advertise for proposals for repaving said streets and award the contracts to the lowest and best bidders. Payment for the work hereby authorized shall be made from Item 56-D (loan) in the appropriation to the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Highways).

All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith be, and the same are hereby repealed.

APPENDIX No. 220.

Philadelphia, June 13, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bills to authorize the opening of certain unopened portions of Almond, Fifty-sixth, Gorgas, Locust, Mifflin and Webster streets, Parkside and Susquehanna avenue, respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch'n*), Thomas J. Morton, H. J. Trainer, Chas. Seger, W. A. Miller, Wm. E. Finley, J. E. Lennon, Wm. Boal, Wm. J. Harrington, Clarence S. Eldredge, Chas. A. Gillingham, John W. Whitaker, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., Edw. W. Patton.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the opening of certain portions of Almond, Fifty-sixth, Gorgas, Locust, Mifflin and Webster streets, Parkside and Susquehanna avenues.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works be authorized and directed to notify the owners of property over and through which the unopened portions of the following streets will pass that at the expiration of three months from the date of said notices said streets will be required for public use, viz.: Almond street, from Lefevre to Orthodox street; Fifty-sixth street, from Springfield avenue to Warrington avenue; northwest side of Gorgas street, from a point thirty-five feet east of Anderson street to a point sixty-five feet west of Anderson street; Locust street, from Forty-seventh to Forty-eighth street; Mifflin street, from Point Breeze avenue to Twenty-fourth street; Webster street, from Sixty-second to Sixty-third street; Parkside ave-

nue (full width), from Monument road to Belmont avenue; Susquehanna avenue, from Bryn Mawr avenue to Fifty-second street: *Provided*, That before the notices shall be issued for opening said Almond street, the owners of at least three-fourths of the property shall dedicate the same to the City or release the City from damages for opening said street: *And provided*, That before the notices shall be issued for opening said Fifty-sixth street, the estate of Thomas Earley shall dedicate so much of the bed of said Fifty-sixth street as they now own.

SECT. 2. The Mayor of the City is hereby authorized and directed to enter security, on behalf of the City of Philadelphia, for the payment of any damages which may be assessed by reason of the opening of said streets; upon the filing of said bonds and at the expiration of the said three months the Director of the Department of Public Works shall forthwith proceed to open said streets.

APPENDIX No. 221.

Philadelphia, June 13, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to amend the ordinance approved June 15, 1911, authorizing the laying of two rows of granite blocks adjacent to railway tracks where streets are authorized to be paved or repaved with asphalt, and to provide for payment therefor,” respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch’n*), Thomas J. Morton, H. J. Trainer, Chas. Seger, W. A. Miller, Wm. E. Finley, J. E. Lennon, Wm. Boal, Wm. J. Harrington, Clarence S. Eldredge, Chas. A. Gillingham, John W. Whitaker, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., Edw. W. Patton.

AN ORDINANCE

To amend the ordinance approved June 13, 1911, authorizing the laying of two rows of granite blocks adjacent to railway tracks where streets are authorized to be paved or repaved with asphalt, and to provide for payment therefor.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the ordinance approved June 15, 1911, to authorize the laying of two rows of granite blocks adjacent to railway tracks where streets are authorized to be paved or repaved with asphalt, is hereby altered and amended to read as follows:

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That wherever and whenever a street occupied by railway tracks is authorized to be newly paved with asphalt, there may be laid adjacent to the rails not more than two rows of blocks of other material, the cost of laying of which may be assessed against the abutting property owners, in addition to the cost of the paving with asphalt, except at intersections or in front of unassessable property, when the cost of laying said blocks adjacent to rails shall be paid for out of the item for paving intersections and in front of unassessable property in the appropriation to the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Highways).

SECT. 2. Whenever a street occupied by railway tracks has heretofore been authorized to be paved or repaved with asphalt, and bids have been received and contract awarded without a specific price being bid for paving with such blocks adjacent to the rails, the Department of Public Works is hereby authorized and directed to measure said blocks as a part of and as contingent work to the asphalt pavement, and to include same in the assessment bills or in the bills to be paid by the City, at the contract price for repaving with asphalt.

All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith be, and the same are hereby repealed.

APPENDIX No. 222.

Philadelphia, June 13, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to permit Valentine H. Smith & Co. to construct a bridge over and a tunnel under Philip street, south of Green street,” respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch’n*), Thomas J. Morton, H. J. Trainer, Chas. Seger, W. A. Miller, Wm. E. Finley, J. E. Lennon, Wm. Boal, Wm. J. Harrington, Clarence S. Eldredge, Chas. A. Gillingham, John W. Whitaker, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., Edw. W. Patton.

AN ORDINANCE

To permit Valentine H. Smith & Co. to construct a bridge over and a tunnel under Philip street, south of Green street.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That permission be, and the same is hereby granted to Valentine H. Smith & Co. to construct a bridge over and across Philip street, south of Green street, to connect their properties on either side of said Philip street. The said bridge shall have a clearance of not less than thirteen feet above the curb height, and be constructed of iron frame, cement floors and copper sheathing. Also, to lay a tunnel under and across said Philip street, south of Green street, the said tunnel not to exceed five feet in width and have a clearance of at least two feet six inches between the top thereof and the street level. The said work to be done under the supervision of the Departments of Public Works and Public Safety, in accordance with plans to

be approved by said Departments, and shall be used exclusively in the conduct of the said business of Valentine H. Smith & Co. Before exercising any privileges under this ordinance, the said Valentine H. Smith & Co. shall first enter into an agreement with a bond in the sum of one thousand (1,000) dollars, satisfactory to the City Solicitor, protecting the City from all damages by reason of the construction and maintenance of said bridge and tunnel, and shall pay into the City Treasury the sum of fifty (50) dollars for the publication of this ordinance. The privilege hereby granted shall be revocable at any time and the bridge removed upon the passage of an ordinance to that effect.

APPENDIX No. 223.

Philadelphia, June 13, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to permit Berg Bros. to construct vaults under the sidewalks in front of their property on the east side of Eleventh street and on the south side of Commerce street,” respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch’n*), Thomas J. Morton, H. J. Trainer, Chas. Seger, W. A. Miller, Wm. E. Finley, J. E. Lennon, Wm. Boal, Wm. J. Harrington, Clarence S. Eldredge, Chas. A. Gillingham, John W. Whitaker, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., Edw. W. Patton.

AN ORDINANCE

To permit Berg Bros. to construct vaults under the sidewalks in front of their property on the east side of Eleventh street and on the south side of Commerce street.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That permission be, and is hereby granted to Berg Bros. to construct vaults in front of their property, under the sidewalks, on the east side of Eleventh street, south of Commerce street, and on the south side of Commerce street, east of Eleventh street. The said vaults to be constructed under the supervision and to the satisfaction of the Department of Public Works, in accordance with plans to be approved by the Board of Highway Supervisors, and shall be so constructed as to leave a duct not less than four feet in width next to the curb line on said Eleventh and Commerce streets, for the installation of such underground structures as the City may see fit to place therein. Before exercising any privilege under this ordinance, the said Berg Bros. shall first enter into an agreement, satisfactory to the City Solicitor, indemnifying the City against all damages by reason of the construction and maintenance of said vaults, and remove the same and restore the sidewalk to its present condition at any time within one year from the passage of an ordinance to that effect, and shall pay into the City Treasury the sum of one hundred (100) dollars for the permit for the construction of said vaults in lieu of all other payments, and fifty (50) dollars for the publication of this ordinance: *Provided*, That the provisions of the ordinance approved March 31, 1902, requiring four feet of covering shall not apply to this ordinance.

All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith be, and the same are hereby repealed.

APPENDIX No. 224.

Philadelphia, June 13, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to permit Drueding Bros. Co. to lay a water main, for fire purposes, on the north side of Master street, from Orkney to Sixth street,” respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch’n*), Thomas J. Morton, H. J. Trainer, Chas. Seger, W. A. Miller, Wm. E. Finley, J. E. Lennon, Wm. Boal, Wm. J. Harrington, Clarence S. Eldredge, Chas. A. Gillingham, John W. Whitaker, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., Edw. W. Patton.

AN ORDINANCE

To permit Drueding Bros. Co. to lay a water main, for fire purposes, on the north side of Master street, from Orkney to Sixth street.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That permission be, and the same is hereby given to Drueding Bros. Co. to lay an eight-inch water main, for fire purposes, on the north side of Master street, from Orkney to Sixth street, to connect their factory building with their new warehouse. The said pipe to be used exclusively for pumping water for fire purposes, and shall be laid under the supervision and to the satisfaction of the Department of Public Works. Before exercising any privilege under this ordinance, the said Drueding Bros. Co. shall first enter into an agreement, satisfactory to the City Solicitor, protecting the City from all damages by reason of the laying and maintenance of said pipe, and to repave and keep in condition so much of the street paving as may be torn up,

and agreeing to remove the said pipe at any time upon the passage of an ordinance to that effect, and shall first pay the sum of fifty (50) dollars into the City Treasury for the publication of this ordinance.

APPENDIX No. 225.

Philadelphia, June 13, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the message from the Mayor, accompanied by an ordinance entitled “An Ordinance to prohibit the erection of steps, railings or balconies beyond the building line of the streets or highways in a certain section of the City, declaring such projections to be a nuisance, and providing a penalty for the erection thereof, and providing for the collection of the cost of removal.” respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch’n*), Thomas J. Morton, H. J. Trainer, Chas. Seger, W. A. Miller, Wm. E. Finley, J. E. Lennon, Wm. Boal, Wm. J. Harrington, Clarence S. Eldredge, Chas. A. Gillingham, John W. Whitaker, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., Edw. W. Patton.

AN ORDINANCE

To prohibit the erection of steps, railings or balconies beyond the building line of the streets or highways in a certain section of the City; declaring such projections to be a nuisance, and providing a penalty for the erection thereof, and providing for the collection of the cost of removal.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain, That from and after the*

passage of this ordinance it shall be unlawful to erect any steps or railing, any portion of which projects beyond the building line, or any balcony which projects beyond the building line, unless the underside of such balcony shall be at least ten (10) feet above the sidewalk, in that section of the City lying between Vine street on the north, and Spruce street on the south, and the Delaware and Schuylkill rivers; these restrictions to apply to both sides of the streets named.

SECT. 2. Any person who shall construct or begin the construction of any steps, railing or balcony in violation of this ordinance shall forfeit and pay to the City of Philadelphia the sum of fifty (50) dollars for each offence, and shall be required to remove said steps, railing or balcony and replace the street in its proper condition.

SECT. 3. If the said person or persons shall neglect or refuse to remove such steps, railing or balcony and replace the street in proper condition, as set forth, within ten (10) days from the date of notice from the Department of Public Works, then and in that case the said Department is hereby authorized and directed to have the said work done and the bill for same presented for payment to the owner or owners in front of whose properties said steps, railing or balcony is constructed, and in the event of said owner or owners refusing to pay said bill within ten (10) days from the date thereof, the contractor who did the work shall be paid out of the item for emergencies in the annual appropriation to the Bureau of Highways, and the bill shall be transmitted to the City Solicitor to collect by lien from the owner or owners against whom the work has been charged. The penalty herein mentioned shall be sued for and recovered in the manner as penalties for violation are by law sued for and recovered.

SECT. 4. All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith be, and the same are hereby repealed.

APPENDIX No. 226.

Philadelphia, June 13, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to authorize the Director, Department of Public Works, to construct a service test roadway on the Byberry and Bensalem turnpike, from Red Lion road to the City line,” respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Robert Smith (*Ch’n*), Thomas J. Morton, H. J. Trainer, Chas. Seeger, W. A. Miller, Wm. E. Finley, J. E. Lennon, Wm. Boal, Wm. J. Harrington, Clarence S. Eldredge, Chas. A. Gillingham, John W. Whitaker, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., Edw. W. Patton, Peter E. Costello.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the Director of the Department of Public Works to construct a service test roadway on the Byberry and Bensalem turnpike, from Red Lion road to City line.

WHEREAS, The materials employed in the construction of improved country roads are continually being improved and the methods of construction being changed;

AND WHEREAS, The only method of properly determining the relative efficiency of these materials is by an actual service test;

AND WHEREAS, The Bensalem pike is an important country road and is in immediate need of repair;

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Director of the Department of Public Works is hereby authorized and directed to construct on the Byberry and Bensalem turn-

pike, from Red Lion road to City line, a roadway of various types of pavement, to constitute a service test of these materials, and he is further authorized to specify and contract for definite and special types of construction for each stretch, including proprietary pavements. The cost of said pavements to be paid out of Item 62 in the appropriation to the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Highways) for repairs to country roads.

All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith be, and the same are hereby repealed.

APPENDIX No. 227.

Philadelphia, June 13, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bill to authorize the opening of the unopened portion of the south side of Chestnut street, from Thirteenth to Juniper street, respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Robt. Smith (*Ch'n*), Chas. Seger, H. J. Trainer, Edw. W. Patton, J. E. Lennon, Wm. Boal, N. L. Jones, John J. McKinley, Wm. J. Harrington, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., John W. Whitaker, Thomas J. Morton, John W. Whitaker, Thomas J. Morton, W. A. Miller, Peter E. Costello.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the opening of the unopened portion of the south side of Chestnut street, from Thirteenth to Juniper street.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of

Public Works be authorized and directed to notify the owners of property over and through which the unopened portion of the south side of Chestnut street, from Thirteenth to Juniper street, will pass that at the expiration of three months from the date of said notice said street will be required for public use.

SECT. 2. The Mayor of the City is hereby authorized and directed to enter security, on behalf of the City of Philadelphia, for the payment of any damages which may be assessed by reason of the opening of said street; upon the filing of said bond and at the expiration of the said three months the Director of the Department of Public Works shall forthwith proceed to open said street.

APPENDIX No. 228.

Philadelphia, June 13, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Surveys, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to authorize the construction of the following main sewers: Adams avenue, Cobbs creek intercepting sewers, Cottman street, Fifty-seventh street, Frankford intercepting sewer extension in Valley street, Gunners Run Relief in Indiana street, Hartwell lane, Lincoln avenue, Rittenhouse street, Rock Run sewer in Fisher avenue, Seventieth street, Shunk street and Wissahickon High Level cut-off in Stokley street,” beg leave to report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed ordinance and ask its passage.

Chas. A. Gillingham (*Ch’n*), H. J. Trainer, Albert DePrefontaine, George H. Kelley, Daniel Cahill, Stacy H. White, W. E. Bonnick, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., W. W. Trinkle, F. J. Cummiskey, J. E. Lennon, Wm. J. Harrington, George D’Autrechy, Henry J. Klos.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the construction of the following main sewers: Adams avenue, Cobbs Creek intercepting sewers, Cottman street, Fifty-seventh street, Frankford intercepting sewer extension in Valley street, Gunners Run Relief in Indiana street, Hartwell lane, Lincoln avenue, Rittenhouse street, Rock Run sewer in Fisher avenue, Seventieth street, Shunk street and Wissahickon High Level cut-off in Stokley street.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Director of the Department of Public Works be, and he is hereby authorized to enter into contracts for the construction of the following main sewers: Adams avenue, from Wyoming avenue, to Ramona street; Cobbs creek intercepting sewer extension in Cobbs Creek Park, from the present terminus at Baltimore avenue to Spruce street; Cobbs creek intercepting sewer extension in Cobbs Creek Park, from about 300 feet north of Market street northwardly to Sixty-ninth street; Cottman street, from State road to Tulip street, in Tulip street from Cottman street to Bleigh street, and in Bleigh street, from Tulip street to Torresdale avenue; Fifty-seventh street, from the present sewer about one hundred and sixty (160) feet south of Lebanon avenue to the present sewer about 20 feet north of Lebanon avenue, and from the north line of Susquehanna avenue south to the present sewer; Frankford intercepting sewer extension in Valley street, from Margaret street to Harrison street; Gunners Run Relief extension in Indiana street, from present terminus at Mutter street to Fourth street; Hartwell lane, from the present terminus southwest of Huron street to St. Martins lane; Lincoln avenue, from present terminus at Navajo street to Hartwell lane; Rittenhouse street, from Wissahickon drive to Oros street; Rock Run sewer in Fisher avenue from eighty-nine (89) feet east of Sixth street to one hundred and thirty-nine (139) feet east of Sixth street; Seventieth street, from Cobbs creek to Kingessing ave-

nue, in Kingessing avenue from Seventieth street to Sixty-ninth street, and in Sixty-ninth street, from King-essing avenue to Upland street; Shunk street, from Fifth to Broad street; Wissahickon High Level cut-off intercepting sewer extension in Stokley street, from present terminus northwest of Crawford street to and under private property on former line of Stokley street to Bowman street.

SECT. 2. The Director of the Department of Public Works shall advertise for proposals and award contracts in accordance with existing laws and ordinances and plans and specifications prepared by the Department of Public Works. Any excess over assessment of property for the construction of said sewers shall be charged to Item 40-E (loan) for the construction of main sewers, in the appropriation to the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Surveys): *Provided*, No such assessment shall be charged for the sewers authorized by this ordinance where the same are built upon undedicated streets, and where the properties are not assessed at full city rates, but no permit shall be issued for the drainage of properties on the line of said sewers until the regular frontage charges shall have been paid. And the following sums are hereby set aside for the construction of main sewers herein authorized: Adams avenue, from Wyoming avenue to Ramona street, twenty-five thousand (25,000) dollars; Cobbs creek intercepting sewer extension in Cobbs Creek Park, from the present terminus at Baltimore avenue to Spruce street, forty thousand (40,000) dollars; Cobbs creek intercepting sewer extension in Cobbs Creek Park, from about three hundred (300) feet north of Market street northwestwardly to Sixty-ninth street, thirty-five thousand (35,000) dollars; Cottman street, from State road to Tulip street, in Tulip street, from Cottman street to Bleigh street and in Bleigh street, from Tulip street to Torresdale avenue, twenty-five thousand (25,000) dollars; Fifty-seventh street, from the present sewer about one hundred and sixty (160) feet south of Lebanon avenue to the present sewer about twenty (20) feet north of Lebanon avenue, and from the north line of Susquehanna avenue south to the present sewer, ten thousand (10,000)

dollars; Frankford intercepting sewer extension in Valley street, from Margaret street to Harrison street, twelve thousand (12,000) dollars; Gunners Run Relief extension in Indiana street, from present terminus at Mutter street to Fourth street, forty-thousand (40,000) dollars; Hartwell lane, from the present terminus southwest of Hiron street to St. Martins lane, twenty thousand (20,000) dollars; Lincoln avenue, from present terminus at Navajo street to Hartwell lane, fifteen thousand (15,000) dollars; Rittenhouse street, from Wissahickon drive to Oros street, twenty thousand (20,000) dollars; Rock Run sewer in Fisher avenue, from eighty-nine (89) feet east of Sixth street to one hundred and thirty-nine (139) feet east of Sixth street, three thousand (3,000) dollars; Seventieth street, from Cobbs Creek to Kingsessing avenue, in Kingsessing avenue, from Seventieth street to Sixty-ninth street, and in Sixty-ninth street, from Kingsessing avenue to Upland street fifteen thousand (15,000) dollars; Shunk street, from Fifth street to Broad street, forty thousand (40,000) dollars; Wissahickon High Level cut-off intercepting sewer extension in Stokley street, from present terminus northwest of Crawford street to and under private property on former line of Stokley street to Bowman street, twenty-five thousand (25,000) dollars.

Provided, That in the event of any of the aforesaid sewers costing less than the sum set aside for its construction, the Director of the Department of Public Works is hereby authorized at his discretion to use any balance of the foregoing amounts, or any part thereof, for the completion of any of the main sewers herein named for which the sums set aside are insufficient: *Provided, also*, That the Director of the Department of Public Works is authorized to appoint assistants and inspectors as may be requisite, and pay all expenses for salaries, inspection, borings, transportation and expenses incidental to the work, from the aforesaid item.

SECT. 3. That the Mayor is hereby authorized to enter security, on behalf of the City of Philadelphia for the

payment of any damages by reason of the construction of any of the herein authorized sewers through private property, except in the case of the Stokley street sewer.

APPENDIX No. 229.

Philadelphia, June 13, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Surveys, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to authorize the construction of certain sewers, to be paid for out of the appropriation made from loan approved May 9, 1912,” beg leave to report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed ordinance and ask its passage.

Chas. A. Gillingham (*Ch’n*). George H. Kelley, Stacy H. White, W. E. Bonnick, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., James H. McGurk, W. W. Trinkle, Wm. J. Harrington, F. J. Cumiskey, J. E. Lennon, George D’Autrechy, Albert De Prefontaine, Henry J. Klos, Daniel Cahill.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the construction of certain sewers, to be paid for out of the appropriation made from loan approved May 9, 1912.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Director of the Department of Public Works be authorized and directed to enter into contracts for the construction of the following sewers, viz.: Alden street, from Webster to Catharine street; Allegheny avenue, from Twenty-ninth to Thirty-third street, and from Thirty-third to Thirty-fifth street; Allman street, from Sixtieth to Edgewood street, and in Edgewood street, from Allman street to

Kingsessing avenue; Almond street, from Ontario to Tioga street; Arbutus street, from Wayne avenue to Lincoln avenue; Ardleigh street, from Gorgas street to a point about 436 feet south of Philellena street; Auburn street, from Thompson to Salmon street; Belgrade street, from Westmoreland to Tioga street; Birch street, from Salmon to Edgemont street; Broomall street, from Fifty-sixth to Fifty-seventh street; Cambria street, from Twenty-fifth to Twenty-ninth street; Camac street, from Wyoming avenue to Loudon street, and from Windrim avenue to Lindley avenue; Cantrell street, from Third to Fourth street; Carpenter street, from Sixty-second street to Cobbs Creek Parkway; Catharine street, from Sixty-second street west to summit; Christian street, from Sixty-second street to Cobbs Creek Parkway; Cecil street, from Webster to Catharine street; Clover street, from Twelfth to Thirteenth street; Cottage street, from Decatur to Hartel street; Coral street, from Tioga street south about 75 feet to present sewer; Cobbs Creek Parkway, from Market to Walnut street, and from Christian to Sixty-second street; Delancey street, from Fifty-ninth to Sixtieth street; Devereaux street, from Dittman to Glenlock street; Dittman street, from Magee to Unruh street; Eadom street, from Bridge to Kennedy street; Edgemont street, from Westmoreland to Ontario street; Edgewood street, from Baltimore avenue to Wharton street; Edmund street, from Wakeling to Bridge street; Eighth street, from Moore to Morris street; Eleventh street, from Loudon to Rockland street; Elliott street, from Fifty-sixth to Fifty-seventh street; Elmwood avenue, from Fifty-eighth to Sixtieth street; Factory street, from end of sewer east of Adams avenue eastward about 150 feet; Fifteenth street, from Windrim avenue to Fishers lane; Fifty-fourth street, from Wynnefield avenue to Overbrook avenue, and from Wynnefield avenue to Berks street; Fifty-sixth street, from Wynnefield avenue to Lebanon avenue; Fifty-seventh street, from Market to Ludlow street, and from Lansdowne avenue to Stewart street; Fifty-ninth street, from Vine to Callowhill street; Forty-seventh street, from Locust to Walnut street; Frazier street, from Thomas ave-

nue to Hoffman avenue; Gaul street, from Lefevre to Buckius street; Gerhard street, from Ridge avenue to Mitchell street; Grays avenue, from Sixty-second to Sixty-third street; Greenway avenue, from Conestoga to Frazier street; Haddington street, from Sixty-second to Felton street; Hancock street, from Queen to Christian street; Harrison street, from Large to Horrocks street; Hoffman avenue and Cobbs Creek Parkway, from Cobbs Creek to Fifty-seventh street; Holmesburg avenue, from Cottage to Mill street, in Mill street, from Holmesburg avenue to Welsh street, and in Welsh street, from Mill street to Frankford avenue; Hope street, from York street to about 60 feet southwest; Higbee street, from Torresdale avenue to Walker street; Hunting Park avenue, from Allegheny avenue to Wissahickon avenue; Ithan street, from Thomas avenue to Hoffman avenue; Jefferson street, from Sixtieth to Sixty-first street; Large street, from Fillmore to Harrison street; Lebanon avenue, from Fifty-fourth to Fifty-seventh street; Leiper street, from Ruan to Church street; Livingston street, from Westmoreland to Tioga street; Loenst avenue, from Stokes street to McMahon avenue; Ludlow street, from Forty-eighth to Forty-ninth street; Manheim street, from Morris street southward to summit; Media street, from Sixty-third to Sixty-fourth street; Medary street, from Twentieth street to Ogontz avenue; Medina street, from Seventh to Eighth street; Mentor street, from York road to Thirteenth street; Melvale street, from Ann to Elkhart street; Mercer street, from Westmoreland to Schiller street; Mildred street, from Snyder avenue to McKean street; Miller street, from Lefevre to Buckius street; Millick street, from Baltimore avenue to Wharton street; Morris street, from Eighth to Ninth street; N street, from Sedgley avenue to Glenwood avenue; Ninth street, from Hunting Park avenue to Luzerne street, and from Hunting Park avenue to summit about 225 feet north of Bristol street; Nineteenth street, from Federal to Catharine street; through Park property, from Wissahickon creek to the intersection of Johnson street and Park Line drive; Reese street, from Reed to Wharton street; Ridge avenue, from Ferry road to

Indian Queen lane; Ruscomb street, from York road to Thirteenth street; Sansom street, from Forty-seventh to Forty-eighth street, and from Forty-eighth to Forty-ninth street; Schnyler street, from Queen to Hansberry street; Sedgley avenue, from Seventh to Ninth street; Shedwick street, from Allegheny avenue to Clearfield street; Sixtieth street, from Haddington to Jefferson street; Sixty-first street, from Jefferson to Oxford street, and in Nassau street, from Sixty-first to Sixty-third street; Sixty-second street, from Cedar avenue to Catharine street; Silverwood street, from Fountain to Gates street; Susquehanna avenue, from Fifty-fourth to Fifty-seventh street; Swanson street, from Fitzwater to Catharine street, and from Beck to Queen street; Thirteenth street, from Wingohocking to Loudon street, and from Wagner avenue to Fishers avenue; Thompson street, from Schiller to Tioga street; Tilton street, from Somerset street northeast to dead end, and from Westmoreland to Schiller street; Titan street, from Twenty-second to Twenty-third street; Twelfth street, from Courtland to Wingohocking street; Twentieth street, from Pacific street to Erie avenue; Twenty-fourth street, from Cambria to Indiana street; Twenty-sixth street, from Cambria to Indiana street; Webb street, from Lehigh avenue to Philadelphia and Reading Railway; Webster street, from Sixty-second street to Cobbs Creek Parkway; Wharton street, from Baltimore avenue to Sixtieth street; Whitby avenue, from Fifty-fourth street to West Chester and Philadelphia Railroad; Wingohocking street, from Third to Lawrence street, and from Old York road to the Boulevard; Winton street, from Eighth to Ninth street, and from Tenth to Eleventh street; Woodbine avenue, from Wynnefield avenue to Fifty-sixth street; Woodstock street, from Cora street to Medary avenue; Worth street, from Margaret to Pratt street; Washington avenue, from Sixty-second street to Cobbs Creek Parkway; Wynnefield avenue (south side), from Fifty-fourth to Fifty-sixth street; Wyoming avenue, from Ninth street to York road; York road, from Luzerne to Butler street, and from Wingohocking to Loudon street, together with the sewers authorized by ordinance

approved by the Mayor, June 4, 1912. The cost of the said work chargeable to the City to be taken from Item 41-E out of the appropriation from loan, approved May 9, 1912, to the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Surveys).

APPENDIX No. 230.

Philadelphia, June 13, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Surveys, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to authorize the construction of new bridges on the line of City avenue, Glenwood avenue, Sixty-fifth street, Seventy-second street, Montgomery street, Sixty-sixth avenue north, Chester avenue, Westmoreland street and Lindley avenue, and work appurtenant thereto, providing for carrying into effect such authority, and authorizing the Mayor to enter security for damages to private property,” beg leave to report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed ordinance and ask its passage.

Chas. A. Gillingham (*Ch’n*), George H. Kelley, Stacy H. White, W. E. Bonnick, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., W. W. Trinkle, Wm. J. Harrington, F. J. Cumiskey, J. E. Lennon, George D’Autreehy, Albert De Prefontaine, Henry J. Klos, Daniel Cahill, Edward B. Howard.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the construction of new bridges on the line of City avenue, Glenwood avenue, Sixty-fifth street, Seventy-second street, Montgomery street, Sixty-sixth avenue north, Chester avenue, Westmoreland street and Lindley avenue, and work appurtenant thereto, pro-

viding for carrying into effect such authority, and authorizing the Mayor to enter security for damages to private property.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Director of the Department of Public Works be, and is hereby authorized to enter into contracts for the construction of new bridges, including the work appurtenant thereto, as follows: On the line of City avenue over Indian run west of Sixty-sixth street: *Provided*, That Montgomery County shall pay one-half the cost; on the line of Glenwood avenue over the Philadelphia, Germantown and Norristown Branch of the Philadelphia and Reading Railway; on the line of Sixty-fifth street, over the Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington Railroad: *Provided*, That the Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington Railway Company shall join in contract with the City and agree to pay one-half the cost of constructing said bridge and appurtenances; on the line of Seventy-second street over the Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington Railroad: *Provided*, That the Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington Railway Company shall join in contract with the City and agree to pay one-half the cost of constructing the said bridge and its appurtenances; on the line of Montgomery street over the Connecting Railway; on the line of Sixty-sixth avenue north over the North Pennsylvania Railroad; on the line of Chester avenue over the Philadelphia and Baltimore Central Railroad; a foot-bridge on the line of Westmoreland street over the North Pennsylvania Railroad; and on the line of Lindley avenue under the North Pennsylvania Railroad.

SECT. 2. That the following sums of money be and are hereby set aside in Item 35-D, and Item 26, in the appropriation to the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Surveys), for new bridges, for year 1912: City avenue over Indian run, ten thousand (10,000) dollars; Glenwood avenue over the Philadelphia, Germantown and Norristown Railroad, sixteen thousand (16,000) dollars;

Sixty-fifth street over the Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington Railroad, twenty thousand (20,000) dollars; Seventy-second street over the Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington Railroad, twenty thousand (20,000) dollars; Montgomery street over the Connecting Railway, forty-five thousand (45,000) dollars; Sixty-sixth avenue north over the North Pennsylvania Railroad, twenty-six thousand (26,000) dollars; Chester avenue over the Philadelphia and Baltimore Central Railroad, thirty-eight thousand (38,000) dollars; Westmoreland street over the North Pennsylvania Railroad, four thousand (4,000) dollars; Lindley avenue under the North Pennsylvania Railroad, thirty-five thousand (35,000) dollars: *Provided*, That in the event of any of the said bridges costing less than the sum herein set aside for their construction, the Director of the Department of Public Works is hereby authorized, at his discretion, to use the balances or any part thereof for the completion of any of the bridges named herein for which the sum set aside is insufficient.

SECT. 3. That the Director of the Department of Public Works be, and is hereby authorized and directed to advertise for proposals, and to award contracts, as provided by existing ordinances and laws, for the construction of the said bridges and the work appurtenant thereto, in accordance with plans and specifications to be prepared by the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Surveys), and is also authorized to appoint assistants and inspectors as may be requisite, and to pay all expenses for salaries, soundings, inspection, tests, transportation and incidental expenses not otherwise provided for out of the appropriation for the cost of said bridges, and is also authorized to join in contract with any person or corporation in the construction of any of the said bridges for which said person or corporation shall contribute a portion of the cost.

SECT. 4. That the Director of the Department of Public Works be, and is hereby authorized and directed to notify the owners of property over and through which the following streets will pass, that at the expiration of three months from the date of said notice, said streets will be

required for public use to their full width, as now upon the City plan: Sixty-fifth street, from the Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington Railroad to Grays avenue; and Seventy-second street, from the Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington Railroad to Paschall avenue.

SECT. 5. That the Mayor of the City is hereby authorized and directed to enter security, on behalf of the City of Philadelphia, for the payment of any damages which may be assessed by reason of the opening of said streets, or the construction of said bridges and the work appurtenant thereto. Upon the filing of the said bond, and at the expiration of the said three months, the Director of the Department of Public Works shall forthwith proceed to open the streets herein authorized to be opened.

APPENDIX No. 231.

Philadelphia, June 13, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Surveys, to whom was referred the bills to authorize the placing on the City plan Alter, Bonsall, Bucknell, Charlton, Church, Clymer, Delphine, Fairhill, Franklin, Helen, Latona, Laurens, Livingstone, Manton, Nippon, Randolph, Reese and Ridley streets, Lawnton and Wellens avenues, respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Chas. A. Gillingham (*Ch'n*), George H. Kelley, Staey H. White, W. E. Bonnick, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., W. W. Trinkle, Wm. J. Harrington, F. J. Cummiskey, J. E. Lennon, George D'Autreehy, Albert De Prefontaine, Henry J. Klos, Daniel Cahill, Edward B. Howard.

AN ORDINANCE

To place on the City plan Alter, Bonsall, Bucknell, Charlton, Church, Clymer, Delphine, Fairhill, Franklin, Helen, Latona, Laurens, Livingstone, Manton, Nippon, Randolph, Reese and Ridley streets, Lawnton and Welens avenues.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works (Board of Surveyors) be authorized to place on the City plan Alter street, of the width of thirty feet, from Nineteenth to Twenty-fourth street, and from Twenty-sixth street east to the dead end; Bonsall street, of the width of thirty feet, from Oakford to Federal street; Bucknell street, of the width of forty feet, from Oakford to Federal street; Charlton street, of the width of forty feet, from Allens lane to Mt. Airy avenue; Church street, of the width as now opened and paved, from Front to Second street; Clymer street, of the width of twenty-five feet, from Fifteenth street east to dead end; Delphine street, of the width of forty feet, from Second to Fifth street; Fairhill street, of the width of thirty feet, from Glenwood avenue to the Pennsylvania Railroad; Franklin street, of the width of forty feet, from Lycoming street to Hunting Park avenue; Helen street, of the width of thirty-two and forty feet, from Venango street northward three hundred and nineteen feet; Latona street, of the width of thirty feet, from Twenty-seventh to Twenty-eighth street; Laurens street, of the width of fifty feet, from Manheim to Clapier street; Livingstone street, of the width of thirty-five feet, from Lehigh avenue northeast two hundred and fifty-nine feet six inches; Manton street, of the width of forty feet, from Twenty-second to Twenty-third street; Nippon street, of the width of forty feet, from Charlton street to Lincoln avenue; Randolph and Reese streets, each of the width of thirty feet, from Glenwood avenue to the Pennsylvania Railroad; Ridley street, of the width of fifty feet, from Wister street to Wyncote and Stenton avenues; Lawnton

avenue, of the width of fifty feet, from Cheltenham avenue to Medary avenue; Wellens avenue, of the width of forty feet, from Second to Fifth street: *Provided*, That before said Charlton, Delphine, Franklin, Laurens, Manton, Nippon and Ridley streets, Lawnton and Wellens avenues shall be placed on the City plan the owners of property within the lines thereof shall, within one year from the approval of this ordinance, dedicate the beds of the same to the City on the lines and grades as confirmed by the Board of Surveyors, or shall indemnify the City against all damages or claims for damages which may arise from placing the said streets on the plan and their subsequent opening to the confirmed lines and grades; and before said Alter, Bonsall, Bucknell, Church, Clymer, Fairhill, Helen, Latona, Livingstone, Randolph, and Reese streets shall be placed on the City plan, satisfactory evidence shall be furnished, within one year from the approval of this ordinance, that the said streets have been opened and used for a period of at least twenty-one years prior to May 3, 1909.

All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith be, and the same are hereby repealed.

APPENDIX No. 232.

Philadelphia, June 13, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Surveys, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to place on the City plan and condemn the plots of ground, with the buildings and improvements thereon, situated northwest of Twenty-first and Chew streets, in the Forty-second Ward, for a public playground for the health and enjoyment of the people, and place such ground under the custody and management of the Board of Recrea-

tion," respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Chas. A. Gillingham (*Ch'n*), George H. Kelley, Stacy H. White, W. E. Bonnick, Fred. Schwarz. Jr., W. W. Trinkle, Wm. J. Harrington, F. J. Cummiskey, J. E. Lennon, George D'Autrechy, Albert De Prefontaine, Henry J. Klos, Daniel Cahill, James H. McGurk.

AN ORDINANCE

To place on the City plan and condemn the plots of ground, with buildings and improvements thereon, situated northwest of Twenty-first and Chew streets, in the Forty-second Ward, for a public playground for the health and enjoyment of the people, and place such ground under the custody and management of the Board of Recreation.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That by virtue and in pursuance of the authority vested in them by the fourth section of an Act of Assembly approved May 13, 1857, they do select and appropriate for park and playground purposes and for the health and enjoyment of the people forever, all that certain lot or piece of ground, with the buildings and improvements thereon erected, situated in the Forty-second Ward of the City of Philadelphia, bounded by the south side of Nedro avenue, the west side of Twenty-first street, the north side of Grange street and the east side of Beechwood street; all that certain lot or piece of ground bounded by the south side of Grange street, the west side of Twenty-first street, the north side of Conlyn street and the east side of Beechwood street; all that certain lot or piece of ground, beginning at the point of intersection of the west side of Twenty-first street and the north side of Chew street; thence extending north 88 degrees 47 minutes 35 seconds west along the north side of Chew street one hundred and thirty-four and forty-one one-thou-

sandths (134.041) feet to a point; thence extending north 3 degrees 25 minutes 35 seconds east four hundred and ninety-seven and three hundred and seventy-seven one-thousandths (497.377) feet to a point in the south side of Conlyn street; thence extending along the same south 86 degrees 25 minutes 30 seconds east one hundred and forty-one and one hundred and fifty-five one-thousandths (141.155) feet to a point in the west side of Twenty-first street; thence extending along the same south 4 degrees 16 minutes west four hundred and ninety-one and eight hundred and seventy-two one-thousandths (491.872) feet to the first-mentioned point and place of beginning.

SECT. 2. That the Department of Public Works (Board of Surveyors) be authorized and directed to place on the City plan as a public park and playground so much of the property described in Section 1 as is now on the plan.

SECT. 3. As soon as the City shall become legally possessed of the tracts of ground herein described, the said tracts shall be placed under the control of the Board of Recreation, subject to such rules and regulations as have been, or shall be from time to time established by the said Board of Recreation for the care, management and maintenance of public playgrounds.

SECT. 4. All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith be, and the same are hereby repealed.

APPENDIX No. 233.

Philadelphia, June 13, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Surveys, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An Ordinance to place on the City plan as a public park lot of ground

bounded by Buckius, Ash, Richmond and Bath streets," respectfully report that this is a desirable location for a park and adjoins the closely settled portion of Bridesburg. There is no public park in this neighborhood, and there is public demand for this park. We, therefore, return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Chas. A. Gillingham (*Ch'n*), George H. Kelley, Stacy H. White, W. E. Bonnick, James H. McGurk, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., W. W. Trinkle, Wm. J. Harrington, F. J. Cummiskey, J. E. Lennon, George D'Antrechy, Albert De Prefontaine, Henry J. Klos, Daniel Cahill.

AN ORDINANCE

To place on the City plan as a public park lot of ground bounded by Buckius street, Ash street, Richmond street and Bath street.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works (Board of Surveyors) be authorized and directed to place on the City plan as a public park the lot of ground bounded by the property line near the middle of Buckius street on the southwest, and by the proposed northeast line of Ash street on the northeast, and by the southeast line of Richmond street (as now open) on the northwest, and by the northwest line of Bath street on the southeast.

APPENDIX No. 234.

Philadelphia, June 13, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Surveys, to whom was referred the bill to revise the grade of Forty-sixth street, from Aspen to Brown street, respectfully re-

port that this street is about to be repaved with improved pavement. This street, being on a fill, has settled and the present curb is below the established grade more than one foot. Houses have been built on both sides of the street on filled ground and they have also settled. By setting the curb to the established grade the cellar windows will be covered. We, therefore, recommend that the grade be revised, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Chas. A. Gillingham (*Ch'n*), George H. Kelley, Stacy H. White, W. E. Bonnick, James H. McGurk, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., W. W. Trinkle, Wm. J. Harrington, F. J. Cummiskey, J. E. Lennon, George D'Autrechy, Albert De Prefontaine, Henry J. Klos, Daniel Cahill.

AN ORDINANCE

To revise the grade of Forty-sixth street, from Aspen street to Brown street.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works (Board of Surveyors) be authorized and directed to revise the grade of Forty-sixth street, from Aspen street to Brown street.

APPENDIX No. 235.

Philadelphia, June 13, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Surveys, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize the revision of the lines of Clarion street, from Wharton to Reed street," respectfully report that the lots on Clarion street were laid out, in their present location,

for building purposes in 1868. Water pipe was laid in the street in 1869. Paving was laid subsequently. Sewer was laid in 1893, and the street opened by affidavit June 6, 1893. A new City plan was made by authority of resolutions of Councils of March 24, 1866, and March 11, 1871, and approved by the Board of Surveyors September 19, 1881, and on this plan is plotted Clarion street with a location differing from the deeds, the actual location of the houses and the street as is actually and legally opened. We, therefore, recommend that the lines of Clarion street, from Wharton to Reed street, as now laid down on the City plan, be revised so as to conform with the conditions that existed from 1868 up to and including the present time and as is legally opened.

Chas. A. Gillingham (*Ch'n*) George H. Kelley, Stacy H. White, W. E. Bonnick, James H. McGurk, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., W. W. Trinkle, Wm. J. Harrington, F. J. Cummiskey, J. E. Lennon, George D'Autrechy, Albert De Prefontaine, Henry J. Klos, Daniel Cahill.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the revision of the lines of Clarion street, from Wharton to Reed street.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works (Board of Surveyors) be authorized and directed to revise the lines of Clarion street, from Wharton to Reed street, in the Twenty-sixth Ward.

APPENDIX No. 236.

Philadelphia, June 13, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Surveys, to whom was referred the message from the Mayor, accom-

panied with an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance to strike from the City plan and vacate Pike street between Tenth street and Old York road, and Eleventh street, between Erie avenue and Lycoming street," respectfully report that a large tract of ground through which these streets pass has recently been acquired by the Philadelphia Rapid Transit Company. It appears that it is the intention to utilize this entire tract for the development of the Philadelphia Rapid Transit system. Representatives of the company state that the character and dimensions of the buildings which they propose to erect will require larger areas than is possible to obtain with the plotted streets, as they now exist. We believe that the above mentioned streets can be taken from the City plan without serious detriment to the future needs of the surrounding territory. In consideration of the provisions mentioned in the attached ordinance, we return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Chas. A. Gillingham (*Ch'n*), George H. Kelley, Stacy H. White, W. E. Bonnick, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., James H. McGurk, W. W. Trinkle, Wm. J. Harrington, F. J. Cummiskey, Daniel Cahill, George D'Autrechy, Albert De Prefontaine, Henry J. Klos, Edward B. Howard.

AN ORDINANCE

To strike from the City plan and vacate Pike street, between Tenth street and Old York road, and Eleventh street, between Erie avenue and Lycoming street.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works (Board of Surveyors) be authorized and directed to strike from the City plan and vacate Pike street, between Tenth street and Old York road, and Eleventh street, between Erie avenue and Lycoming street: *Provided*, That the Philadelphia Rapid Transit Company shall within one year from the approval of this ordinance, file an agreement, satisfactory to the City Solicitor, indem-

nifying the City from all damages by reason of the striking of said streets from the City plan and their vacation: *And further provided*, That within one year from the approval of this ordinance the following streets and portions of streets shall be dedicated to the City free of cost, viz.: Butler street, from the Richmond Branch of the Reading Railway to a point sixty feet west of Tenth street; the west half of Tenth street, from the south side of Luzerne street to Lycoming street; the southernmost thirty feet of the bed of Lycoming street, from Tenth street to a point about ninety feet east of Twelfth street: *And further provided*, That all claims now pending against the City for the opening of Luzerne street, from Tenth street to Old York road, so far as they pertain to ground now or hereafter to be controlled by the Philadelphia Rapid Transit Company shall be released, and that all claims for damages by reason of the change of grade on the east side of Old York road, from Luzerne street to the Richmond Branch of the Reading Railway, shall also be released before this ordinance shall become effective.

APPENDIX No. 237.

Philadelphia, June 13, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Surveys, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An Ordinance to strike from the City plan and vacate a portion of Dyott street, between Norris and Richmond streets," respectfully report that we believe that the width of eighty-two feet will be ample and wide enough for all practical purposes in this locality and will give more room for the extension of the William Cramp & Sons' Ship and Engine Building Company. We, therefore, return the an-

nexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Chas. A. Gillingham (*Ch'n*), George H. Kelley, Stacy H. White, W. E. Bonnick, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., James H. McGurk, W. W. Trinkle, Wm. J. Harrington, F. J. Cummiskey, J. E. Lennon, George D'Autrechy, Albert De Prefontaine, Henry J. Klos, Daniel Cahill.

AN ORDINANCE

To strike from the City plan and vacate a portion of Dyott street, between Norris and Richmond streets.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works (Board of Surveyors) be authorized and directed to reduce the width of Dyott street, between the south side of Norris street and the west side of Richmond street, to eighty-two feet by striking from the City plan and vacating eighteen feet of the total existing width of Dyott street along the easterly side of said Dyott street, between said streets, and to make the necessary revision of curb lines and grades: *Provided*, That an agreement or bond, satisfactory to the City Solicitor, be first filed by the William Cramp & Sons' Ship and Engine Building Company releasing and indemnifying the City of Philadelphia from all damages by reason of the striking from the plan of the City and the vacating of said portion of Dyott street as aforesaid: *And provided further*, That said William Cramp & Sons' Ship and Engine Building Company, shall reset the curbstone and repave the cartway along the portion of said street so vacated in a satisfactory manner to the Bureau of Highways.

APPENDIX No. 238.

Philadelphia, June 13, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Surveys, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to authorize the revision of the intersection of Johnson street and Wissahickon avenue,” respectfully report that the object of the proposed revision is to provide an easier turn for traffic than now obtains. Johnson street is not continuous on a direct line across Wisshickon avenue. As the revision will not occasion any property damage and as the necessary additional land will be dedicated, we, therefore, return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Chas. A. Gillingham (*Ch’n*), George H. Kelley, Stacy H. White, W. E. Bonnick, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., James H. McGurk, W. W. Trinkle, Wm. J. Harrington, F. J. Cummiskey, J. E. Lennon, George D’Autrechy, Albert De Prefontaine, Henry J. Klos, Daniel Cahill.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the revision of the intersection of Johnson street and Wissahickon avenue.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works (Board of Surveyors) be authorized and directed to revise the lines and grades at the intersection of Johnson street and Wissahickon avenue: *Provided*, That the owners of property on the north corner of Johnson street and Wissahickon avenue, shall first dedicate to the City, within one year from the approval of this ordinance, the additional area of their ground required to widen the intersection at the north corner.

APPENDIX No. 239.

Philadelphia, June 13, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Surveys, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to authorize the striking from the City plan of Arbutus street, from Lincoln avenue to Hortter street,” respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same, and believe that such action would not be against the public interest, would not result in any damages to private property and would permit of a better development than could otherwise be made if the street were retained upon the plan and opened. The damages to private property by the opening of Arbutus street by the irregular cutting of the lots and by the grading would be very large and entirely out of proportion to the benefit that would result to the general public. We, therefore, return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Chas. A. Gillingham (*Ch’n*), George H. Kelley, Stacy H. White, W. E. Bonnick, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., James H. McGurk, W. W. Trinkle, Wm. J. Harrington, F. J. Cummiskey, J. E. Lemmon, George D’Autrechy, Albert De Prefontaine, Henry J. Klos, Daniel Cahill.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the striking from the City plan of Arbutus street, from Lincoln avenue to Hortter street

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works (Board of Surveyors) be authorized and directed to strike from the City plan Arbutus street, from Lincoln avenue to Hortter street: *Provided*, That the owners of property affected, except Mary B. Stuart, shall within one year from the approval

of this ordinance, first file an agreement, satisfactory to the City Solicitor, not to claim damages by reason of the striking from the plan of Arbutus street.

APPENDIX No. 240.

RESOLUTION

Of request to the Philadelphia Rapid Transit Company to furnish free transportation to the members of the Select and Common Councils with their officers, the heads and chiefs of the various Departments and Bureaus, Police Sergeants, Lieutenants and Captains.

Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the Directors of the Philadelphia Rapid Transit Company be, and are hereby requested to furnish free transportation to the members of the Select and Common Councils with their officers, the heads and chiefs of the various Departments and Bureaus, Police Sergeants, Lieutenants and Captains.

APPENDIX No. 241.

RESOLUTION

Authorizing the Joint Committee on Health and Charities to visit Wernersville, Pa.

Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the Joint Committee on Health and Charities be, and is hereby authorized to visit Wernersville, Pa. The expense of same to be taken out of Item 7, in the annual appropriation to the Clerks of Councils.

APPENDIX No. 242.

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR.

Philadelphia, June 20, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—I enclose copy of a letter from George D. Porter, Director of the Department of Public Safety, regarding signs for automobiles.

We must do something without delay to stop the speeding of automobiles in the congested districts of the City, and this can be done only by having proper signs placed wherever it may be deemed necessary.

I would therefore ask your Honorable Bodies to appropriate one thousand dollars for this purpose, as asked by Director Porter.

Respectfully yours,

RUDOLPH BLANKENBURG,

Mayor.

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DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY.

Philadelphia, June 18, 1912.

HON. RUDOLPH BLANKENBURG,

Mayor of the City of Philadelphia.

MY DEAR SIR:—We are prepared to execute the contract for the automobile signs, in accordance with your request.

I find, with the changes suggested, that the cost will be increased nearly one-half, and that I have not sufficient funds in hand to provide the number necessary. I would therefore suggest that you ask Councils to ap-

appropriate \$1,000 to the Department of Supplies for this purpose.

Very truly yours,

(Signed) GEORGE D. PORTER,

Director.

APPENDIX No. 243.

Philadelphia, June 20, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize certain transfers in the annual appropriations to the various Bureaus in the Departments of Public Works, Public Safety, Public Health and Charities, Wharves, Docks and Ferries, Mayor, Coroner and City Treasurer, for the year 1912," together with sundry communications in relation thereto, respectfully report that they have carefully considered this matter, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

John P. Connelly (*Ch'n*), Watson D. Upperman, William J. McCloskey, John H. Hahn, John H. Baizley, Chas. Seger, Thomas J. Morton, E. B. Gleason, Chas. A. Gillingham, Richard Weglein, Louis Hutt, George D'Autrechy, G. W. Kucker, Thomas J. Ryan, G. P. Darrow.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize certain transfers in the annual appropriations to the various Bureaus in the Departments of Public Works, Public Safety, Public Health and Charities, Wharves, Docks and Ferries, Mayor, Coroner and City Treasurer, for the year 1912.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the City Controller be, and he is hereby authorized to make the following

transfers in the annual appropriations to the various Bureaus in the Departments of Public Works, Public Safety, Public Health and Charities, Wharves, Docks and Ferries, Mayor, Coroner and City Treasurer, for the year 1912, viz.: Departments of Public Works (Bureau of Highways): From Item 2, for cleaning streets, etc., two thousand (2,000) dollars. City Treasurer: From Item 16, thirty-one thousand four hundred and forty-four (31,444) dollars and seventy (70) cents (being a portion of the excess appropriation made to this item before the new School Code went into effect, and now rendered unnecessary owing to the fact that the Board of Public Education has paid in its proportion of the Sinking Fund charges), to the following:

Department of Public Safety (Bureau of City Property): To Item 74 (new), to purchase property for bath house purposes in the Forty-third Ward, four thousand eight hundred (4,800) dollars; to Item 75 (new), for expenses of certain alterations, repairs, fixtures, carpets, etc., needed in the rooms occupied by the Law Department, five thousand (5,000) dollars.

Department of Public Works (Director's Office): To Item 11½ (new), to pay bills of the Underwood Typewriter Company for two machines, two hundred and eleven (211) dollars and fifty (50) cents. (Bureau of Highways): To Item 7, for incidentals, etc., one thousand (1,000) dollars; to Item 44 (new), to continue the surfacing with brick gutters, etc., of Prospect avenue, from Cemetery lane to Herschell road; and Southampton avenue, from Herschell road to Worthington road, seven thousand (7,000) dollars; to Item 45 (new), to macadamize Sixty-fifth avenue, from Sixth street to Eighth street, two thousand (2,000) dollars. (Bureau of Surveys): To Item 43 (new), for emergency repairs on Mill Creek sewer, four thousand (4,000) dollars.

Department of Public Health and Charities (Bureau of Charities): To Item 56 (new), to erect barn or barns for cattle at Byberry, eight thousand (8,000) dollars.

Department of Wharves, Docks and Ferries: To Item 33 (new), to pay claim of Samuel R. Sharp, Trustee of

DeLorie & Stetser, bankrupt grocers, for goods and merchandise furnished to the Yacht "Eunomia," thirty-three (33) dollars and twenty (20) cents.

Mayor: To Item 19, for a safe and sane Fourth of July, one thousand (1,000) dollars.

Coroner: To Item 8, for maintenance of Morgue, including wages, four hundred (400) dollars.

APPENDIX No. 244.

Philadelphia, June 20, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize certain transfers out of certain unused balances in sundry loans in the annual appropriations to the various Bureaus in the Departments of Public Safety, Public Works, Public Health and Charities, Wharves, Docks and Ferries, Supplies, Mayor, Board of Revision of Taxes, City Commissioners, Prothonotary, District Attorney, Sheriff, Inspectors of the County Prisons and Commissioners of Fairmount Park, for the year 1912," respectfully report that they have carefully considered this matter, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and request its passage.

John P. Connelly (*Ch'n*), Watson D. Upperman, William J. McCloskey, John H. Hahn, John H. Baizley, Chas. Seger, Thomas J. Morton, E. B. Gleason, Chas. A. Gillingham, Richard Weglein, Louis Hutt, George D'Autrechy, G. W. Kueker, Thomas J. Ryan, G. P. Darrow.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize certain transfers out of unused balances in sundry loans in the annual appropriations to the various Bureaus in the Departments of Public Safety,

Public Works, Public Health and Charities, Wharves, Docks and Ferries, Supplies, Mayor, Board of Revision of Taxes, City Commissioners, Prothonotary, District Attorney, Inspectors of the County Prisons and Commissioners of Fairmount Park, for the year 1912.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the City Controller be, and he is hereby authorized to make the following transfers out of certain unused balances in sundry loans in the annual appropriations to the various Bureaus in the Departments of Public Safety, Public Works, Public Health and Charities, Wharves, Docks and Ferries, Supplies, Mayor, Board of Revision of Taxes, City Commissioners, Prothonotary, District Attorney, Inspectors of the County Prisons and Commissioners of Fairmount Park, for the year 1912, viz.:

Department of Public Safety (Director's Office): From Item 4B, for supervision of employment agencies, etc., three (3) dollars and twenty-five (25) cents. (Bureau of Police): From Item 3B, for expenses of van service, fifty-six (56) dollars and eighty (80) cents; from Item 4B, for meals, etc., ninety-one (91) cents; from Item 8B, for postage, etc., seventy-four (74) cents; from Item 14B, for expenses of patrol wagons, etc., one hundred (100) dollars. (Bureau of Fire): From Item 10, for high pressure fire system, etc., twenty-nine (29) dollars and three (3) cents. (Bureau of Building Inspection): From Item 2B, for postage, etc., four (4) dollars and ten (10) cents. (Bureau of City Property): From Item 4½, for repairs to market houses, etc., eighty-seven (87) dollars and thirty-nine (39) cents; from Item 10½ for repairs to Independence Hall, etc., two (2) dollars and seventy-eight (78) cents; from Item 10B, for repairs to Independence Hall, etc., eleven (11) dollars and eight (8) cents; from Item 11B, for repairs to Recreation Piers, fifteen (15) cents; from Item 18B, for labor, repairs, flags, etc., eighty-six (86) dollars and fifty-five (55) cents; from Item 20B, for repairs to station and patrol houses, one (1) cent; from Item 20½B, for plumbing, etc., five (5) cents. (Electrical Bureau): From Item 14B, for

electric lights, etc., forty-four (44) dollars and forty-eight (48) cents. Department of Public Works (Bureau of Highways): From Item 6 $\frac{1}{2}$, for grading, etc., sixteen (16) dollars and thirty-one (31) cents; from Item 15B, for curbing, etc., forty-two (42) dollars and eighty-three (83) cents. Department of Public Health and Charities (Bureau of Health): From Item 3B, for incidentals, etc., nine (9) cents; from Item 5B, for repairs, etc., seventeen (17) cents; from Item 15B, for maintenance, etc., nineteen (19) dollars and thirty-three (33) cents. (Bureau of Charities): From Item 28B, for surgical instruments, etc., one (1) dollar and thirteen (13) cents; from Item 42A, for new boilers, etc., thirty-four (34) dollars and fifty (50) cents. Department of Wharves, Docks and Ferries: From Item 26D, for repairs, etc., and building two dump scows, eighty-four (84) dollars and seventy-three (73) cents. Department of Supplies (Director's Office): From Item 2B, for stationery, etc., thirty-eight (38) dollars and ninety (90) cents; (Police): From Item 4B, for supplies, etc., eighty-five (85) dollars and twenty-five (25) cents; from Item 9B, for horses, etc., fifty (50) dollars; (City Property): From Item 62B, for flags, etc., thirteen (13) dollars and ninety (90) cents; (Electrical): From Item 47B, for instruments, etc., sixty (60) dollars and forty (40) cents; from Item 49B, for signal and telephone service, fifty-six (56) dollars and ninety-five (95) cents; (Health): From Item 4B, for virus, etc., five (5) dollars; from Item 6B, for groceries, etc., one (1) dollar and two (2) cents; from Item 8B, for fuel, fifty-five (55) dollars and six (6) cents; (Charities): From Item 13B, for stationery, etc., six (6) dollars and twelve (12) cents; from Item 20B, for fuel, eight (8) dollars and one (1) cent; from Item 30B, for sheets, etc., one (1) dollar and thirty-eight (38) cents; (Water): From Item 20B, for chandlery, etc., twenty-four (24) cents; from Item 23B, for fittings, etc., twenty-three (23) dollars and ninety-seven (97) cents; from Item 28B, for cement, etc., thirty-eight (38) dollars and fifteen (15) cents; from Item 29B, for supplies, etc., three (3) dollars and forty (40) cents; (Wharves, Docks and Ferries):

From Item 6B, for provisions, etc., nineteen (19) dollars and eighty-three (83) cents. Mayor: From Item 5B, for publishing, printing and distributing "Philadelphia," etc., forty-five (45) dollars and forty-five (45) cents. Receiver of Taxes: From Item 7B, for fuel, etc., eighty-eight (88) cents. City Commissioners: From Item 33A, for House of Detention, twenty (20) dollars and eighty-four (84) cents; from Item 33½, for House of Detention, four (4) dollars and eighty-nine (89) cents. Prothonotary: From Item 2B, for rebinding, two (2) dollars and fifty (50) cents. District Attorney: From Item 3B, for incidentals, etc., twenty-six (26) dollars and sixty-nine (69) cents. Sheriff: From Item 3A, for incidentals, etc., thirty-two (32) dollars and eighty-seven (87) cents. Inspectors of County Prisons (Holmesburg): From Item 2½, for beef, etc., one (1) dollar and one (1) cent; from Item 16½, for clothing, etc., twenty-five (25) cents. Commissioners of Fairmount Park: From Item 23, for permanent improvements, etc., forty-three (43) cents; total, one thousand two hundred and fifty-three (1,253) dollars and fifty-six (56) cents; to Department of Public Works (Bureau of Highways): To Item 16½ (loan), for the improvement of the water courses in the Thirty-ninth Ward.

APPENDIX No. 245.

Philadelphia, June 20, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize a certain transfer in the annual appropriations to the City Treasurer and the Department of Public Works, for the preparation of maps and plans and an engineering study of streams, ponds, pools, etc., and the habits of mosquitos and the best methods of eliminating the same," respectfully report that they have carefully considered this

matter, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

John P. Connelly (*Ch'n*), Watson D. Upperman, William J. McCloskey, John H. Hahn, John H. Baizley, Chas. Seger, Thomas J. Morton, E. B. Gleason, Chas. A. Gillingham, Richard Weglein, Louis Hutt, George D'Autrechy, G. W. Kucker, Thomas J. Ryan, G. P. Darrow.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize a certain transfer in the annual appropriations to the City Treasurer and the Department of Public Works, for the year 1912, for the preparation of maps and plans, and engineering study of streams, ponds, pools, etc., and the habits of mosquitos and the best methods of eliminating same.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the City Controller be, and he is hereby authorized to make the following transfer in the annual appropriations to the City Treasurer and the Department of Public Works, for the year 1912, viz.: City Treasurer: From Item 15, for estimated interest, etc., five thousand (5,000) dollars, to the Department of Public Works (Director's Office): To Item 7 (new), for the preparation of maps and plans of streams, ponds, pools, etc., and the employment of such engineering and other experts as may be necessary to study the habits of mosquitos and the best methods of eliminating them.

APPENDIX No. 246.

Philadelphia, June 20, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred a bill entitled "An Ordinance to authorize

certain transfers in the annual appropriations to the Department of Supplies, Art Jury and Clerks of Councils, for the year 1912," respectfully report that they have carefully considered this matter, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and request its passage.

John P. Connelly (*Ch'n*), Watson D. Upperman, William J. McCloskey, John H. Hahn, John H. Baizley, Chas. Seger, Thomas J. Morton, E. B. Gleason, Chas. A. Gillingham, Richard Weglein, Louis Hutt, George D'Autrechy, G. W. Kucker, Thomas J. Ryan, G. P. Darrow.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize certain transfers in the annual appropriations to the Department of Supplies, Art Jury and Clerks of Councils, for the year 1912.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the City Controller be, and he is hereby authorized to make the following transfers in the annual appropriations to the Department of Supplies, the Art Jury and Clerks of Councils, for the year 1912 viz.: Clerks of Councils: From Item 7½ (1910), to pay Manufacturers' Appraisal Co., nine thousand (9,000) dollars, to the following: Art Jury, to Item 1, for salaries, to provide for Assistant Secretary, at the rate of three thousand six hundred (3,600) dollars per annum; for stenographer and typewriter, at the rate of nine hundred (900) dollars per annum; total, four thousand five hundred (4,500) dollars. To Item 2, for stationery, printing, postage, transportation, hire of vehicles, traveling and hotel expenses, messenger service, books and periodicals for library and incidentals, two thousand (2,000) dollars. Department of Supplies (Art Jury): To Item 8, for ice, towels and soap, furniture, carpets, rugs, and other office furnishings, and other supplies, two thousand five hundred (2,500) dollars.

APPENDIX No. 247.

Philadelphia, June 20, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred a bill entitled “An Ordinance to authorize the construction of buildings for the care of feeble-minded persons on property owned by the City at Byberry, west of the Bensalem pike and north of South Hampton road,” respectfully report that they have carefully considered this matter, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and request its passage.

John P. Connelly (Ch’n), Watson D. Upperman, William J. McCloskey, John H. Hahn, John H. Baizley, Chas. Seger, Thomas J. Morton, E. B. Gleason, G. P. Darrow, Chas. A. Gillingham, Richard Weglein, Louis Hutt, George D’Autrechy, G. W. Kucker, Thomas J. Ryan.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the construction of buildings for the care of feeble-minded persons on property owned by the City at Byberry, west of the Bensalem pike and north of South Hampton road.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Director of the Department of Public Health and Charities be, and is hereby authorized to advertise for proposals and enter into a contract for the construction of buildings for the care of feeble-minded persons on property owned by the City at Byberry, west of the Bensalem pike and north of South Hampton road, with necessary equipment for sewage disposal. The said work to be paid for out of Item 52D, loan of June 19, 1911.

APPENDIX No. 248.

Philadelphia, June 20, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred a bill entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the settlement of claims for damages to real and personal property, occasioned by a break in the water mains in Eva street, near Shawmont avenue, Roxborough, on November 28, 1911, and authorizing a transfer in the annual appropriations to the Department of Public Works and the City Treasurer for the payment of such damages and authorizing the drawing, countersigning and delivery of warrants in satisfaction thereof," together with sundry communications in relation thereto, respectfully report that they have carefully considered this matter, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and request its passage.

John P. Connelly (*Ch'n*), Watson D. Upperman, William J. McCloskey, John H. Hahn, John H. Baizley, Chas. Seger, Thomas J. Morton, E. B. Gleason, G. P. Darrow, Chas. A. Gillingham, Richard Weglein, Louis Hutt, George D'Autrechy, G. W. Kucker, Thomas J. Ryan.

AN ORDINANCE

Authorizing the settlement of claims for damages to real and personal property occasioned by a break in the water mains in Eva street, near Shawmont avenue, Roxborough, on November 28, 1911, and authorizing a transfer in the annual appropriations to the Department of Public Works and City Treasurer for the payment of such damages, and authorizing the drawing, countersigning and delivery of warrants in satisfaction thereof.

WHEREAS, By a break in the water mains in Eva street, near Shawmont avenue, Roxborough, occurring on No-

vember 28, 1911, damage was done to the real or personal property, or both, of persons hereinafter named;

AND WHEREAS, Negotiations conducted by the Bureau of Water, together with the Law Department of the City of Philadelphia, with the owners of said property and their attorneys have resulted in a tentative agreement of settlement being reached whereby the damage to the real estate of such owners is to be repaired by the City, acting through the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Water), and the damage to the personal property is to be adjusted by the payment to the owners thereof respectively of the sums hereinafter set forth:

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain.* That the sum of twenty-six thousand two hundred and fifty-four (26,254) dollars and sixty-two (62) cents be, and the same is hereby transferred from Item 15, for estimated interest, etc., Department of City Treasurer, to the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Water), to Item 26 (new), to be used in settlement of the said damages in accordance with said agreement, which is hereby confirmed.

SECT. 2. The Director of the Department of Public Works is hereby authorized to draw, the City Controller to countersign, and the City Treasurer to pay warrants as follows: For work and material to be used in the repair of the said damages to real estate, eighteen thousand (18,000) dollars. In full satisfaction for damages to personal property occasioned as aforesaid, eight thousand two hundred and fifty-four (8,254) dollars and sixty-two (62) cents, as follows: In favor of George Faustmann, for one hundred and ninety-six (196) dollars; Charles Carver, seventy-eight (78) dollars and fifty (50) cents; Arthur L. Johnson, fifty-two (52) dollars and twenty-five (25) cents; Joseph Myers, six hundred and seventy-five (675) dollars; George H. Rau, four hundred and fifty (450) dollars; John Cardy, one hundred and ninety-seven (197) dollars and eighty (80) cents; James Barkley, two hundred and fifty-five (255) dollars and fifty-three (53) cents; Robert Torrens, sixty

(60) dollars; Edward B. Layre, nine hundred (900) dollars; estate of Fred. Carpenter, eight hundred and fifty-three (853) dollars; Mrs. Hermina D. Knoll, one thousand seven hundred (1,700) dollars; Philadelphia and Reading Railway Company, one hundred and eighty-seven (187) dollars and ninety-one (91) cents; William D. Thomas, one thousand (1,000) dollars; Reading Transit Company, one hundred and forty-five (145) dollars and ninety-eight (98) cents; Emma E. and Caroline Hipple, five hundred and thirty-two (532) dollars and ninety-five (95) cents; Wm McMenamin, twenty-six (26) dollars and thirty (30) cents; Edward E. and Hannah Davis, nine hundred and forty-three (943) dollars and forty (40) cents, and upon the repair of the said damages and payment of the said claims as aforesaid, releases of the City of Philadelphia from all liability by reason of the said breaking of the water mains or in any way arising therefrom, in form to be approved by the City Solicitor, shall be taken from the said owner or owners of such property.

APPENDIX No. 249.

Philadelphia, June 20, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred a bill entitled “An Ordinance to authorize the purchase of properties Nos. 1615 to 1623 Ruffner street for bath house purposes,” respectfully report that they have carefully considered this matter, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and request its passage.

John P. Connelly (*Ch’n*), Watson D. Upperman, William J. McCloskey, John H. Hahn, John H. Baizley, Chas. Seger, Thomas J. Morton, E. B. Gleason, G. P. Darrow, Chas. A. Gillingham, Richard Weglein, Louis Hutt, George D’Autrechy, G. W. Kucker, Thomas J. Ryan.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the purchase of properties Nos. 1615 to 1623 Ruffner street for bath house purposes.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain.* That the City Solicitor be, and he is hereby authorized and directed to examine the title to all that certain lot or piece of ground Nos. 1615 to 1623 Ruffner street, seventy-five feet front by one hundred and twenty feet deep, and if he approves of the same to cause a conveyance to be made to the City of Philadelphia in fee, for bath house purposes. The consideration therefor not to exceed the sum of four thousand eight hundred (4,800) dollars, to be chargeable against Item 74, in the annual appropriation to the Department of Public Safety (Bureau of City Property).

APPENDIX No. 250.

Philadelphia, June 20, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Mayor for unpaid compensation to counsel for the City in the filtration suit,” respectfully report that they have carefully considered said bill, and return the same with a negative recommendation, and ask the passage of the annexed resolution discharging the Committee from the further consideration of the subject.

John P. Connelly (*Ch’n*), Watson D. Upperman, William J. McCloskey, John H. Hahn, John H. Baizley, Chas. Seger, Thomas J. Morton, E. B. Gleason, G. P. Darrow, Richard Weglein, George D’Autrechy, G. W. Kucker, Thomas J. Ryan.

RESOLUTION

Discharging the Committee on Finance from the further consideration of the bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Mayor, for unpaid compensation to counsel for the City in the filtration suit."

Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the Committee on Finance be, and is hereby discharged from the further consideration of bill entitled "An Ordinance to make an appropriation to the Mayor for unpaid compensation to counsel for the City in the filtration suit."

APPENDIX No. 251.

Philadelphia, June 20, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bills to authorize the paving of Bon-sall, Camac, Cambridge, Delancey, Dickinson, Eleventh, Fifteenth, Fifty-fourth, Franklin, Judson, Locust, Ludlow, Markoe, Marvine, Media, Mercer, Ninth, Pike, Sixty-fifth, Twelfth, Twenty-third, Ardleigh, Coral, Dexter, Seville, Ditman, Division, Howarth, Norwood, Pratt, Seventy-first, Sprague, Allengrove and Oakland streets, Buist, Windrim and Mt. Pleasant avenues, respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Peter E. Costello (*Ch'n*), W. A. Miller, David G. Frankenfield, Chas. A. Gillingham, Thomas J. Morton, John W. Whitaker, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., Clarence S. Eldredge, H. J. Trainer, Chas. Seger, Wm. J. Harrington, Wm. Boal, Henry R. Shoch, J. E. Lennon, Wm. E. Finley.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the paving of Bonsall, Camac, Cambridge, Delancey, Dickinson, Eleventh, Fifteenth, Fifty-fourth, Franklin, Judson, Locust, Ludlow, Markoe, Marvine, Media, Mercer, Ninth, Pike, Sixty-fifth, Twelfth, Twenty-third, Ardleigh, Coral, Dexter, Seville, Ditman, Division, Howarth, Norwood, Pratt, Seventy-first, Sprague, Allengrove and Oakland streets, Buist, Windrim and Mt. Pleasant avenues.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain,* That the Department of Public Works be authorized and directed to enter into contracts with competent pavers for paving the following streets with the best quality of refined natural asphalt, viz.: Bonsall street, from Somerset to Cambria street; Camac street, from Windrim avenue to Lindley avenue; Cambridge street, from Tucker to Duncan street; Delancey street, from Fifty-ninth to Sixtieth street; Dickinson street, from Thirtieth to Thirty-third street; Eleventh street, from Lindley avenue to Duncannon avenue; Fifteenth street, from Fishers avenue to Somerville avenue; Fifty-fourth street, from Chester avenue to Springfield avenue; Franklin street, from Hunting Park avenue to Lycoming street; Judson street, from Somerset to Cambria street; Locust street, from Forty-seventh to Forty-eighth street; Ludlow street, from Forty-eighth to Forty-ninth street; Markoe street, from Walnut to Locust street; Marvine street, from Lindley avenue to Duncannon avenue; Media street, from Sixty-second to Sixty-third street; Mercer street, from Buckius to Lefevre street; Ninth street, from Pike to Luzerne street; Pike street, from Ninth to Tenth street; Sixty-fifth street, from Kingsessing avenue to Cobbs creek; Twelfth street, from Windrim avenue to Lindley avenue; Twenty-third street, from Snyder avenue to Jackson street; Buist avenue, from Sixty-fourth to Sixty-fifth street; Windrim avenue, from Duncannon avenue to Broad street. The following streets with vitrified fire clay or shale bricks or blocks, viz.: Ardleigh street, from Cheltenham avenue to Price street; Coral street, from

Ontario to Tioga street; Dexter street, from Seville to Markle street, and Seville street, from Dexter street to Manayunk avenue; Ditman street, from Howarth to Pratt street; Division street, from Conrad street to about four hundred and ninety-three feet northeast; Howarth street, from Ditman street to Torresdale avenue; Norwood street, from Church lane to Godfrey avenue; Pratt street, from Ditman street to Torresdale avenue; Seventy-first street, from Saybrook avenue to Paschall avenue; Sprague street, from Mt. Pleasant avenue to Mt. Airy avenue; Mt. Pleasant avenue, from Sprague street north from Mt. Pleasant avenue to Sprague street south from Mt. Pleasant avenue; also, Allengrove street, from Oakland to Horrocks street, and Oakland street, from Harrison to Allengrove street with Filbertine, with vitrified brick gutters. The portion of work to be paid for by the City shall be taken from the item for intersections in the appropriation to the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Highways). The conditions of the contracts shall be that the contractors shall collect the cost of paving from the owners of property respectively fronting on said streets, and shall enter into an obligation with the City to keep said streets in good repair for five years after the paving is finished: *Provided*, That said streets shall be first dedicated or properly opened, and that the Director of the Department of Public Works shall advertise for proposals for paving said streets and award the contracts to the lowest responsible bidders, and that the owners of property fronting on said streets shall not be charged more than the contract price.

All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith be, and the same are hereby repealed.

APPENDIX No. 252.

Philadelphia, June 20, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Highways, to which was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to take, use

and appropriate property bounded by Seventeenth street, the line of Appletree street, Arch street and the Parkway, and to authorize the opening of so much of the Parkway as is bounded by the line of Appletree street, the southwestwardly line of the Parkway, and a line nearly at right angles to Arch street, extending from Arch street to the line of Appletree street from a point two hundred and fifty-six and sixty-two one-hundredths of a foot east of the eastwardly side of Seventeenth street, and authorizing the entering of security for the payment of damages," respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

P. E. Costello (*Ch'n*), W. A. Miller, David G. Frankenhof, Chas. A. Gillingham, Thomas J. Morton, John W. Whitaker, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., Clarence S. Eldredge, H. J. Trainer, Chas. Seger, Wm. J. Harrington, J. E. Lennon, Wm. Boal, Henry R. Shoch, Wm. E. Finley.

AN ORDINANCE

To take, use and appropriate property, bounded by Seventeenth street, the line of Appletree street, Arch street and the Parkway, and to authorize the opening of so much of the Parkway as is bounded by the line of Appletree street, the southwestwardly line of the Parkway, and a line nearly at right angles to Arch street, extending from Arch street to the line of Appletree street from a point two hundred and fifty-six and sixty-two one-hundredths of a foot east from the easterly side of Seventeenth street, and authorizing the entering of security for the payment of damages.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That under authority and in accordance with the Act of Assembly approved June 8, 1907, entitled "An Act authorizing cities of this Commonwealth to purchase, acquire, take, use and appropriate private property, for the purpose of making, enlarging, extending, and maintaining public parks, parkways and

playgrounds; authorizing the said cities to purchase, acquire, take, use and appropriate neighboring private property, within two hundred feet of the boundary lines of such public parks, parkways and playgrounds, in order to protect the same by resale with restrictions; authorizing the resale of such neighboring property, with such restrictions in the deeds of resale in regard to the use thereof as will protect such public parks, parkways and playgrounds; and providing for the manner of ascertaining, determining, awarding, and paying compensation and damages in all cases where property is taken, used and appropriated for the said purposes." they do take, use and appropriate the property bounded and described as follows: Beginning at the point of intersection of the eastwardly side of Seventeenth street and the southwardly side of Appletree street as formerly laid out upon the City plan; thence extending southward along the eastwardly side of Seventeenth street one hundred and fifty-seven feet and eight one-hundredths of a foot to a point on the northwardly side of Arch street; thence eastwardly along the northwardly side of Arch street two hundred and sixteen feet and sixty-two one-hundredths of a foot to a point on the northwardly side of Arch street; thence northwardly on a line nearly at right angles to the northwardly side of Arch street thirty-three feet and six hundred and fifty-three one-thousandths of a foot, to a point on the southwestwardly side of the Parkway; thence northwestwardly along the southwestwardly side of the Parkway two hundred and seventeen feet and ninety-eight one-thousandths of a foot, to a point on the southwardly side of Appletree street as formerly laid out upon the City plan; and thence westwardly along the southwardly side of the said Appletree street as formerly laid out upon the City plan thirty-seven feet and two hundred and fourteen one-thousandths of a foot to the first mentioned point and place of beginning; and these Councils do hereby declare that the control of the above described property, which is located within two hundred feet of the boundary line of the Parkway, is reasonably necessary in order to protect the said Parkway and its environs and the preservation of the view, appearance, light, air, health or usefulness thereof.

SECT. 2. That the Director of the Department of Public Works be, and is hereby authorized and directed to notify the owners of the properties over and through which so much of the Parkway will pass, as is within the revised lines thereof, between City Hall and Fairmount Park, and is bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a point on the northwardly side of Arch street two hundred and sixteen feet and sixty-two one-hundredths of a foot east from the eastwardly side of Seventeenth street; thence extending eastwardly along the northwardly side of Arch street forty feet to a point thereon; thence northwardly on a property line nearly at right angles to Arch street one hundred and fifty-seven feet more or less to the south side of Appletree street as formerly laid out upon the City plan; thence westwardly along the south side of the said Appletree street as formerly laid out upon the City plan two hundred and nineteen feet and three hundred and six one-thousandths of a foot to the southwestwardly side of the Parkway; thence southeastwardly along the southwestwardly side of the said Parkway two hundred and seventeen feet and ninety-eight one-thousandths of a foot to a point thereon; thence extending southwardly along a property line nearly at right angles to Arch street thirty-three feet and six hundred and fifty-three one-thousandths of a foot to the first mentioned point and place of beginning, that at the expiration of three months from the date of said notice, same will be required for public use.

SECT. 3. The Mayor of the City is hereby authorized and directed to enter security on behalf of the City of Philadelphia, for the payment of any damages which may be assessed by reason of the taking of the property described in Section 1 and the opening of said Parkway, and upon the filing of said bond and at the expiration of said three months the said Director of the Department of Public Works shall forthwith proceed to open said Parkway within the boundaries as set forth in Section 3 of this ordinance.

APPENDIX No. 253.

Philadelphia, June 20, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Highways, to which was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to authorize the opening of Markoe street, from Chestnut to Walnut street, in the Forty-sixth Ward,” respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Peter E. Costello (*Ch’n*), W. A. Miller, David G. Frank-
enfield, Chas. A. Gillingham, Thomas J. Morton, John W.
Whitaker, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., Clarence S. Eldredge, H.
J. Trainer, Chas. Seger, Wm. J. Harrington, Wm. Boal,
Henry R. Shoch, J. E. Lennon, Wm. E. Finley.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the opening of Markoe street, from Chestnut
to Walnut street.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works be authorized and directed to notify the owners of property over and through which Markoe street, from Chestnut to Walnut street, will pass, that at the expiration of three months from the date of said notice said street will be required for public use.

SECT. 2. The Mayor of the City is hereby authorized and directed to enter security, on behalf of the City of Philadelphia, for the payment of any damages which may be assessed by reason of the opening of said street; upon the filing of said bond, and at the expiration of the said three months, the Director of the Department of Public Works shall forthwith proceed to open said street.

APPENDIX No. 254.

RESOLUTION.

Of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit Thomas Killough to construct a temporary terra cotta drain in Irving street, from Sixty-first street westward about one hundred and seventy-five feet.

Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the Director of the Department of Public Works be requested to permit Thomas Killough to construct a temporary terra cotta drain in Irving street, from Sixty-first street westward about one hundred and seventy-five feet. The said drain to be laid under the supervision and to the satisfaction of the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Surveys) without expense to the City of Philadelphia, and shall not release the owners of property from paying the regular frontage charges whenever a sewer shall be laid in said street.

APPENDIX No. 255.

RESOLUTION

Of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit Charles F. Jenkins to improve and beautify a portion of the sidewalk on the west side of West Washington Square and the south side of South Washington Square, in the Eighth Ward.

Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the Director of the Department of Public Works be requested to permit Charles F. Jenkins to improve and beautify the sidewalk on the west side of West Washington Square, in front of premises owned by the said Charles F. Jenkins, and on the south side of South Washington Square, in front of premises owned by Henry

A. Dreer, incorporated, Paschall H. Coggins and William F. Dreer. The said work to consist in the laying of a cement pavement and the planting of grass, flowers and shrubbery. Said work to be done under the supervision of the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Surveys) without expense to the City of Philadelphia and with the consent of the said property owners in front of whose properties the improvements shall be made. The said work and improvement to be removed at any time by the said Charles F. Jenkins; without expense to the City of Philadelphia, upon three months' notice from the Department of Public Works.

APPENDIX No. 256.

RESOLUTION

Authorizing the crediting of certain payments made to the City by the Board of Public Education of the proportion due by said Board for the principal and interest of its share of indebtedness to Item 16 of the appropriation to the Department of City Treasurer, for the year 1912, and directing the presentation of this resolution to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval.

WHEREAS, Provision was made both by Councils and the Board of Public Education for the payment of the interest and principal on certain school loans due by the Board of Public Education, the amount for the first and second quarters having already been paid by said Board, thus making unnecessary the amount set aside in the appropriation to the City Treasurer, and in order that this unnecessary appropriation may be used for the current needs of the City;

Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the City Controller and City Treasurer be authorized to credit to Item 16 in the appro-

priation to the Department of City Treasurer all amounts paid or to be paid by the Board of Public Education of its proportion of the principal and interest on the outstanding school loans for the year 1912.

Resolved, That the Clerks of Councils be directed to present this resolution to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval.

APPENDIX No. 257.

Philadelphia, June 27, 1912.

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—I have the honor of enclosing herewith communications received by me from Joseph S. Neff, M. D., Director of the Department of Public Health and Charities. The letters explain themselves, and I would bespeak the earnest consideration of your Honorable Bodies for the requests made by the Director.

Very respectfully yours,

RUDOLPH BLANKENBURG,

Mayor.

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DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH AND CHARITIES.

Philadelphia, June 26, 1912.

HON. RUDOLPH BLANKENBURG,

Mayor of the City of Philadelphia.

DEAR SIR:—The following is a copy of a letter this day forwarded to Mr. Connelly, Chairman of the Finance Committee of Common Council.

“I feel that it is absolutely necessary for the purpose of the prevention of the spread of contagious diseases, especially owing to the presence of smallpox in Philadelphia, that an immediate appropriation should be made for the work of the Department of Public Health and Charities, during the summer recess of Councils. It is impossible to foretell the future, therefore the amount of money necessary cannot be even approximately fixed. Should conditions continue as they are for a period of a couple of weeks,

fifteen thousand (15,000) dollars would be ample. Should we have an extended epidemic of smallpox, much more money would be needed. I would ask that an appropriation be made, for emergencies in the care, treatment and prevention of smallpox and other contagious diseases, and for the proper protection of the public health, including the employment of physicians, nurses, attendants, the purchase of drugs, medicines, foodstuffs, ambulances, horses, wagons, harness, etc., to be expended at the discretion of the Director of the Department of Public Health and Charities."

This phraseology is used after consultation with the City Controller.

I was informed that the mailing of this letter before the receipt by Councils of any message from you on the subject would expedite the appropriation.

Very respectfully,

(Signed) J. S. NEFF,

Director.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH AND CHARITIES.

Philadelphia, June 26, 1912.

HON. RUDOLPH BLANKENBURG,

Mayor of the City of Philadelphia.

DEAR SIR:—On June 12, 1912, in a general communication to the Chairman of the Sub-Committee of Councils' Committee on Finance, I requested an appropriation of \$7,500 for the construction of a railroad siding at Byberry. I would state, in this connection, that such siding, in the future, will be absolutely necessary for the proper conduct of the institutions to be erected on that property, and I believe that it will be great economy to have this siding built at once, which will decrease the amount of bids of contractors for the erection of buildings for the feeble-minded, saving a haul, by wagon, from the

railroad station by road to the site on which the buildings are to be erected, and, later on, a saving in the cost of transportation of coal and other supplies.

Very respectfully yours,

(Signed) J. S. NEFF,
Director.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH AND CHARITIES.

Philadelphia, June 26, 1912.

HON. RUDOLPH BLANKENBURG,

Mayor of the City of Philadelphia.

DEAR SIR:—I visited, at Chester Springs, Pa., the property recommended by the Civic Club of Philadelphia, and other charitable and sociological associations, for the care of feeble-minded women until such time as the City institutions may be ready for occupancy.

Although the property known as the Soldiers' Orphan Home is not ideal for a permanent home for feeble-minded, it will answer all purposes for the time for which it is proposed to occupy it as such.

Mrs. George Woodward—as you are already aware, from a copy of a letter to me from her, under date of June 19th—in the name of the Civic Club of Philadelphia, has assumed responsibility for the rent of this home, at two thousand five hundred (2,500) dollars per annum, for a period of three (3) years (If the City has not before that time provided other quarters), provided that the City will properly maintain at that place a home for feeble-minded girls and women.

In order to avail ourselves of this liberal guarantee, and to properly care for this class of mental defectives, I would respectfully request an appropriation for the balance of this year of eighty thousand (80,000) dollars, to cover furniture, equipment, transportation and maintenance.

Very respectfully yours,

(Signed) J. S. NEFF.
Director.

APPENDIX No. 258.

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR.

Philadelphia, June 27, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—On June 13, 1912, I sent to your Honorable Bodies two ordinances providing for the transfer of the Bureau of City Property to the Department of Public Works, and the transfer of a small portion of its functions to the Bureau of Police. I trust that these ordinances may be considered by you carefully and, if they meet your approval, that they may be acted upon favorably at your session to-day, as I understand you are not likely to meet again before the summer vacation.

Respectfully yours,

RUDOLPH BLANKENBURG,

Mayor.

APPENDIX No. 259.

RESOLUTION

Relative to the approval of schedules, bills and contracts
during the summer recess of Councils.

Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That during the summer recess of Councils, three members of any Committee shall be sufficient to constitute a quorum for the approval of schedules, bills and contracts.

APPENDIX No. 260.

Philadelphia, June 27, 1912.

WM. J. MILLIGAN, Esq.,

Chief Clerk of Select Council.

DEAR SIR:—Replying to your letter relative to granting a permit for a temporary drain in Chancellor street, from Fifty-ninth to Sixtieth street, I would state that this Bureau generally objects to the laying of temporary drains, as they do not meet the requirements of a proper sewerage system.

But, as it is impossible to construct the necessary public sewer in this street, this Bureau will not oppose the granting by Councils of a resolution to permit the laying of this drain.

Yours truly,

G. S. WEBSTER,

Chief Engineer and Surveyor.

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RESOLUTION

Of request to the Director of the Department of Public Works to permit James Kissick to lay a temporary terra cotta drain in Chancellor street, from Fifty-ninth to Sixtieth street.

Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the Director of the Department of Public Works be requested to permit James Kissick to lay a temporary terra cotta drain in Chancellor street, from Fifty-ninth to Sixtieth street. The said drain to be laid under the supervision and to the satisfaction of the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Surveys) without expense to the City of Philadelphia, and shall not release the owners of property from paying the regular frontage charges whenever a sewer shall be laid in said street.

APPENDIX No. 261.

RESOLUTION

Authorizing the Joint Committee on Soldiers' Monuments to visit Antietam Battlefield in September next, on the Fiftieth Anniversary of said battle, and directing the presentation of this resolution to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval.

WHEREAS, On September 17th next the Fiftieth Anniversary of the Battle of Antietam will be observed, and as the City of Philadelphia has located on said battlefield a park and monument, and in order that proper recognition of said event may be made by this City;

Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the Joint Committee on Soldiers' Monuments be authorized to visit Antietam Battlefield, for the purpose of participating in the commemoration of the Fiftieth Anniversary of said battle in September next. The cost of the same not to exceed the sum of one thousand two hundred (1,200) dollars, and be charged against Item 7 in the annual appropriation to the Clerks of Councils, for the year 1912.

Resolved, That the Clerks of Councils be directed to present this resolution to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval.

APPENDIX No. 262.

Philadelphia, June 27, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred a communication from the Director of the Department of Public Safety, relative to changing the titles of certain officials in the Bureau of Fire, respect-

fully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

John P. Connelly (*Ch'n*), Watson D. Upperman, Chas. A. Gillingham, G. P. Darrow, Chas. Seger, E. B. Gleason, Edw. W. Patton, Louis Hutt, John H. Baizley, Wm. E. Finley, Richard Weglein, William J. McCloskey, E. Buchholz, John H. Hahn, Robert S. McElroy, W. E. Bonnick, John F. Flaherty.

AN ORDINANCE

Changing the titles of certain officials in the Bureau of Fire.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That from and after the passage of this ordinance the titles of the following officials in the Bureau of Fire be, and the same are hereby changed: "Assistant to the Chief Engineer" to be changed to "Deputy Chief Engineer;" "Assistant Engineer" to be changed to "Battalion Chief;" "Foreman" to be changed to "Captain;" "Assistant Foreman" to be changed to "Lientenant."

All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith be, and the same are hereby repealed.

APPENDIX No. 263.

Philadelphia, June 27, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred the bill entitled "An Ordinance to transfer all balances remaining to the credit of Item 19 in the annual appropriation to the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Surveys) for the maintenance of automobiles

during 1912, and Item 6, Bureau of Surveys, for horse keep and keep of automobile, Item 4 (Director's Office), Department of Public Works, for maintenance and equipment of automobiles and uniforms for chauffeurs." respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

John P. Connelly (*Ch'n*), Watson D. Upperman, Chas. A. Gillingham, G. P. Darrow, Chas. Seger, E. B. Gleason, Edw. W. Patton, Louis Hutt, John H. Baizley, Wm. E. Finley, Richard Weglein, William J. McCloskey, E. Buchholz, John H. Hahn, Robert S. McElroy, W. E. Bonnick, John F. Flaherty.

AN ORDINANCE

To transfer all balances remaining to the credit of Item 19 in the annual appropriation to the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Highways) for the maintenance of automobiles during 1912, and Item 6, Bureau of Surveys, for horse keep and keep of automobiles, to Item 4, Director's Office, Department of Public Works, for maintenance and equipment of automobiles and uniforms for chauffeurs.

WHEREAS, There are a number of automobiles used in the City's service, the property of the Director's Office and the several Bureaus of the Department of Public Works, and it is deemed advisable that the expenditures for their maintenance, etc., should be under the sole direction of the Director's Office; therefore,

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the City Controller be, and he is hereby authorized and directed, on July 1, 1912, to transfer all balances remaining to the credit of Item 19 in the annual appropriation to the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Highways) for the maintenance of automobiles during 1912, and Item 6, Bureau of Surveys, for horse keep and keep of automobile, to Item

4, Director's Office, Department of Public Works, for maintenance and equipment of automobiles and uniforms for chauffeurs.

All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith be, and the same are hereby repealed.

APPENDIX No. 264.

Philadelphia, June 27, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred the bill entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the Director of the Department of Supplies to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in payment for coal purchased in the open market in contemplation of a strike at the mines, and for coal heretofore furnished for the City Ice Boats, during the year 1912," respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

John P. Connelly (*Ch'n*), Watson D. Upperman, Chas. A. Gillingham, G. P. Darrow, Chas. Seger, E. B. Gleason, Edw. W. Patton, Louis Hutt, John H. Baizley, Wm. E. Finley, Richard Weglein, William J. McCloskey, E. Buchholz, John H. Hahn, Robert S. McElroy, W. E. Bonnick, John F. Flaherty.

AN ORDINANCE

Authorizing the Director of the Department of Supplies to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in payment for coal purchased in the open market in contemplation of a strike at the mines, and for coal heretofore furnished for the City Ice Boats during the year 1912.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Director of the

Department of Supplies be authorized to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in amounts aggregating one hundred and eighteen thousand four hundred and thirty-two (118,432) dollars and thirteen (13) cents for coal purchased in the open market in contemplation of a strike at the mines, and chargeable against certain items, as follows: Department of Supplies (Water): To Item 15-E, Keystone Coal and Coke Co., eighty-five thousand and fifteen (85,015) dollars and forty (40) cents; Rogers-Corr Coal Co., four thousand three hundred and eighty-two (4,382) dollars and fifty-one (51) cents; Philadelphia and Reading Coal and Iron Co., twenty-seven thousand and fifty-six (27,056) dollars and eighty-three (83) cents; (Wharves, Docks and Ferries): To Item 7-E, Chas. D. Norton & Co., one thousand nine hundred and seventy-seven (1,977) dollars and thirty-nine (39) cents; also warrants in payment for coal furnished to the City Ice Boats, aggregating four thousand (4,000) dollars, chargeable against Item 5 (Ice Boats), for the year 1912, to pay bills of Chas. D. Norton Co.

APPENDIX No. 265.

Philadelphia, June 27, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred a bill entitled “An Ordinance to authorize certain transfers in the annual appropriations to the various Bureaus in the Departments of Public Safety, Public Works, Public Health and Charities, Supplies, City Commissioners, City Controller, Clerks of Councils, Board of Revision of Taxes, Law, Register of Wills and City Treasurer, for the year 1912,” together with sundry communications in connection therewith, respectfully report that they have carefully considered this matter, and re-

turn the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

John P. Connelly (*Ch'n*), Watson D. Upperman, Chas. A. Gillingham, G. P. Darrow, Chas. Seger, E. B. Gleason, Edw. W. Patton, Louis Hutt, John H. Baizley, Wm. E. Finley, Richard Weglein, William J. McCloskey, E. Buchholz, John H. Hahn, Robert S. McElroy, W. E. Bonnick, John F. Flaherty.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize certain transfers in the annual appropriations to the various Bureaus in the Departments of Public Safety, Public Works, Public Health and Charities, Supplies, City Commissioners, City Controller, Clerks of Councils, Law, Board of Revision of Taxes, Register of Wills and City Treasurer, for the year 1912.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the City Controller be, and he is hereby authorized to make the following transfers in the annual appropriations to the various Bureaus in the Departments of Public Safety, Public Works, Public Health and Charities, Supplies, City Commissioners, City Controller, Clerks of Councils, Law, Board of Revision of Taxes, Register of Wills and City Treasurer, for the year 1912, viz.:

Department of Public Safety (Electrical Bureau): From Item 1, for salaries, six hundred (600) dollars. City Commissioners: From Item 44, the unexpended balance out of the two hundred thousand (200,000) dollar loan for the House of Detention for Juvenile Prisoners, under ordinance approved April 15, 1908, six thousand one hundred and fifty-four (6,154) dollars and thirteen (13) cents. City Controller: From Item 1, for salaries, one thousand eight hundred and fifty (1,850) dollars. Clerks of Councils: From Item 7½, to pay bill of Manufacturers' Appraisal Company, etc., two hundred and nineteen (219) dollars and ninety-one (91) cents. City

Treasurer: From Item 15, for interest, etc., thirty-three thousand two hundred (33,200) dollars, to the following:

Department of Public Safety (Bureau of Police): To Item 10, for the detection, arrest and conviction of offenders, etc., two thousand five hundred (2,500) dollars; to Item 15, for horseshoeing, three thousand (3,000) dollars; to Item 21½, for the purchase and maintenance of an automobile for Assistant Fire Marshal John W. Glover, one thousand (1,000) dollars; (Bureau of Fire): To Item 1, so as to provide for the salary of foreman of truck house, at the rate of one thousand four hundred (1,400) dollars per annum, from July 1, seven hundred (700) dollars; to Item 16 (new), to equip fire trucks with emergency kits, three hundred (300) dollars; (Electrical Bureau): To Item 1, so the salary of stenographer shall be at the rate of one thousand two hundred (1,200) dollars per annum in lieu of nine hundred (900) dollars per annum, from July 1, one hundred and fifty (150) dollars, and to provide for an index clerk, at the rate of nine hundred (900) dollars per annum, from July 1, four hundred and fifty (450) dollars; total, six hundred (600) dollars; (Bureau of City Property): To Item 49½, for drainage and water pipe and other contingent expenses incident to the construction of bath house in the Forty-first Ward, one thousand seven hundred (1,700) dollars; to Item 76 (new), for the erection of a public comfort station in the park at Torresdale avenue and Cottman street, in the Forty-first Ward, three thousand (3,000) dollars. Department of Public Works (Bureau of Highways): To Item 1, so as to provide for two assistant engineers of construction, at the rate of three thousand six hundred (3,600) dollars per annum each, from July 1, three thousand six hundred (3,600) dollars, and paymaster, at the rate of one thousand two hundred (1,200) dollars per annum, from July 1, six hundred (600) dollars; total, four thousand two hundred (4,200) dollars. Department of Public Health and Charities (Bureau of Health): To Item 1, so that the salary of the Assistant Medical Inspector in charge of child hygiene shall be at the rate of two thousand (2,000) dollars per annum, from July 1, three hundred (300)

dollars; to Item 9, for eye glasses, etc., five hundred (500) dollars: (Bureau of Charities): To Item 1½, to pay claims against the City as follows: Freemont Bowman, farmer, for salary, December, 1911, thirty-five (35) dollars and forty-eight (48) cents; Mary Convery, forewoman of laundry, for salary for December, 1911, seven (7) dollars and thirty-four (34) cents; to Item 11½, Harry Brandt, carpenter, salary for December, 1911, one (1) dollar and sixty (60) cents; to Item 14½, Bertha Fermbach, pupil nurse, for salary for December, 1911, three (3) dollars and seventy-seven (77) cents; Margäret K. Sharkey, pupil nurse, for salary for December, 1911, eleven (11) dollars and fifty (50) cents; James Cahill, assistant male nurse, for salary for December, 1911, four (4) dollars and sixty-four (64) cents; Annie Brown, waitress, for salary for December, 1911, one (1) dollar and sixty-eight (68) cents; to Item 22½, John C. Miller, assistant physician, for salary for December, 1911, twelve (12) dollars and ninety (90) cents; to Item 39½, Benjamin F. Whittington, attendant, salary for November, 1911, sixteen (16) dollars; to Item 43, for the erection of iron stairways, etc., in the Philadelphia General Hospital, one hundred and thirty-two (132) dollars. Department of Supplies (Health): To Item 4, for vaccine virus and anti-toxin, three thousand (3,000) dollars. City Commissioners: To Item 1, so that the salaries of Criers shall be at the rate of two thousand two hundred and fifty (2,250) dollars per annum, and the salaries of the Tipstaves in the Courts of Common Pleas and Quarter Sessions shall be at the rate of two thousand (2,000) dollars per annum, eight thousand eight hundred and seventy-five (8,875) dollars; to Item 33½ (loan), for maintenance of House of Detention, six thousand one hundred and fifty-four (6,154) dollars and thirteen (13) cents: *Provided*, That the City Commissioners be authorized to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants for the purchase of supplies and payment of miscellaneous expenses of the salaries and wages of the officers and servants employed by the Board of Managers upon certificate of said Board to their correctness, accompanied by itemized bills of said supplies and expenses. City Controller: To Item

1, so that the salary of the general auditor shall be at the rate of two thousand (2,000) dollars per annum in lieu of one thousand seven hundred (1,700) dollars per annum, from July 1, and so as to provide for property clerk, at the rate of one thousand two hundred (1,200) dollars per annum, and an expenditure analysis clerk, at the rate of one thousand two hundred (1,200) dollars per annum in lieu of two miscellaneous clerks at one thousand (1,000) dollars each per annum, from July 1, two thousand two hundred (2,200) dollars. Clerks of Councils: To Item 1, so that the salary of the Secretary of the Finance Committee shall be at the rate of three thousand (3,000) dollars per annum, from July 1, one hundred and twenty-five (125) dollars; to Item 8, so that the assistant stenographer and typewriter of Select Council and the typewriter and assistant to Committee Clerk of Common Council shall be at the rate of one thousand two hundred (1,200) dollars per annum in lieu of nine hundred (900) dollars per annum, from July 1, and so that the salary of the transcribing clerk of Common Council shall be at the rate of one thousand two hundred (1,200) dollars per annum in lieu of one thousand one hundred (1,100) dollars per annum, from July 1, three hundred and fifty (350) dollars. Law Department: To Item 5½ (new), to pay for services of Frank J. Quinn for serving tax lien notices during 1911, one hundred and twenty-three (123) dollars. Board of Revision of Taxes: To Item 1, so that the salary of the doorkeeper shall be at the rate of eight hundred and forty (840) dollars per annum in lieu of six hundred (600) dollars per annum, from July 1, one hundred and twenty (120) dollars. Register of Wills: To Item 1, for salaries, so as to provide for three additional clerks, from July 1, one at one thousand five hundred (1,500) dollars per annum, one at one thousand two hundred (1,200) dollars per annum, and one at one thousand (1,000) dollars per annum, one thousand eight hundred and fifty (1,850) dollars; said appointments to date from July 1, and four clerks at one thousand two hundred (1,200) dollars each, from October 1, one thousand two hundred (1,200) dollars; total, three thousand and fifty (3,050) dollars.

APPENDIX No. 266.

Philadelphia, June 27, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—The Committee on Finance, to which was referred the bill entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the Director of the Department of Supplies to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in payment of supplies delivered between the awarding and executing of certain contracts," respectfully report that they have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

John P. Connelly (*Ch'n*), Watson D. Upperman, Chas. A. Gillingham, G. P. Darrow, Chas. Seger, E. B. Gleason, Edw. W. Patton, Louis Hutt, John H. Baizley, Wm. E. Finley, Richard Weglein, William J. McCloskey, E. Buchholz, John H. Hahn, Robert S. McElroy, W. E. Bonnick, John F. Flaherty.

AN ORDINANCE

Authorizing the Director of the Department of Supplies to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in payment of supplies delivered between the awarding and executing of certain contracts.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Director of the Department of Supplies be authorized to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, warrants in amounts aggregating eighteen thousand two hundred and forty-six (18,246) dollars and eighty-six (86) cents, for supplies delivered under contracts between the awarding and the executing of the same and chargeable against certain items as follows: Department of Supplies (Mayor): Item 3, Clean Towel Supply Co., for towel service, twenty-five (25) dollars and ninety-six (96) cents; Albert Anderman, for

books, four (4) dollars and five (5) cents; Dunlap Printing Co., for printed cards, thirty-three (33) dollars and twenty-five (25) cents; (Taxes): Item 7, James Arnold, for printed books, sixty-five (65) dollars and fifty (50) cents; Dunlap Printing Co., for printed books and blanks, two thousand three hundred and seventy-three (2,373) dollars and fifty-seven (57) cents; The Bingham Co., for printed books and blanks, four thousand and seventy-five (4,075) dollars and eighty-eight (88) cents; (Charities): Item 14, The Fleischmann Co., for yeast, one hundred and sixty-six (166) dollars and twenty-five (25) cents; Item 18, John Wanamaker, for absorbent gauze, three hundred and forty-two (342) dollars; Item 19, Eastburn & Co., for brooms, etc., four hundred and seventy-two (472) dollars and fifty (50) cents; Jos. N. Snellenburg, for dishes, cocoa mats, etc., three hundred and sixty (360) dollars and five (5) cents; Item 24, Chas. Benton, for lumber, five hundred and forty-seven (547) dollars and thirty-nine (39) cents; (Police): Item 2, Clean Towel Supply Co., for towel service, fifteen (15) dollars and thirty-eight (38) cents; Item 6, Smith & Holthaus, for coal, seven hundred and eleven (711) dollars and twenty-six (26) cents; Robt. Henderson & Co., for coal, two hundred and sixty-one (261) dollars and thirty-six (36) cents; Item 6-B, Smith & Holthaus, for coal, fourteen (14) dollars and twenty-three (23) cents; (Fire): Item 33, Geissel & Richardson, for lumber, three hundred and eighty (380) dollars and forty-two (42) cents; Horace T. Potts & Co., for iron and steel, six hundred and forty-two (642) dollars and eighty-four (84) cents; Frank T. Dunlap, for gum goods, one hundred and eighty-six (186) dollars and twenty-six (26) cents; Item 34, Eastburn & Co., for brooms, one hundred and fifty-seven (157) dollars and fifty (50) cents; Frank T. Dunlap, for soap, etc., two hundred and seventy-one (271) dollars and nineteen (19) cents; Item 35, John C. Hancock & Co., for coal and wood, three hundred and fifty-three (353) dollars and twelve (12) cents; Item 38, Frank T. Dunlap, for blankets, ninety-seven (97) dollars and fifty (50) cents; (Electrical): Item 43,

Walker & Kepler, for electrical supplies, six hundred and ninety-eight (698) dollars and sixty-four (64) cents; Western Electrical Co., for electrical supplies, one hundred and ninety-six (196) dollars and seventy-four (74) cents; Item 45, Walker & Kepler, for electrical supplies, five hundred and thirty-two (532) dollars; (City Property): Item 59, Eastburn & Co., for brooms, two hundred and seven (207) dollars and ninety (90) cents; (Highways): Item 7, Goodyear Rubber Hose and Packing Co., for hose, one hundred and eighty (180) dollars; Item 8, Robt. Henderson & Co., for coal, four hundred and seventy (470) dollars and nineteen (19) cents; (Surveys): Item 10, Clean Towel Supply Co., for towel service, five (5) dollars and forty-six (46) cents; Item 11, Clean Towel Supply Co., for towel service, ten (10) dollars and forty (40) cents; Robt. Henderson & Co., for coal, fifty-three (53) dollars and ninety-six (96) cents; (Water): Item 18, Maddock & Co., for bolts, etc., one hundred and eighty-three (183) dollars and fifty-nine (59) cents; Item 19, Garlock Packing Co., for rubber valves, seven hundred and thirty-six (736) dollars and thirty-one (31) cents; Item 21, McArdle & Cooney, for boiler tubes, etc., one hundred and fifty-one (151) dollars and twenty-five (25) cents; Item 23, G. H. Clamer, for castings, two thousand four hundred and fifty-eight (2,458) dollars and thirty-five (35) cents; (Wharves, Docks and Ferries): Item 6, F. X. Mathis, for provisions, eight hundred and eighteen (818) dollars and eighty-four (84) cents.

APPENDIX No. 267.

Philadelphia, June 20, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Highways, to whom was referred the bill entitled “An Ordinance to authorize the repaving of Reed street, from Broad street to

Fifteenth street, and the work incident thereto," respectfully report that we have examined and approve the same, and submit for your consideration the annexed ordinance and ask its passage.

Robt. Smith (*Ch'n*), H. J. Trainer, Wm. E. Finley, Thomas J. Morton, J. E. Lennon, Edw. W. Patton, Wm. Boal, Wm. J. Harrington, John J. McKinley, N. L. Jones, Chas. Seger, John W. Whitaker, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., Clarence S. Eldredge.

AN ORDINANCE

To authorize the repaving of Reed street, from Broad street to Fifteenth street.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works be authorized to enter into a contract for the repaving of Reed street, from Broad street to Fifteenth street, with wood blocks. The stones removed from said street to become the property of the contractor. The condition of the contract for the foregoing work shall be that the contractor shall enter into an obligation with the City to keep said street in good repair for five years after the work is finished. The Director of the Department of Public Works shall advertise for proposals for repaving said street and award the contract to the lowest and best bidder. Payment for the work hereby authorized shall be made from Item 56-D (loan) in the appropriation to the Department of Public Works (Bureau of Highways).

APPENDIX No. 268.

Philadelphia, June 27, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—We, your Committee on Surveys, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An Ordinance to

strike from the City plan Carlisle street, as now located, from Fishers avenue to Somerville avenue, and to place on the plan in lieu thereof Delphine and Mayfair streets, from Broad to Fifteenth street," respectfully report that we have carefully considered the same, and return the annexed bill with a favorable recommendation and ask its passage.

Chas. A. Gillingham (*Ch'n*), George H. Kelley, James H. McGurk, Fred. Schwarz, Jr., Daniel Cabill, Wm. E. Finley, F. J. Cumiskey, Geo. W. Spielberger, W. W. Trinkle, H. J. Trainer, Peter E. Costello, Henry R. Shoch, J. E. Lennon, John P. Connelly.

AN ORDINANCE

To strike from the City plan Carlisle street, as now located, from Fishers avenue to Somerville avenue, and to place on the plan in lieu thereof Delphine and Mayfair streets, from Broad to Fifteenth street.

SECTION 1. *The Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia do ordain*, That the Department of Public Works (Board of Surveyors) be authorized and directed to strike from the City plan Carlisle street, as now located, from Fishers avenue to Somerville avenue, and to place on the plan in lieu thereof Delphine and Mayfair streets, each of the width of fifty feet, from Broad to Fifteenth street: *Provided*, That before said streets shall be placed on the plan the owners of ground within the lines thereof shall, within one year from the approval of this ordinance, dedicate the beds of said streets to the City, on the lines and grades as confirmed by the Board of Surveyors, or shall file an agreement, satisfactory to the City Solicitor, indemnifying the City against all damages from placing said streets on the City plan and their subsequent opening to the confirmed lines and grades, and from striking said Carlisle street from the plan.

APPENDIX No. 269.

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR.

Philadelphia, June 27, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—An important ordinance with reference to water meters has been before your Honorable Bodies for consideration. I am informed to-day that the Finance Committee, to which this ordinance was referred, has referred it to a Sub-Committee because of the supposed faulty construction of the ordinance. Since the last regular session of Councils before the summer vacation is to be held this afternoon, this action by the Finance Committee means the postponement of action upon this ordinance until September. To avoid any such unfortunate delay as this, I have notified the Presidents of Select and Common Councils of a special meeting of Councils to be held on Monday next, July 1, 1912, at 3 P. M. This will enable the Sub-Committee to make its report to the Finance Committee and the latter to make its report to Councils upon this important ordinance before the summer vacation.

Respectfully yours,

RUDOLPH BLANKENBURG,

Mayor.

APPENDIX No. 270.

RESOLUTION

Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the Finance Committee be requested to report out of said Finance Committee at the next meeting of Councils the bill in regard to the installation of water meters in the City of Philadelphia.

APPENDIX No. 271.

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR.

Philadelphia, July 1, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN :—I return herewith, without my approval, an ordinance, No. 219, entitled “An Ordinance to authorize the repaving with wood blocks of certain streets and the work incident thereto.”

I am withholding my approval from this ordinance because of a report upon it from the Chief of the Bureau of Highways and Street Cleaning, which has been forwarded to me with the approval of the Director of the Department of Public Works. This report reads as follows:

“With reference to Ordinance No. 120, ‘To authorize the repaving with wood blocks of certain streets and the work incident thereto,’ I wish to state that this ordinance did not originate in this Department, and after making a hasty examination of the streets named in the ordinance, I find that a number of them are railway streets, while the ordinance calls for repaving of said streets out of the fund of \$300,000 for repaving with wood blocks, which, of course, is not a railway street fund.

“I also find that the pavement of a number of streets is in good condition, and I do not think it would be advisable in the present state of finances to repave said streets with wood block.

“Some of the streets also have a grade of over two per cent., which is prohibitive for wood block paving.

“The condition of the pavements throughout the City is such that I do not feel that I could recommend repaving unless where necessary, as our funds are entirely inadequate to do the repaving, not only

on streets that require it, but are in more or less dangerous condition. I therefore cannot recommend the approval of this ordinance."

For these reasons, I regret that I am unable to approve the ordinance.

Respectfully yours,

RUDOLPH BLANKENBURG,

Mayor.

APPENDIX No. 272.

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR.

Philadelphia, July 1, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—I understand that the ordinance providing for an appropriation of five thousand dollars to the Department of Public Works for a study of the mosquito problem in Philadelphia failed of passage at the last session of Councils.

I sincerely hope that your Honorable Bodies will see your way clear to pass this ordinance at to-day's session. The appropriation is intended to provide for a comprehensive engineering study of the problem, and is therefore appropriately made to the Department of Public Works.

The situation is clearly explained in a letter that I received from the Director of the Department of Public Health and Charities, a copy of which is attached.

There will be the fullest co-operation between these two Departments in the solution of this important problem if the appropriation is made.

Respectfully yours,

RUDOLPH BLANKENBURG,

Mayor.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH AND CHARITIES.

Philadelphia, July 1, 1912.

HON. RUDOLPH BLANKENBURG,

Mayor of the City of Philadelphia.

DEAR SIR:—The appropriation of five thousand (5,000) dollars to the Department of Public Works for the study of the mosquito problem in Philadelphia, was asked by Director Cooke to defray the expenses of that portion of the work which was regarded as an engineering problem, and had no connection with the appropriation of May 28, 1912, of three thousand (3,000) dollars to the Bureau of Health, Item 6½, which was the abatement of nuisances caused by stagnant ponds. The last named appropriation was for the immediate abolition of breeding places for mosquitoes, while the appropriation to the Department of Public Works is for a comprehensive engineering study of the problem, looking toward the future elimination of the mosquito.

Very respectfully yours,

(Signed) J. S. NEFF,

Director.

APPENDIX No. 273.

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR.

Philadelphia, July 1, 1912.

To the Presidents and Members of the Select and
Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia.

GENTLEMEN:—I have the honor of transmitting to you herewith a resolution authorizing the Director of the Department of Supplies to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, certain warrants for coal purchases, as explained in the resolution.

I would ask favorable consideration for this resolution, as the City of Philadelphia is not only indebted to the gentlemen who came to our rescue during the threatened coal strike, but we should also show our appreciation by promptly appropriating money to them for the outlay they so generously made in behalf of the City.

Respectfully yours,

RUDOLPH BLANKENBURG,

Mayor.

APPENDIX No. 274.

RESOLUTION

To authorize the Director of the Department of Supplies to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, certain warrants for coal purchased in the open market in contemplation of a strike at the mines, and for the storage of and demurrage incurred in connection therewith; also, for supplies heretofore furnished during the year 1912; and directing the presentation of this resolution to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval.

Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the Director of the Department of Supplies be, and he is hereby authorized to draw, and the City Controller to countersign, certain warrants aggregating fifty-two thousand six hundred and ninety-eight (52,698) dollars and thirty-one (31) cents for coal purchased in the open market in contemplation of a strike at the mines, and for the storage of and demurrage in connection therewith; also, for supplies heretofore furnished during the year 1912 and chargeable against certain items, as follows: Department of Supplies (Water): To Item 15-E, Keystone Coal and Coke Co., for coal, forty thousand four hundred and seventy-five (40,475) dollars and sixty-nine (69) cents, and for demurrage, eight hundred and thirty-six (836) dollars; Rogers-Corr Coal Co., for coal, two thousand five hundred and seventy-three

(2,573) dollars and sixteen (16) cents, and for demurrage, six hundred and ten (610) dollars; Philadelphia and Reading Coal and Iron Co., for coal, eight hundred and forty-two (842) dollars and forty-five (45) cents; (Wharves, Docks and Ferries): To Item 7-E, Chas. D. Norton Co., for coal, three hundred and forty-one (341) dollars and ninety-four (94) cents; Madeira, Hill & Co., for coal, three hundred and seventy-two (372) dollars; (City Property): To Item 60-E, McKee & Co., for storing coal, two thousand seven hundred (2,700) dollars; (Health): To Item 6, Alfred Lowry & Bro., for groceries, etc., two thousand four hundred and eighty (2,480) dollars and sixty-five (65) cents; (Correction): To Item 17, William Hill & Sons, Inc., for coffee, one hundred and ninety-seven (197) dollars; (Wharves, Docks and Ferries): To Item 3, Martin W. Bougher, for groceries, etc., nine hundred and twenty-three (923) dollars and twenty (20) cents; to Item 8, Delaware Ship Supply Co., for groceries, three hundred and forty-six (346) dollars and twenty-two (22) cents.

Resolved, That the Clerks of Councils be directed to present this resolution to the Mayor for his approval or disapproval.

APPENDIX No. 275.

RESOLUTION

Discharging the Committee on Finance from the further consideration of Select Council bill (Appendix No. 152) entitled "An Ordinance to repeal ordinance approved June 27, 1904, prohibiting the installation of water meters."

Resolved, By the Select and Common Councils of the City of Philadelphia, That the Committee on Finance be, and is hereby discharged from the further consideration of Select Council bill (Appendix No. 152) entitled "An Ordinance to repeal ordinance approved June 27, 1904, prohibiting the installation of water meters."

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